**Community Experiences of Serious Organised Crime in Scotland**

**Stakeholder Interview Themes**

Description of job, including experience of working on issues related to serious and organised crime

Perceptions of serious and organised crime in Scotland

* In your view what are the most significant forms of serious and organised crime currently affecting Scottish communities?
  + Probe: drugs, smuggling, financial crime, violence, protection
* Has the profile of serious and organised crime changed at all during your working life?
  + Probe: changing places/spaces; online contexts; mobility
* Can you give an example of successful and unsuccessful strategies of dealing with serious and organised crime in Scotland?
* Are there issues you feel are important to understanding serious and organised crime in Scotland that are not currently being addressed?

Perceptions of community impact of serious and organised crime

* In your experience, what are the major ways in which serious and organised crime impacts on communities in Scotland?
  + Probe: perceptions of community; meanings associated with ‘serious’ crime
* If you had to describe the kinds of relationship that exist between serious/organised crime and communities in Scotland, what would you say?
  + Probe: positive/negative; age profile; fear of crime
* In what ways do these impacts differ according to different types of serious and organised crime, and different kinds of community?
  + Probe: comparison with neighbouring communities.
* If you were to suggest sites for a study of this kind – suitably anonymised – where would they be?
  + Probe: Refer to long list of potential fieldsites.