

POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR LEICESTERSHIRE DECISION RECORD

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DECISION OF POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

Date: 31/10/16

Officers present: Angela Perry, Andrew Dale, Liz McDermott, Simon Down

Received in OPCC Date: 17/10/16

OPCC Ref: EXE0011/16

Title: Decision to approve additional funding to invest in prevention and detection of hate crime.

Summary of Issue:

Following the EU Referendum, the Police and Crime Commissioner has highlighted concerns regarding the increase in hate incidents and hate crimes reported across the UK.

The Police and Crime Commissioner has sought and received regular updates from the Force in terms of hate crimes and incidences and the measures taken to increase the awareness, reporting and investigation of these hidden crimes. Additionally, the Police and Crime Commissioner has provided regular updates to the Police and Crime Panel since June 2016.

The Police and Crime Commissioner met with the Force Hate crime officer on a number of occasions to discuss how these additional needs could be met and this Decision Record outlines his intention to provide additional investment in this area.

This decision record relates to the release of funding to tackle hate crime as informed by Leicestershire Police's Hate Crime delivery plan and the Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland (LLR) Action Plan for tackling hate crime.

Recommendation(s) presented:

To release funding (£21,000) to invest in the prevention and detection of hate crime.

Key discussion points

Since the EU referendum the number of hate crime and hate incidences have increased and the PCC intends to provide investment of £21,000 to invest in prevention and detection of hate crime.

OFFICE OF PCC APPROVAL

Chief Executive or Chief Finance Officer:

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that appropriate advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner

Signature: 

Title: *DEPUTY S151 OFFICER*

Name: *ANDREW DALE*

Date: *20/10/2016*

Publication Scheme

Decision of Monitoring Officer:

As Monitoring Officer for the Office of Police and Crime Commissioner for Leicestershire I have determined that:

It is appropriate to publish this record of decision made by the Police and Crime Commissioner **Yes** / Part Redacted / No

It is appropriate to publish the contents of the report proposing this course of action prepared by either of the senior post holders in the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Leicestershire (i.e. either the Chief Executive or Chief Finance Officer) : **Yes** / Part Redacted / No

It is appropriate to publish details of the decision by the Police and Crime Commissioner for Leicestershire **Yes** / Part Redacted / No

Reasons for any non Publication (referencing appropriate legislation):

Signature: 
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DEPUTY Monitoring Officer

Name: *ANGELA PERRY*

Date: *20/10/16*

Police and Crime Commissioner for Leicestershire

Having received the advice set out above and reviewed relevant documentation my decision in regard of this matter is:

APPROVED / NOT APPROVED

Signature: W. Ball

Date: 31.10.16