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# Summary

Under Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998, Monk Fryston Parish Council has a duty to:-

‘exercise its various functions with due guard to the likely effect of the exercise of those functions on, and the need to do all that it reasonably can to prevent

(a)crime and disorder in its area (including anti-social and other behaviour adversely

affecting the local environment

(b)the misuse of drugs, alcohol and other substances in its area; and

(c)re-offending in its area’

# 2.0 Consultation

**The Crime and Disorder Act 1998 Section 5 (2)** imposes a duty on District and County Councils to publish strategies that cover the above aims, including consultation with all persons who appear to the principal authority to represent the interests of as many different groups or persons within the areas is reasonable. This would include the relevant local councils

**3.0 Power to prevent Crime**

Under section 31 of the Local Government and Rating Act 1997 Monk Fryston Parish Council carries out its duties as follows:-

* Install and maintain any equipment or assist others to install and maintain any equipment such as litter bins, street lighting, public information signs and facilities deemed necessary to promote Health and Public Safety issues including the control of dog fouling activities.
* Assisting in the prompt removal of litter, graffiti, and any signs of vandalism at public spaces maintained by the Parish Council.
* Establish and maintain a scheme or assist others to install and maintain any equipment or maintain any scheme including supporting the provision of recreational facilities for junior sports clubs and other youth organisations via its grants award scheme.
* Provide and maintain Vehicular Assisted Signs VAS)
* Provide assistance and support to Speed Awareness groups
* Support the local Neighbourhood Watch Scheme
* Provide designated Area Status as required
* Support residents with crime and disorder issues within its power.

## 4.0 Review

This policy is subject to minimum 5 year reviews from it’s last update or review.