## Community Speed Watch Sussex Monthly Update – Force Overview February 2022

301	Registered CSW groups.	There are currently 301 registered CSW groups in Sussex, 188 of these are Parish Council Run Groups.
68	CSW groups active this month.	During this month 68 groups have completed sessions on the roads of Sussex.
21	Police SpeedWatch Records.	This month Sussex Police have recorded 21 reports on Speedwatch sessions / visits to support Community Groups.
4,820	Reports generated over last month.	Last month CSW group's generated 4,820 reports through Op Crackdown 98 of those reports are reports of abuse to groups from drivers.
68,849	Reports over twelve months.	In the last 12 months 68,849 reports were generated, compared to 41,201 for the same period in the previous year.
115	Vehicles observed with no MOT.	Last month CSW volunteers recorded 115 vehicles passing with no MOT and 13 SORN.
385	CSW Sessions this Month.	This month CSW volunteers have completed 385 roadside sessions in Sussex.
961.5	Force Volunteer Hours.	This month the number of Force volunteer hours given by groups was 961.5.
193	Sites used for recording.	193 Police risk assessed locations used by groups for recording this month.

Dates used for past 12 months 01/02/2021 – 28/02/2022. Author Steve O'Connell SSRP Dates used for past month 01/02/2022 – 28/02/2022.



## Any additional message or info.

The Sussex Police repeat offenders compliance rate currently stands at 93.15%, this ratio is based on drivers who have received the first letter from us not going back through the CSW system within a 12 month period, (this data is based on group record input).

Monthly CSW virtual Coordinators meetings are now held to enable groups and Parish Councils to establish a collaborative working network, this also enables SSRP to give any updates and feedback constructively to the groups. **Next meeting 13.00hrs on Friday 1**<sup>st</sup> **April 2022,** to get the link send your name, group and email address to csw@sussex.police.uk

Groups are now permitted to use Body Worn Video, the Sussex Policy for this can be found under the help section in all Coordinators accounts and Police Station Documentation. The effective date is 28<sup>th</sup> January 2022, we hope this will help with the high levels of abuse given to the groups by motorists. The kits initially will be funded by the groups if they wish to use their own, we have some available for those groups that we can identify from stats have an urgent need but unable to get funding.

Councillors workshops are now monthly on a 1 hour per month basis for Road Safety / CSW related topics, the next one is March 8<sup>th</sup> at 19.00 – 20.00hrs and is based around speeding / reporting and Community Speedwatch Groups, anyone from Parish / Town Council is welcome, to join just send Name, Email Address, and Parish name to <u>csw@sussex.police.uk</u>