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	<p>Total ASB Orders:</p> <p>Prior to ASB Team = 3  2003-2004 = 3  2004-2005 = 2  2005-2006 = 16  2006-2007 = 9  2007-2008 = 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>TOTAL ASB ORDERS FOR STOCKTON = 35</b></p>	<p>February 2008 Ingleby Barwick  January 2008 Eaglescliffe  January 2008 Parkfield &amp; Oxbridge  January 2008 Parkfield &amp; Oxbridge</p> <p>Of the 17 orders currently in force the timescales set and areas covered are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ January 2005 – August 2010 Stockton central area</li> <li>❑ July 2005 – July 2010 Billingham area</li> <li>❑ November 2005 – November 2008 Newtown</li> <li>❑ March 2006 – June 2009 Stockton Town Centre</li> <li>❑ March 2006 – June 2009 Stockton Town Centre</li> <li>❑ March 2006 – March 2011 Stockton Town Centre</li> <li>❑ March 2006 – May 2008 Stockton Town Centre</li> <li>❑ April 2006 – April 2008 Norton North</li> <li>❑ May 2006 – May 2008 Norton North</li> <li>❑ October 2006 – October 2010 Norton North</li> <li>❑ October 2006 – October 2010 Yarm area</li> <li>❑ December 2006 – December 2011 Parkfield &amp; Oxbridge</li> <li>❑ January 2007 – January 2009 Thornaby area</li> <li>❑ February 2007 – February 2010 Stockton Town Centre</li> <li>❑ March 2007 – March 2009 Stockton Town Centre</li> <li>❑ March 2007 – March 2009 Stockton Town Centre</li> <li>❑ April 2007 – April 2009 Parkfield &amp; Oxbridge</li> <li>❑ March 2008 – December 2009 Stockton Town Centre</li> </ul> <p>We currently have 3 pending ASBO applications in court.</p>



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<b>ABC'S</b>	Q4 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2008 – 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2008 ABC's issued = 10  Total 2002 – 2007 = 208 Total 2007 – 2008 = 28  <b>TOTAL ABC'S ISSUED FOR STOCKTON = 236</b>	Acceptable Behaviour Contracts are issued by the Anti Social Behaviour Team as a “final warning” to individuals who have been involved in numerous incidents of anti social behaviour, they may also be issued without previous written warnings or a joint interview if the behaviour is serious. An ABC is a voluntary contract that prohibits involvement in specified acts of anti social behaviour and they are issued for a six month period.  We currently have 12 ABC's which are still active and the ASB Team monitor these closely.
<b>Dispersal Orders</b>	Previous Orders – 5 All expired  Current Orders = 0  <b>TOTAL DISPERSAL ORDERS FOR STOCKTON = 5</b>	A Dispersal Order is a police power to disperse groups of 2 or more from an area and can, if necessary, include returning young people under 16 who are unsupervised in public places after 9pm to their homes. Before an area can be designated, a police superintendent or an officer of higher rank must be satisfied that significant and persistent anti social behaviour has occurred in the locality and that intimidation, harassment, alarm or distress has been caused to members of the public by the presence or behaviour of groups in that locality. Consultation with the Local Authority is undertaken and agreement must be gained before a Dispersal Order can be used, details of the Order must be publicised in prominent places in the area.  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ 1 order in the Grangefield area is now closed.</li> <li>❑ 1 order in the Dundas Street area is now closed.</li> <li>❑ 1 order in the town centre area is now closed.</li> <li>❑ 1 order in the Norton area is now closed.</li> <li>❑ 1 order in the Hardwick area is now closed.</li> </ul> The Anti Social Behaviour Team work in partnership with the police to address problems of anti social behaviour in Dispersal areas.



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<b>Fixed Penalty Notices / Enforcement</b>	Q4: 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2008 – 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2008:  Household Refuse            0 Dog Fouling                    1 Fly Posting                      2 Fly Tipping                      5 Dumping                         0 Litter from Vehicle           13 Litter                              16 7 day notices                  7 24 hour notices                208 DVLA vehicles                 75 Graffiti                         2 Alc Seizure minors          100 Alc Seizure adults            0 Tobacco                         3 AS 13's                         79  <b>Total 2007-2008:</b> 2096 <b>Total 2006 – 2007:</b> 1404 <b>Total 2005 – 2006:</b> 358	Fixed penalty notices can be issued under the categories listed in column 2.  The Enforcement Team lead on this process but 1 ASB Officer is accredited to issue FPN's and all other officers are accredited to take names and addresses.  Failure to comply with a Section 46 Notice can result in prosecution.
<b>High Hedges</b>	Q4 – 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2008 – 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2008:  5 Enquiries received 1 Complaint 1 (06/07) Complaint complied with remedial notice	Since 1 <sup>st</sup> June 2005 the Council Planning Dept has had powers to deal with complaints about high hedges that are having an adverse effect on a neighbours enjoyment of their property. Neighbours will be expected to have made every effort to resolve the issue amicably before referring to the Council. If a complaint is made a fee of £350.00 will be charged, (some exemptions apply) an assessment will be undertaken, and if appropriate a remedial notice issued.  A remedial notice may specify a height requirement or removal of the hedge. A remedial notice can be withdrawn or waived by the council and

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	<p><b>2007-2008</b>  48 Enquiries received  1 Complaint received  1 remedial notice (06/07)  complied with.</p> <p><b>2006-2007</b>  74 Enquiries received  4 Complaints received  1 remedial notice</p> <p><b>2005 – 2006:</b>  119 Enquiries received  3 Complaints received  2 Complaints resolved</p>	<p>there is a right to appeal against the notice.</p> <p>Failure to comply with the notice can result in Council powers to enter and carry out the work stated in the remedial notice and to recharge the owner for failure to undertake the work themselves.</p> <p>Failure to comply with a remedial notice is a criminal offence and a conviction can result in a fine of up to £1,000 and an order to carry out the works, continued failure to comply may result in fines of up to £50.00 per day.</p>

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<b>Dog Fouling</b>	<p>Q3 – 1<sup>st</sup> October 2007 – 31<sup>st</sup> December 2007</p> <p>Warning Letters      33  FPN's                      1  Fouling Complaints    166</p> <p><b>2007-2008</b></p> <p>Warning letters        85  FPN's                      8  Fouling complaints    364</p> <p><b>2006 - 2007</b></p> <p>Warning letters        87  FPN's                      14  Fouling complaints    345</p> <p><b>2005 – 2006:</b></p> <p>Warning letters        115  FPN's                      26  Fouling Complaints    346</p>	<p>Animal Welfare leads on this but FPN's can be issued by the Enforcement Team also.</p> <p>School teacher pack put together to be introduced into primary schools in above areas commencing February 2006 (due to officer sickness this will commence in May 2006) – includes interactive CD Rom game featuring Molly the Dog (as featured on the billboards). Ongoing initiative being undertaken with St Anns Board covering following areas:</p> <p><b>Mount Pleasant</b>  <b>Portrack</b>  <b>Victoria, Queen's Park and Norton Road</b>  <b>Tilery</b></p> <p>2800 leaflets regarding fouling advice and law being issued between October 2006 and January 2007</p>
<b>Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005</b>		<p>The Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005 came onto the statute books in April 2006. This allows the Council to close off pathways / alleys / walkways where there is significant levels of crime and disorder. The closure can be temporary in duration and in closing times. There is a limited requirement to consult.</p> <p>The Community Safety section leads on this process but has limited funding for implementation. The following areas are now completed with gates in place:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ Lawson Street</li> <li>□ Blue Bell Grove</li> <li>□ Ida Street</li> </ul>

