

COMMUNITY RESOLUTION GUIDANCE

You must seek appropriate guidance from a CID Supervisor in relation to:

- Serious Crime
- DYO or PPO (IOM Scheme)
- Offender is subject to a Court Order / on Bail / Wanted on Warrant /
- Breached a Court Order

And agreement from a CAIU DS / Supervisor in relation to:

- Child Protection Offences
- Hate Crime

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Careful consideration should be given in relation to:

- Repeat / Vulnerable Victims
- Risk of Escalation
- Offences where clear procedure already exists such as:
 - * Neighbourhood Priorities
 - * ASB, VISOR, ABC
 - * Drug Possession

Authorisation from a Supervisor should be sought:

- If victim does not agree to the issuing of the CR
- The offender has previous offending history
- Can be done via Airwaves and Supervisor must annotate the crime record to confirm the authorisation was granted

Police Community Support Officers must:

- Seek authorisation (can be via Airwaves) from a Police Officer when issuing a CR and the Police Officer must annotate the crime record to confirm the authorisation was granted
- Not undertake the CR themselves if there is any offending history

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Discretion should be used where:

- A Community Resolution has been identified and is achievable
- It will have a positive impact (victim / offender / community)
- It is proportionate and appropriate

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Have you done all you can to prevent this happening again?

PLEASE ENSURE THE SUBJECT UNDERSTANDS THE FOLLOWING:

“All information will be retained by the Constabulary and maybe disclosed under a DBS ‘enhanced disclosure’ check also If he / she fails to complete the agreed actions this matter may be formally investigated and they could be liable to prosecution”

READ TO THEM THE DECLARATION ABOVE ‘SUBJECT’ SIGNATURE

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Have you considered?

Know the law and force procedures

- Is the CR suitable for the offence or actions committed by the subject?
- CR NOT to be used for Domestic Abuse related offences
- Does the subject qualify for a CR?
- Have the relevant checks been completed?



Have you chosen the best option to build trust and confidence?

- Is the victim satisfied with this approach?
- Does the disposal option meet the needs of the victim?
- Is the disposal option proportionate and appropriate?

Would your decision stand public scrutiny?

- Would the public approve of this action?
- Would the public approve of the disposal decision and be supportive?
- Would it have a positive impact on the community?

Are you considering your options based on the force vision and mission?

Have you sought the advice and or authority of a supervisor, if required?

- Have you obtained a signed 'victim initial account 'in your PNB (best practice)?
- Have you recorded any 'significant comments' made by the subject?

Have you completed the form fully?

- Have all parties understood the agreed outcome and signed the form?
- Does the subject understand the potential consequences if they don't comply with the CR?

Our Mission

Improve the satisfaction
of our customers

Reduce Anti-Social
Behaviour

Reduce the crimes that
cause most harm to our
communities

Build the confidence of
our communities

It's your call