



## **BROADLAND HOMEWATCH ASSOCIATION**

Since the reorganisation of HomeWatch by Norfolk Constabulary last year, it would appear that in Broadland, out of over 500 HomeWatch co-ordinators registered on the old Ringmaster system, only just over 200 have re-registered on the new Police Direct Messaging system.

This is a very worrying situation, for while Broadland is one of the safest places to live in the UK we must not be complacent, HomeWatch is one of the most effective methods of reducing crime and the fear of crime.

While we realise that some co-ordinators will have moved away, passed on or given up we cannot believe that this applies to over half of co-ordinators, this pattern is common over the whole of Norfolk.

Please contact me

If you are a co-ordinator who has not re-registered or have tried to re-register without success.

If you are in a road with HomeWatch signs up and do not appear to have a local co-ordinator and feel you would like to restart a scheme.

If you would like information in how to set up and run a new scheme.

HomeWatch schemes are not difficult to set up and run and plenty of help and advice is available.

Roy Robson Chairman of Broadland HomeWatch Association.

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