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To:

Danielle Stone

Police, Fire & Crime Commissioner for Northamptonshire

And:

Lee Barron

Member of Parliament for Corby & East Northamptonshire

6 September 2024

Dear Danielle and Lee

I am writing on behalf of the Town Council and the community of Raunds to express our deepening concerns regarding a spate of recent burglaries targeted at town centre businesses.

The frequency and severity of these incidents has heightened fears within our community. Local businesses, already facing economic challenges, are particularly affected as they struggle with the financial and emotional impacts of these crimes. Residents are equally distressed, feeling increasingly unsafe in some public spaces and concerned about the overall security of our town.

Given this situation, I would like to request details of the following:

1. How do each of you plan to enhance police visibility and presence in Raunds, to deter potential criminals and reassure the community?
2. What measures are being taken to identify and apprehend those responsible for these incidents?
3. What support services and resources are available to the victims of these burglaries? It is crucial that assistance is provided to those affected to ensure they receive the help they need to recover from these distressing incidents.

While the Town Council is diligently working on various initiatives to enhance our town and make it a more attractive destination for visitors, these efforts are being undermined by the increasing fear of crime and the growing number of criminal incidents. The Town Council has an established CCTV network, which is readily available to aid the local police force's investigations and contribute to a swift resolution of these cases.



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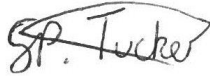


Given the seriousness of the current situation and its impact on our community, we would like to invite you to visit the area and meet with us to discuss potential community initiatives and collaborative efforts to address these challenges. Your presence and engagement would be appreciated and should play a significant role in fostering a sense of security and partnership within our community.

We look forward to your response and to working together to ensure the safety and well-being of our residents and businesses.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Yours sincerely,



Steve Tucker
Town Clerk
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