

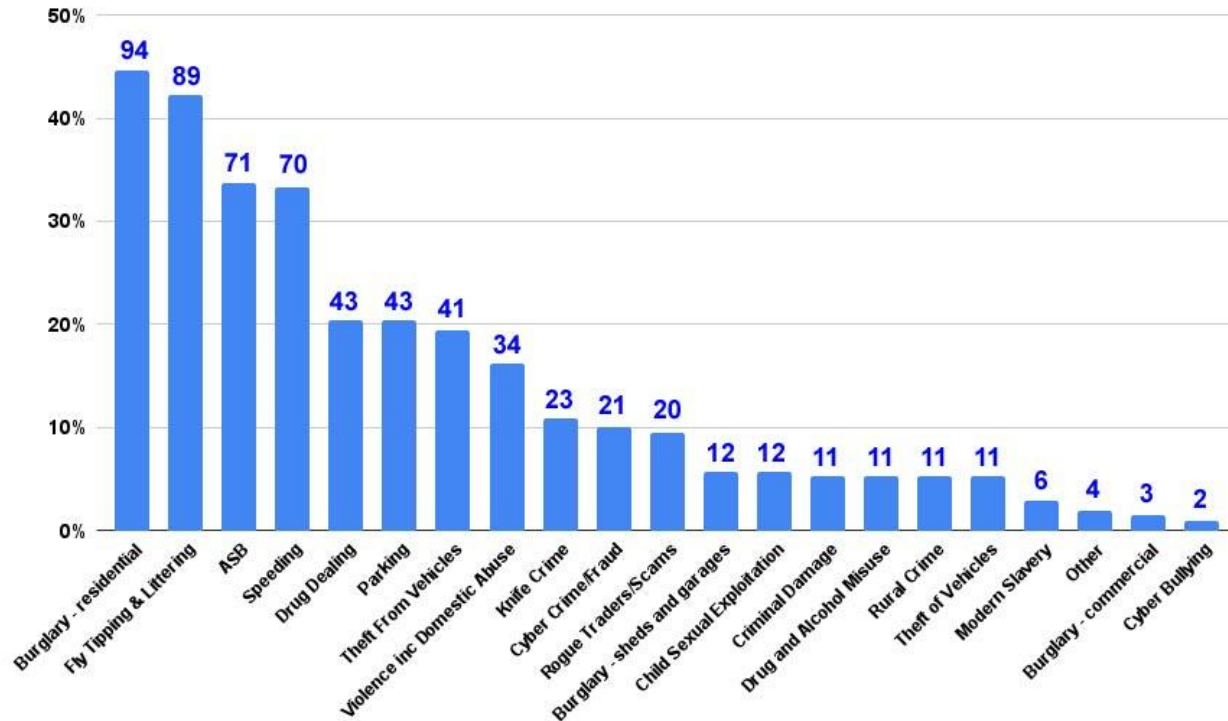
# Chiltern & South Bucks Policing Issues Forum



## Survey of Residents' Concerns October 2022

# Residents' Concerns – October 2022 Survey

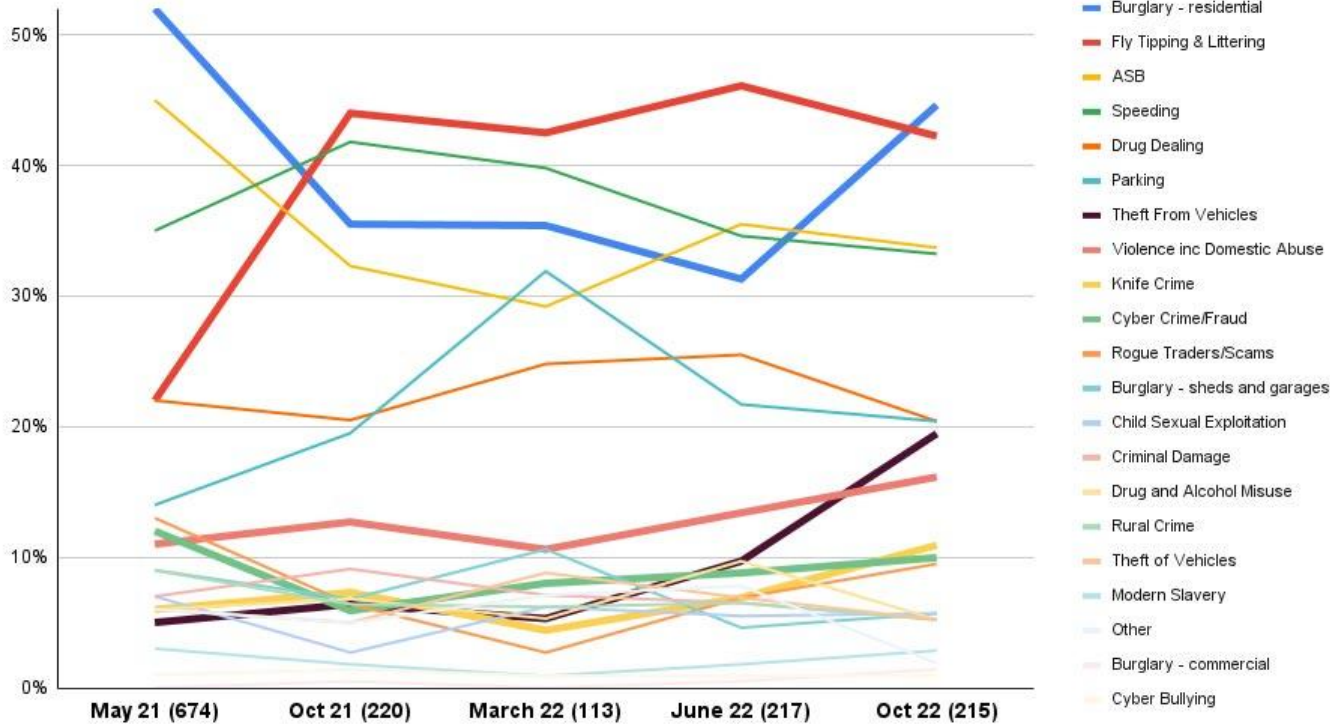
CSB Forum October 2022 Survey - Residents' Concerns



- Residential Burglary #1 concern for first time since May 2021
- Usual leading 4, including current focus areas Serious Acquisitive Crime, ASB and Speeding
- Share in 'Theft from a Vehicle' vote doubled - most likely driven by catalytic convertor theft
- Speeding #1 concern in hotspots Missendens and Chesham

# Residents' Concerns – May 2021 to October 2022

Chiltern & S Bucks Residents' Concerns from May 2021 to October 2022



- Consistent top 4: Burglary, Fly Tipping & Littering, ASB, Speeding
- Sharp uptick in Burglary concern – back to #1
- Fly tipping introduced as category in Oct 21, previously Littering
- Share in ‘Theft from a Vehicle’ vote consistently on the rise
- Other rising trends Violence inc Domestic Abuse, Cyber Crime/Fraud, Knife Crime

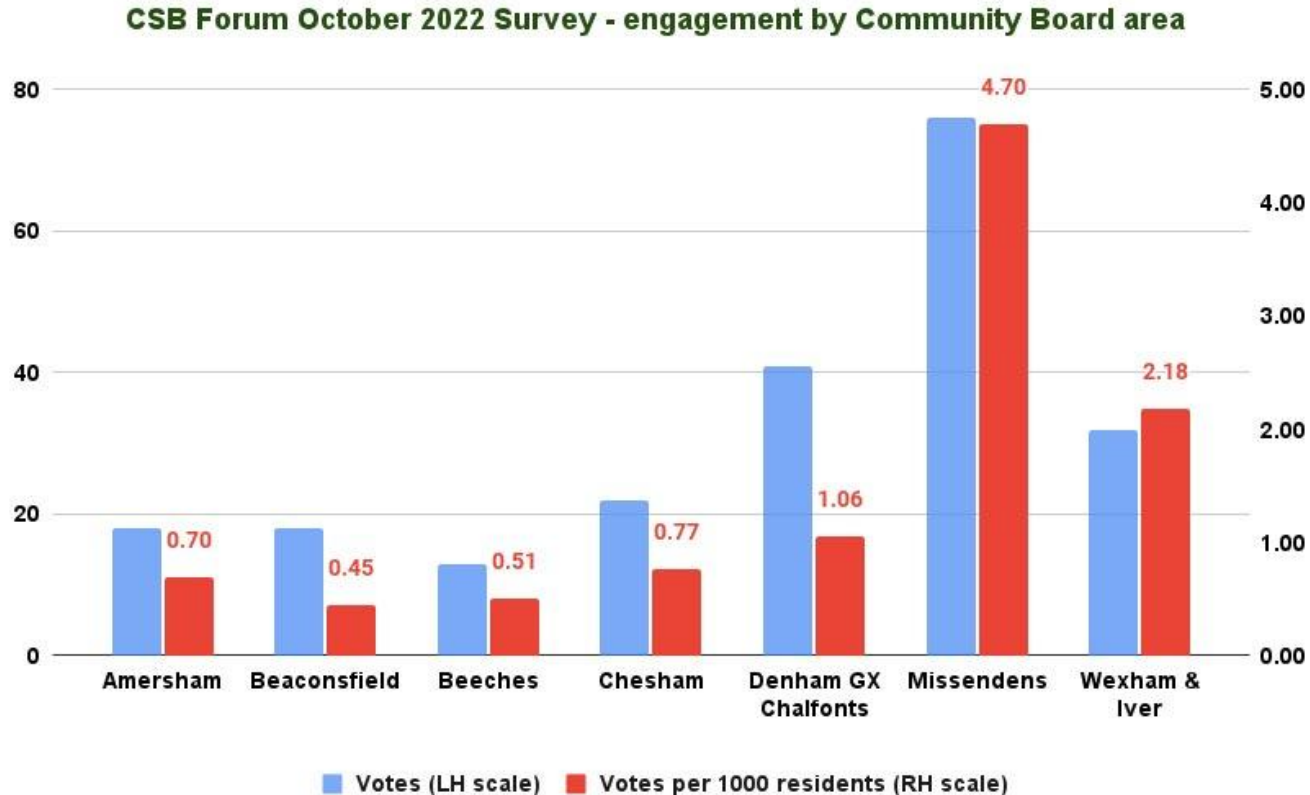
# Main Concerns by Community Board Area

Top Residents' Concerns by Community Board Area - October 2022 C&SB Forum Survey

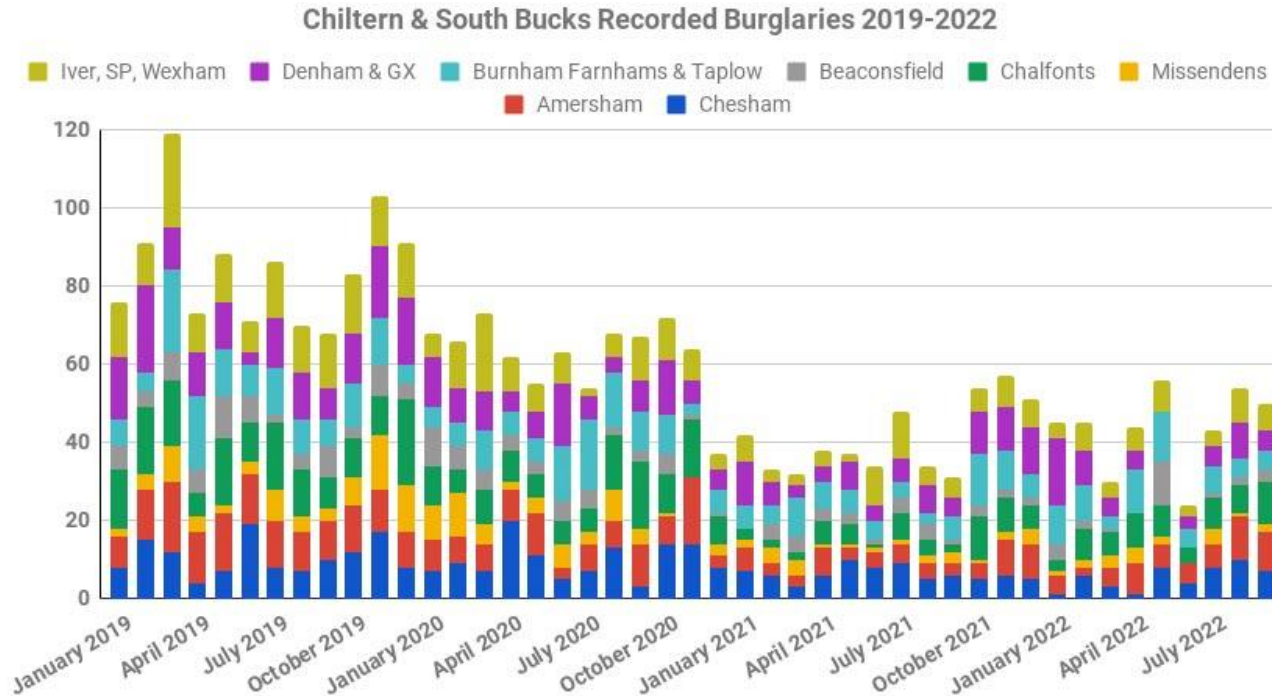
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| Amersham and Villages       | Residential Burglary (61%)                 | Fly Tipping & Littering (40%)        | Drug Dealing (33%)                   |
| Beaconsfield & Chepping Wye | ASB (55%), Violence against a Person (55%) |                                      | Residential Burglary (47%)           |
| Beeches                     | Residential Burglary (65%)                 | ASB (41%), Drug Dealing (41%)        |                                      |
| Chesham and Villages        | Speeding (55%)                             | Residential Burglary (46%)           | ASB (37%)                            |
| Denham, GX and Chalfonts    | Fly Tipping & Littering (60%)              | Residential Burglary (55%)           | ASB (40%)                            |
| Missendens                  | Speeding (51%)                             | Fly Tipping & Littering (47%)        | Residential Burglary (28%)           |
| Wexham and Iver             | Residential Burglary (50%)                 | ASB (41%), Theft from Vehicles (41%) |                                      |
| Under 18's                  | Residential Burglary (75%)                 | Fly Tipping & Littering (50%)        | ASB (31%), Theft from Vehicles (31%) |

- Return of Residential Burglary concern clearly evident – top 3 across the board
- Speeding still #1 in hotspots Chesham and Missendens
- Sample sizes useful in Missendens, Denham GX and Chalfonts and Wexham and Iver, less so in Amersham, Chesham, Beaconsfield and Beeches

# Engagement by Community Board Area



# Burglaries – January 2019 to October 2022



Source: POLICE.UK website

- Reported numbers still below pre-pandemic levels but yoy comparisons show ~33% increase
- “Now aligned to offending rates in other districts. At increased risk are affluent areas of rural towns.”

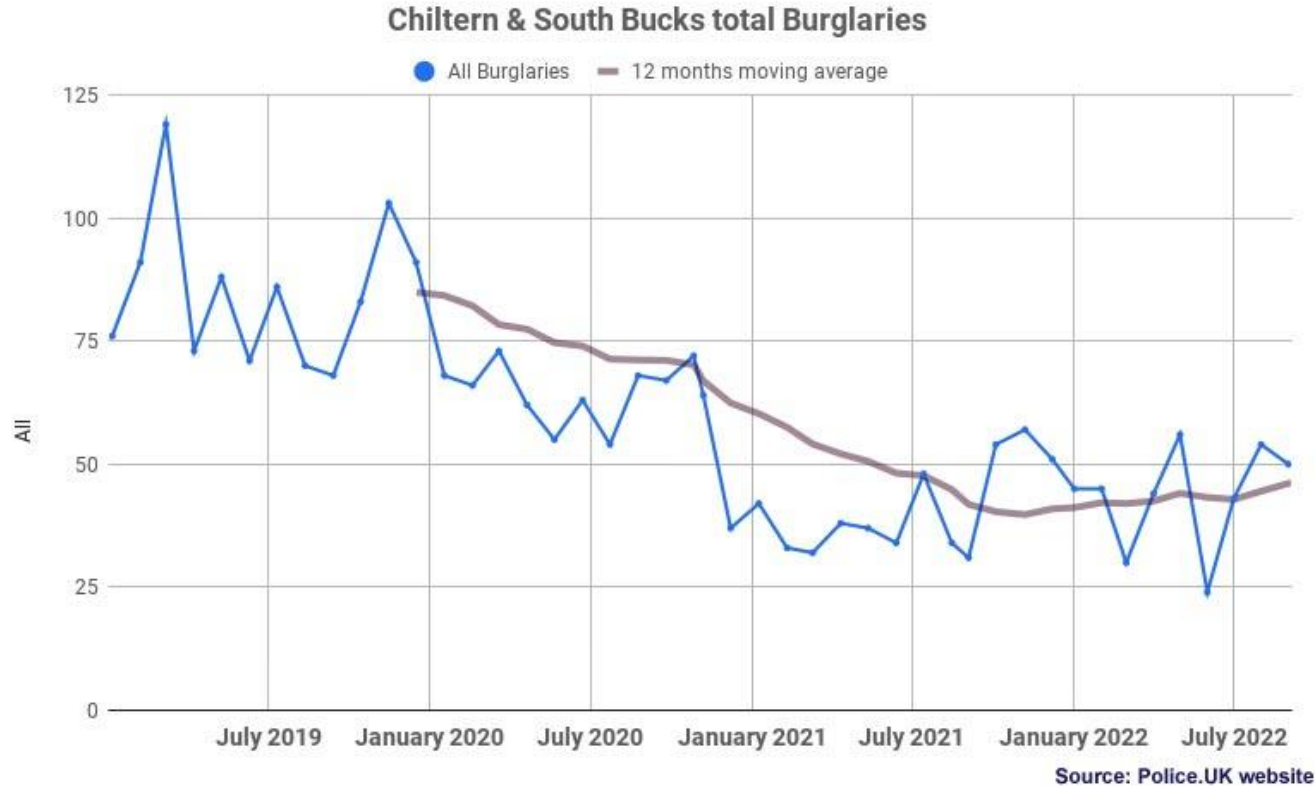
Burglaries increase by a third when the clocks go back

Co-Op Insurance, 2018



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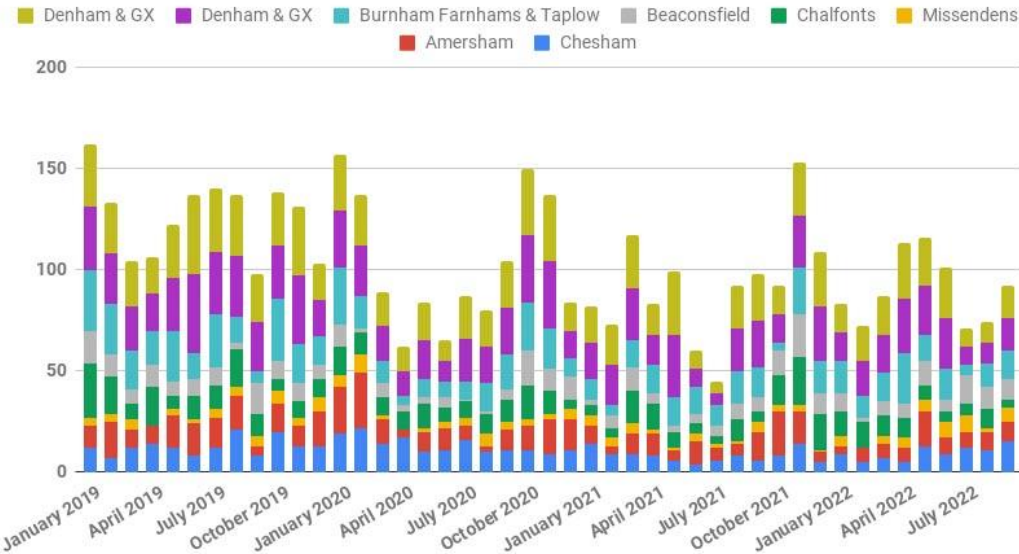
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- Total burglaries 12-month moving average rising for the past 12 months.

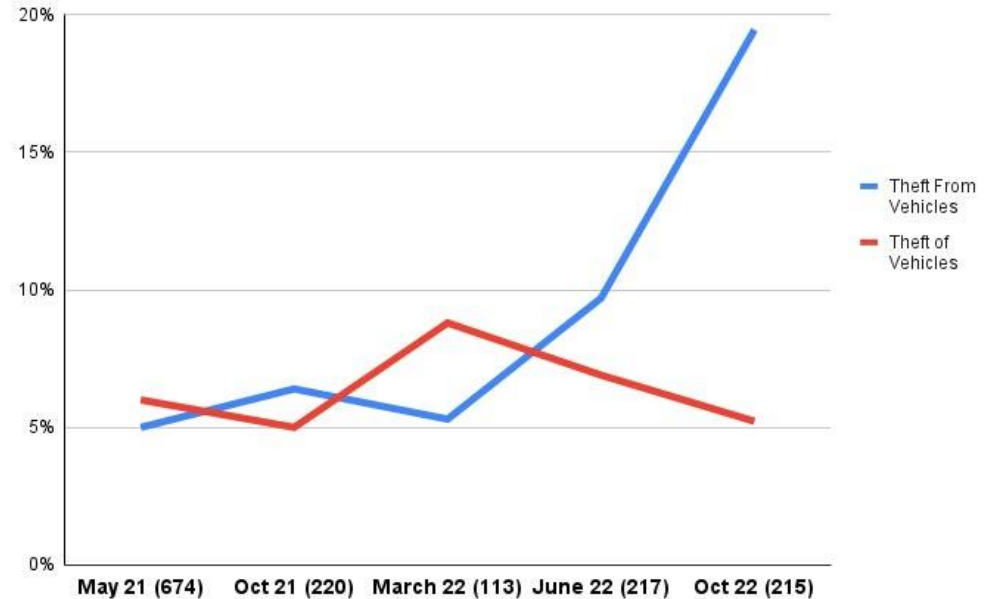
# Vehicle Crime: Reported Incidences and Residents' Concerns

Recorded Vehicle Crime - Chiltern & S Bucks 2019-2022



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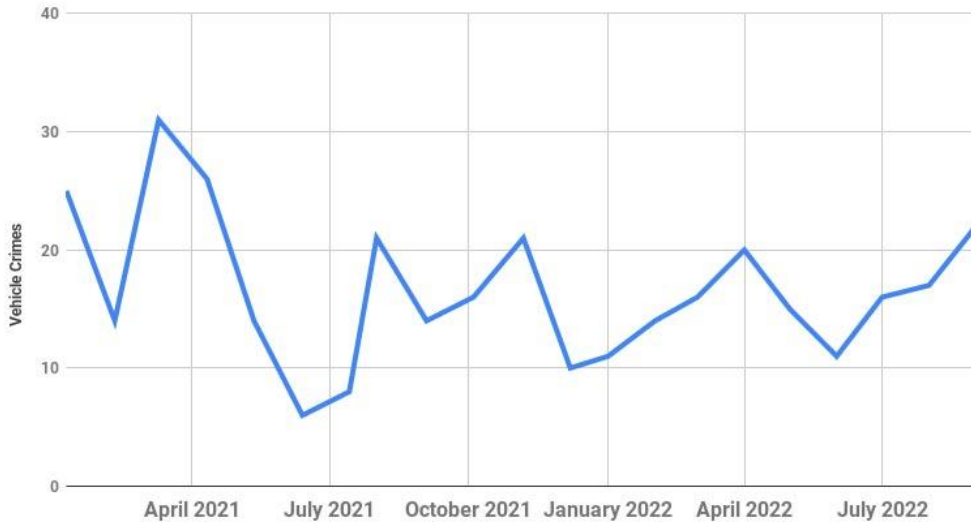
Chiltern & S Bucks Residents' Concerns from May 2021 to October 2022





# Vehicle Crime – Wexham and Iver

Recorded Vehicle Crimes: Iver, Stoke Poges & Wexham LPA



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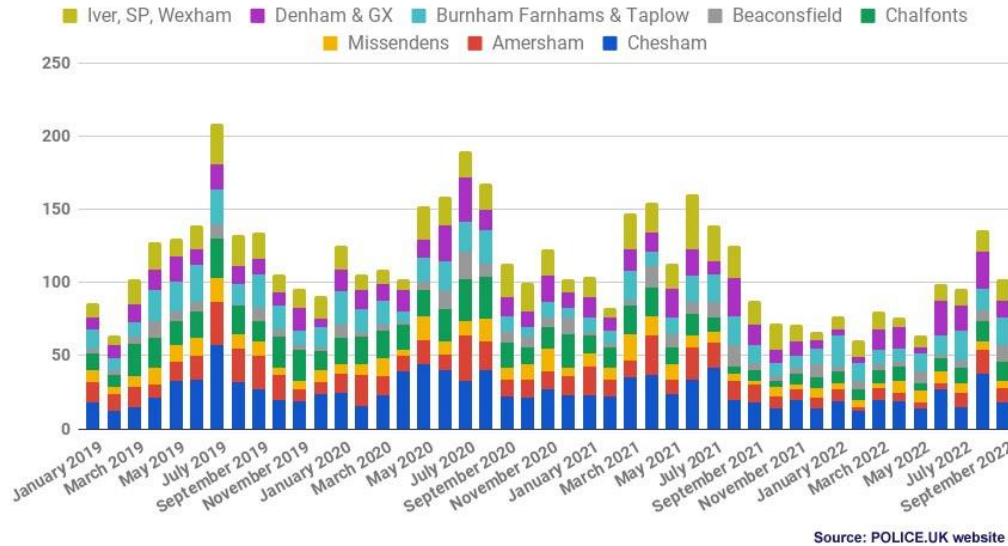
'Theft from Vehicles' Concern - all areas and Wexham & Iver CB



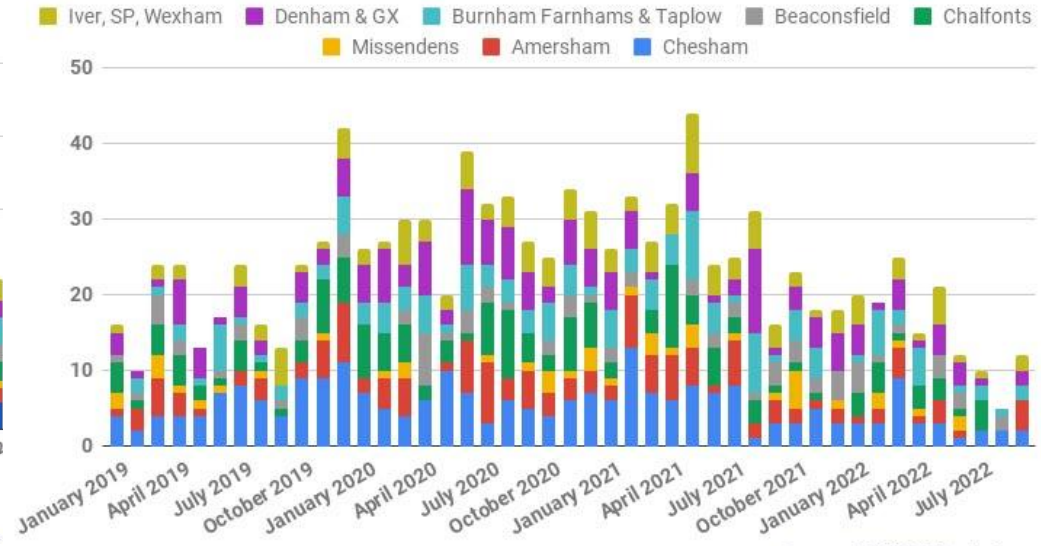
- NUMEROUS social media posts re catalytic convertor, keyless car thefts – not so evident in reported numbers?
- Heightened level of concern reflecting violent nature of catalytic convertor gangs?
- “One of the more common victim-based crimes.” Residents of ALL areas should be aware and taking precautions

# ASB and Drugs – Recorded Crime 2019-22

Recorded Anti-Social Behaviour Incidents 2019-2022



Drugs Crime 2019-2022



- More graphs, data available at [www.csb-forum.org/nov22-meeting/](http://www.csb-forum.org/nov22-meeting/), also latest TVP newsletters etc

# Thank You



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- *supporting the process for identifying and setting areas of focus for the Chiltern & South Bucks LPA Neighbourhood Police teams.*
- *promoting meaningful engagement between local residents and Neighbourhood Police teams.*
- *encouraging community engagement, by individuals, businesses and other stakeholders.*
- *our overall goal is to help make the Chiltern & South Bucks community more resilient, and for Chiltern and South Bucks to be a better, safer place to live and work.*