

POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

Meeting to be held on 8 March 2016

Police & Crime Commissioner Decisions

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of the report is to highlight decisions made and published by the Police and Crime Commissioner for Lancashire in the period since the last meeting of the Panel on the 25 January 2016.

RECOMMENDATION

The Panel is asked to consider the report and raise any issues identified on the decisions presented.

1 Background

- 1.1. Under Section 28(6) of the Police Reform and Social responsibility Act 2011, the Panel is obliged to review or scrutinise decisions made, or other action taken, by the Police and Crime Commissioner's functions and, where necessary, make reports or recommendations to the Police and Crime Commissioner with respect to the discharge of the Commissioner's functions.
- 1.2. The Commissioner is under a statutory obligation under the terms of the Specified Information Order to publish details of decisions of significant public interest. In more general terms under Section 13 of the 2011 Act, the Commissioner is obliged to ensure that he provides the Panel with any information that it might reasonably require to allow it to carry out its functions. This would include the provision of information regarding the Commissioner's decisions and actions, irrespective of whether they were to be considered to be of 'significant public interest'.
- 1.3. In this respect, the Commissioner publishes on his website all decisions he has made.
- 1.4. Further details on all these decisions are available for scrutiny on the Commissioner's Website at:-

<http://lancashire-pcc.gov.uk/meetings-and-decisions/decisions/>
- 1.5. Additionally, Members may access the Strategic Scrutiny Agenda and Minutes at

<http://lancashire-pcc.gov.uk/meetings-and-decisions/meetings-and-reports/strategic-scrutiny-meetings/>

and the Joint Management Board papers at

<http://lancashire-pcc.gov.uk/meetings-and-decisions/meetings-and-reports/joint-management-board/>

2 Decisions made and/or published since the last scheduled meeting of the Police and Crime Panel

2.1 Drawing on the information published on the Commissioner's website, a number of decisions have been made since the report to the Panel at its last meeting on 25 January 2016. These are set out in the table below.

Decision Reference	Decision Title	PCC Priority	Date of Decision
2015/68	Victims Funding Ministry of Justice – Young People Services	Champion the Rights of the Victim/ Protect Vulnerable People	18 th Jan '16
2015/69 (restricted)	Staffing Matter	Governance	11 th Jan '16
2015/70	Community Action Fund Applications	All	2 nd Feb '16
2015/71	Financial position as at 31 December 2015	Governance	4 th Feb '16
2015/72	National ICT Company	Governance	12 th Feb '16
2015/73	Revenue Budget and Council Tax for 2016/17 and Capital Investment Programme for 2016/17 and Future Years	Governance	16 th Feb '16
2015/74	Internal Audit Review – Commissioning of Victims' Services	Champion the rights of Victims, vulnerable people	16 th Feb '16
2015/75	Awards to Community and voluntary organisations from PoCA receipts	All	23 rd Feb '16

3 Conclusion

3.1 Since the Panel's last meeting, the Commissioner has published 8 decisions

3.2 In accordance with its statutory duty, the Panel has the opportunity to scrutinise and review the decisions made and published.