Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Police and Crime Panel

Section 106 Funding Scrutiny Review - Task and Finish Group

Terms of Reference

1. Role and Purpose of the Group

The Task and Finish group has been established to scrutinise the effectiveness of arrangements to obtain and use funding from developers to meet community policing needs resulting from new developments (referred to as s106. Funding).

2. Scope of the Task and Finish Group

The review will include:

How the process is working at the moment to examine the mechanics of the existing process and the channels of communication between the OPCC/Police and its key partners.

Whether it is resulting in the best value for LLR Police and if that is not the case how barriers to that objective can be overcome.

3. Method

As a task and finish group of the Panel, meetings will not usually be held in public and access to information rules for the public will not apply to these meetings.

The review will include:

- evidence gathering of current practice and process, and analysis and any best practice from elsewhere.
- relevant supporting research reports and documents.
- views of officers/members through round table discussions.

4. Membership

The task and finish group shall be made up of at least 4 members. All members of the PCP are eligible for membership of the task and finish group and the group should where possible seek to be a cross party and across area group.

The group may request additional members of the PCP to contribute to the activities of the group as they find advantageous in the course of their considerations. The group may also invite representatives of the OPCC or other expert advisers to attend meetings in order to provide advice, but these will not be full members of the task and finish group.

5. Outcomes

The task and finish group will provide a summary report of their findings to the Full Panel outlining the evidence received and presenting any lines of enquiry or recommendations to the Police and Crime Commissioner.