POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

Meeting to be held on 20 June 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 8 March 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/

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 8 March 2016. These are set out in the table below.

Decision Reference	Decision Title	PCC Priority	Date of Decision
2015/76	Request for Proceeds of Crime Act (POCA) funding towards collaborative purchase of Small Unmanned Aerial System (sUAS) with Lancashire Fire and Rescue Service	All	24 February 2016
2015/77	Community Action Fund Applications	All	3 March 2016
2015/78 (restricted)	Acceptance of a tender for the provision of kennelling for dangerous dogs for the period 1st April 2016 to 31st March 2017 with the option to extend the contract until 31st March 2020	Governance Reducing crime and re-offending	4 March 2016
2015/79 (restricted)	Acceptance of a tender – provision of computer related hardware and software	Governance	21 March 2016
2015/80	Support for trust house and young victims funding 2015/16	Supporting victims of Crime Protecting Vulnerable People	21 March 2016
2015/81	Community Safety Funding 2016/17	All	21 March 2016
2015/82	Lancashire Victim Services – On-going Provision of Services	Supporting Victims of Crime Protecting Vulnerable People	23 March 2016
2015/83	Community Action Fund Applications	All	21 March 2016
2015/84	Lancashire Victim Services – Continuation of Victim Support Contract	Champion the rights of victims	21 M arch 2016
2015/85	Combination Agreement – Pennine Community Safety Partnership	Partnership working	22 March 2016

2015/86	Victims Consultation and a review of Lancashire Victim Services	Champion the rights of victims	23 March 2016
2015/87	Development of a Forensic Academy Strategic Alliance	All	23 March 2016
2015/88	Allocation of the 2016/17 Revenue Budget	Governance	23 March 2016
2015/89	Treasury Management Policy and Strategy 2016/17	Governance	29 March 2016
2015/90	National Police Coordination Centre ("NPOCC") Collaboration Agreement	Supports the national response to strategic policing threats	31 March 2016
2015/91 (restricted)	Renewal of insurance 2016/17	Governance	31March 2016
2015/92	Request for Funding – Community Solutions North West	Reducing crime and re-offending	7 March 2016

3 Conclusion

- 3.1 Since the Panel's last meeting, the Commissioner has published 17 decisions
- 3.2 In accordance with its statutory duty, the Panel has the opportunity to scrutinise and review the decisions made and published.