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POLICE AND CRIME PLAN (2015-16) - THEME 3 PROGRESS TO DATE

TO FOCUS ON PRIORITY CRIME TYPES AND THOSE LOCAL AREAS THAT ARE MOST AFFECTED BY CRIME AND ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

- 1.1 This report presents the Police and Crime Panel (Panel) with an update (as requested) on strategic activity being undertaken in respect of Theme 3 of the Police and Crime Commissioner's (Commissioner) Police and Crime Plan (2015-16).
- 1.2 In accordance with section 13 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility (PR&SR) Act 2011 and subject to certain restrictions, the Commissioner must provide the Panel with any information which the Panel may reasonably require in order to carry out its functions. The Commissioner may also provide the Panel with any other information which he thinks appropriate.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 The Panel to note the contents of this report, consider and discuss the issues and seek assurances from the Commissioner on any issues Members have concerns with.

3. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

3.1 To provide the Panel with information so that they can review the steps the Commissioner is taking to fulfil his pledges and provide sufficient information to enable the Panel to fulfil its statutory role.

4. Summary of Key Points

POLICING AND CRIME PLAN - (2015-18) - THEME 3

PERFORMANCE TO JANUARY 2016

- 4.1 Performance against refreshed targets and measures across Theme 3 and the other 6 themes together with insight is contained in the Performance section of the Commissioner's web site to January 2016.^a
- 4.2 A summary of performance to January 2016 for Theme 3 is shown in the table below. The Commissioner's Performance Update report is submitted as another agenda item for this Panel meeting and provides insight on all performance issues albeit by exception and to avoid duplication is not restated herein.

STRATEGIC PRIORITY THEME 3: Focus on those priority crime types and local areas that are most affected by crime and anti-social behaviour							
Measure		Objective / Target		Performance April to Jan-16			
1	Reduction in All Crime across the force	a)	A reduction in All Crime compared to 2014-15	+(0.6%		
		b)	A reduction in Victim-Based Crime compared to 2014-15	+0.6%			
		c)	A reduction in Victim-Based Crime compared to 2011-12	-3.7%			
		d)	To monitor the number of offences in those local areas which experience a high level of crime	City- 5.0%	County +2.0%		
		e)	To monitor the proportion of rural crime compared to 2014-15	13	2.1%		
2	Reduction in Anti- Social Behaviour	a) F	Reduction of ASB compared to 2014-15	-2	1.7%		
	(ASB) incidents across the force	b) Long-term target of 50% reduction by end of 2015-2016 (compared to 2011-12 baseline)		-36.4%			
3	The detection rate (including Positive Outcomes) for Victim-Based Crimes	 a) An increase in the detection rate for Victim- Based Crime 		-2.7%			
		b)	 b) To monitor the proportion of Community Resolution disposals 		14.6%		
		c)	To monitor the detection rate for All Crime	-3	3.5%		

THEME 3 STRATEGIC ACTIVITIES

4.3 Appendix A of the Commissioner's refreshed Police and Crime Plan (2015-16) provides a detailed overview of the Commissioner's Strategic Framework, outlining the priorities and supporting strategic actions to be delivered. The intention of these activities is to support the achievement of the above measures. The table below provides a list of the strategic activities for Theme 3. These are a direct extract from the Police and Crime Plan (2015-16) previously submitted to the

http://www.nottinghamshire.pcc.police.uk/Document-Library/Public-Information/Performance/2016/Performance-and-Insight-Report-to-January-2016.pdf

Panel as part of the consultation process and are included in this report as a reminder of the range of activity being undertaken.

Ref	THEME 3 - STRATEGIC ACTIVITIES – POLICE AND CRIME PLAN (2015-16)				
3C1.	Continue to support partnership working in high crime neighbourhoods in the City and County.				
3C2.	Commission and produce an ASB leaflet to improve public and partners understanding of new ASB powers and tools				
3C3.	Implement a 'target hardening scheme with County Council.				
3C4.	Work with Partners and Force to better understand and respond to wildlife crime in rural areas (see also 3F2).				
3C5.	Better understand 'fear of crime' and how it can be reduced.				
3F1.	Implement operational control strategies for priority crime types.				
3F2.	Work with partners to protect local environments and Wildlife Crime 'through' cross border working.				
3F3.	Develop a mechanism for defining and monitoring rural crime by postcode if possible.				
3F4.	Roll out a case management system to improve the sharing of information between partners (e.g. ECINS).				
3F5.	Consider extending Operation Graduate in the City to cover holiday periods and extend to the County.				
3F6.	Further develop a Control Plan for Other Violence so incidents are fully understood/responded to.				
3F7.	Monitor 'Other Crimes Against Society', 'Other Sexual Offences' and 'Sexual Offences', 'Vehicle Interference' and 'Public Order Offences'.				
3P1.	Design and implement a new 'Neighbourhood Locality Working Model' in the County and align with City wide tasking model.				
3P2.	Develop a better understanding of agencies roles, responsibilities and powers to improve local tasking arrangements and locality working.				
3P3.	Develop stronger links between Nottinghamshire Road Safety Partnership and District community safety partnerships to improve road safety.				

- 4.4 These activities are refreshed each year in support of the Plan and lead officers assigned to take responsibility for the delivery and implementation. A written update is provided to the Panel twice a year at six months and twelve months. The Commissioner's Annual Report provides a 12 month overview against targets and actions within the Police and Crime Plan.
- 4.5 **Appendix A** of this report contains an extract of the written responses provided to the Panel on 2nd November 2015 for Theme 3. This particular theme has been especially updated for the Panel. A 12 month written update report is currently being prepared for the Panel to show progress on all activity to 31st March 2016. This will be submitted to the Panel meeting on 6th June 2016.
- 4.6 However, a more detailed Case Study report of one specific strategic activity has been prepared for the Panel and is contained in **Appendix B** of this report. This Case Study relates to **3P1** above i.e. 'Design and implement a new 'Neighbourhood Locality Working Model' in the County and align with City wide tasking model.'
- 4.7 In this respect, following the review of Police Priority Areas (PPAs) in Nottinghamshire in September 2014 work led by the Deputy Chief Fire Officer was completed with workshops and stakeholders to improve standards, delivery, performance, community engagement and a self-assessment framework. The

- outcome of this work was reported to the October 2015 meeting of the Safer Nottinghamshire Board (SNB).
- 4.8 The Commissioner has provided funding to support locality working and will do so in 2016-17 to continue to support this work.
- 4.9 The Case Study provides an example of how the principles of the new 'Local Working Model' has been developed and implemented in New Cross a complex located within Ashfield District Council.
- 4.10 It will be seen that crime levels in the New Cross project area are much better than other Partnership Plus areas and Ashfield overall especially in respect of antisocial behaviour, serious acquisitive crime, criminal damage and violent crime. A survey of individuals supported by the project indicates that their lives have improved in a number of areas including health, community, housing, money and work.

5. Financial Implications and Budget Provision

5.1 Financial issues relevant to this report are contained in other reports submitted to the Panel.

6. Human Resources Implications

6.1 None - this is an information report.

7. Equality Implications

7.1 None that relate to this specific report.

8. Risk Management

8.1 Risks to performance are identified in the main body of the report together with information on how risks are being mitigated.

9. Policy Implications and links to the Police and Crime Plan Priorities

9.1 The Commissioner included a strategic activity in his current Police and Crime Plan to: "Design and implement a new 'Neighbourhood Locality Working Model' in the County and align with City wide tasking model." The Case Study contained in Appendix B prepared by Ashfield District Council's Service Director for Environment, provides an example of a new locality working model implemented in New Cross in Ashfield.

10. Changes in Legislation or other Legal Considerations

10.1 None that directly relates to this report.

11. Details of outcome of consultation

11.1 The Case Study contained within **Appendix B** has been prepared by officers of Ashfield Borough Council.

12. Appendices

- A. Extract of the 6 month written responses provided to the Panel on 2nd November 2015 re Theme 3 of the Police and Crime Delivery Plan (2015-16) Updated for the Panel.
- B. Case Study A locality working model piloted in Ashfield (New Cross)

13. Background Papers (relevant for Police and Crime Panel Only)

Police and Crime Plan 2015-2018 (published)

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