

# POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR LEICESTERSHIRE *DECISION RECORD*

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## DECISION OF POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

**Date: 15<sup>th</sup> August**

**Officers present: The Police and Crime Commissioner, Mike Veale, Charlotte Highcock, Kaitlin Trenerry, Heather Pearce**

**Received in OPCC Date:**

**OPCC Ref: EXE0027-23**

**Title: Police and Crime Commissioners (PCC) Commissioners Safety Fund – Round 3  
Children and Young People Successful Bids**

### Summary of Issue:

In 2021/22 the Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) launched his grant programme, The Commissioner's Safety Fund. The Commissioners Safety fund is grants programme with 6 rounds per year alternating between generic and specialist themed rounds. This decision record relates to the third, specialist round- Children and Young People

#### **Grants awarded - Round 2**

6 applications were received, all of which met the eligibility criteria. All applications were assessed in line with the Commissioners Safety Fund criteria and on the 15<sup>th</sup> of August the applications were presented to the PCC for final approval.

The PCC approved to fund 5 bids in Round 3:

2022/23	£10,000.00
	£9,995.00
	£9,750.00
	£9,700.00
	£9,604.00

This equates to a funding commitment for round 3 of £49,049.00 for 2022/23.

The 6<sup>th</sup> bid was not approved due to it only benefitting 12 people and lacking assurance on their financial situation

**Recommendation(s) presented:**

<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Name of Project</b>	<b>Project Brief</b>	<b>Geographical Area</b>	<b>Amount of Funding</b>
African Network	Criminal Justice Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To provide grassroots crime prevention programmes and training to young black Africans at risk of offending</li><li>• To deliver pro-active antisocial behaviour and crime prevention amongst young black people in LLR</li><li>• To educate young black males on the Criminal Justice System and the Peelian Principles of Policing in England and Wales.</li></ul>	LLR - Beaumont Leys	£9,995.00
Leicester Tigers Foundation	The Jungle - Leicester Tigers Foundation Youth Hub	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To provide 'The Jungle', a two day a week youth club open to young people between the ages of 11-14. Sessions will run between 16:00 – 17:30 to allow young people to attend directly from school</li><li>• To engage 114 young people who will each have the opportunity to attend for a minimum of 6 weeks</li><li>• To provide a safe and aspirational setting to prevent young people from participating in violent crime and harmful lifestyles</li></ul>	City - 2 mile radius of Mattioli Woods Welford Road Stadium	£10,000.00
Somali Development Services CIC	Intervening Before Crime	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To recruit a specialist Youth Worker to work with young people, assess their needs, refer onto youth mentoring and support programme</li><li>• To support young people who are at risk of falling into crime, by providing alternative activities, and guiding them towards a positive life free from crime</li><li>• To tackle anti-social behaviour through delivering sessions of peer mentoring and providing a programme of positive actions</li></ul>	City Centre	£9,750.00
St Phillips Centre	Cops Community Consent in Colleges	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To develop and expand existing Cops Community Consent project</li><li>• To run 3 Expo events in LLR Sixth Form or Further Education colleges which will raise awareness of Police careers and key anti-crime messages</li><li>• To expand and create new joint Police-SPC seminars titled 'Community Cases' which will focus on crime priorities</li><li>• To deliver 2 RISE establishment young adults' leadership programmes which will incorporate the raising of awareness of key crime priorities. To</li></ul>	City & County	£9,700.00

		be delivered in partnership with Leicestershire Police		
Women 4 Change	Change to Heal Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To provide an open-access weekly youth club located in St Matthews Centre every Wednesday 6pm - 9pm, targeting Somali males aged 14-21</li> <li>• To provide a safe space for young people to spend time, build positive relationships, try new activities and sports, and become educated and aware of key topics</li> <li>• To strengthen protective factors in the Somali youth by providing positive role models through staff, positive opportunities and new activities</li> <li>• To be delivered in line with advice and guidance from VRN</li> </ul>	City - St Matthew's	£9,604.00

**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: Kira Hughes**

**Date: 06/10/2022**

**Publication Scheme**

**Decision of Monitoring Officer:**

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

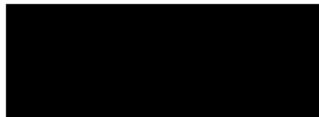
It is appropriate to publish this record of decision made by the Police and Crime Commissioner : **Yes**

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:** Elizabeth Starr

**Date:** 7/10/22

**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:**7/10/22