

# POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR LEICESTERSHIRE ***DECISION RECORD***

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## DECISION OF POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

**Date:** 21<sup>st</sup> May 2020

**Officers present:** The Police and Crime Commissioner, Simon Down, Michael Macleod, Liz McDermott and Yakub Ismail.

**Received in OPCC Date:** 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020

**OPCC Ref:** EXE0016/20

**Title: Police and Crime Commissioners (PCC) Prevention Fund – Round 29 Successful Bids**

### **Summary of Issue:**

In his Commissioning Framework for 2017/18, the Police and Crime Commissioner launched his grant programme, named the Police and Crime Commissioner's (PCC's) Prevention Fund. This fund has since been extended through the 2018-21 Commissioning Framework, the 2019/20 Commissioning Framework refresh and the 2020-21Commissioning Framework. The purpose of the Fund is to support the achievement of the objectives within the Police and Crime Plan.

The Prevention Fund is a rolling grants programme throughout the year and bid applications are considered by the PCC on a monthly basis.

For any funding bids where a second years funding is approved, the second year funding is provided in principle subject to effective delivery and performance in year one.

### **Grants awarded- Round 29**

During Round 29, the PCC considered four bid applications. All applications were assessed in line with the Prevention Fund Grant criteria and on the 21<sup>st</sup> May 2020 the applications were presented to the PCC for final approval.

The PCC reviewed these applications together with the officers present and the PCC agreed to fund three applications.

The PCC approved to fund three bid in Round 29:

2020/21 £5,600.00  
£6,096.00  
£3,665.00

This equates to a further funding commitment for round 29 of £15,361 for 2020/21.

**Recommendation(s) presented:****Round 29:**

Organisation	Name of project	Project brief	Geographical area	Amount of funding bid for year 1 £	Amount of funding bid for year 2 £
Leicester Community Benefit	Emergency Food and sanitary products	The organisation are requesting funding to buy essential food items and sanitary products to give to beneficiaries during the crisis. The project will also cover transport costs to enable the collection and delivery of food to vulnerable people.	Leicester	£5,600.00	
Leicester Search and Rescue	Personal Protective Equipment and Thermal Image Cameras	This project will allow the team to purchase additional equipment to help locate missing people quickly and also check for areas of dense undergrowth. The organisation are looking to purchase six thermal cameras and 44 SAR helmets	Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland and the wider East Midlands area through Lowland Rescue mutual aid agreements.	£6,096.00	
Women 4 Change	Language and Culture	The outline of the project is to provide language translation and assistance to families during the pandemic. The project will deliver a telephone support line, this will be available throughout the course of the day and evening between 10am and 4pm (flexible for evenings), for the next 3 months.	Inner City Leicester	£3,665.00	

**Key discussion points**

All bid applications were discussed in detail with the final decision on all bids made by the PCC.

**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:** 

**Name:** Paul Hindson

**Date:** 29/9/20

### **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**

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**

It is appropriate to publish details of the decision by the Police and Crime Commissioner for Leicestershire : **Yes**

**Reasons for any non Publication (referencing appropriate legislation): None**

**Signature:** 

**Name:** Angela Perry

**Date:** 29 May 2020

### **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:

**Supported**

**Signature** 

**Date:** 06/10/20