

POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

Meeting to be held on 6 December 2021

Draft Police & Crime Plan 2021-2025

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This covering report presents the PCC's Police and Crime Plan 2021-2025 for Lancashire.

RECOMMENDATION

The Panel is asked to note the Police and Crime Plan 2021 – 2025.

Background

- 1 The Police and Crime Commissioner is required to issue a Police & Crime Plan by the end of the financial year in which he or she is elected (31 March 2022).
- 2 Section 5 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 ('The Act') specifies that, before issuing or varying a police and crime plan, a PCC must send the draft plan or variation to the relevant police and crime panel and have regard to any report or recommendations made by the panel in relation to the draft plan.
- 3 Panel will recall in a previous report submitted on the 12 October 2021, members were advised of the extensive engagement and consultation that had taken place through the summer with Lancashire Constabulary, members of the public, victims of crime, stakeholders and public sector partners to ensure a broad range of opinion and local data and evidence has shaped the plan priorities.
- 4 Following the review of the draft Police and Crime Plan at the October meeting further discussions have taken place with the Chief Constable and partners and the attached final version of the Police and Crime Plan will be formally published on the on 9 December 2021.
- 5 The Commissioner wishes to place on record his gratitude for the time given by panel members to consider and scrutinise the process ensuring that the Plan meets its statutory requirements.
- 6 The Commissioner is now delivering on the priorities and commitments contained in the Plan and an update report is provided to the Panel at the March meeting.

Implications Financial

15. The plan considers current financial and budgetary implications and will be monitored through existing governance arrangements.

Legal

16. The Plan has been developed in accordance with the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011.

HR

17. HR Implications are monitored through the Police and Crime Plan and the existing governance arrangements.

Equality

18. The Police and Crime Plan has been subject to an equality impact assessment.

Recommendation

19. The Panel is asked to discuss and note the Police and Crime Plan 2021-2025.