Goal: Crime Reduction

Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED):

CPTED trainings empower community members to assess homes and businesses for safety. Trained assessors work with property owners to identify physical design strategies to enhance property security.

Key Partners: Kettering University, Flint Urban Safety Corps

BY THE NUMBERS

Kettering University trained 70 community members and 9 organizations in CPTED

- **Mott Park**
  - 12 Assessments.
  - 1 CPTED change completed.

- **Glendale/Sunset**
  - 7 assessments.
  - 4 CPTED changes completed.

- **Carriage Town**
  - 3 assessments.

Policing

Multiple police departments addressed crime around open-air drug markets and a blighted party store in the Stevenson neighborhood:

- Party store improved health, safety and appearance.
- A police raid and eviction closed 2 drug houses.
- Daily police visits and traffic stops reduced open-air drug dealing.

Key Partners: University of Michigan-Flint Department of Public Safety, Flint Police Department, Michigan State Police, Genesee County Sheriff Department, Genesee County Health Department

About RENEW THE AVENUE: A 3-year grant (2015-2017) from the US Department of Justice to Kettering University is funding crime reduction through blight elimination and community engagement in three neighborhoods of the University Avenue corridor in Flint, Michigan.
Bike Patrols

The Flint Urban Safety Corps puts eyes on the street for safety with a new fleet of bike patrols in the Stevenson neighborhood. During regular weekly patrols, Flint Urban Safety Corps members interact with neighbors and report crime, dumping, and other suspicious activity.

Key Partners: Flint Urban Safety Corps

BY THE NUMBERS

**Stevenson**

12 Flint Urban Safety Corps members completed 13 two-hour bike patrols.

WHAT’S NEXT?

Sustaining crime reduction activities in Stevenson.

Initiating similar crime reduction strategies in a second neighborhood.

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