

# POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR LEICESTERSHIRE

## POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

Report Of	POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER
Subject	POLICE AND CRIME PLAN UPDATE
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### **Purpose of Report**

1. To provide the Panel with a brief update of the Commissioner's Police and Crime Plan.

### **Recommendation**

2. The Panel is recommended to discuss, comment and note the contents of the report

### **Background**

3. The Police and Crime plan was initially drafted on 30<sup>th</sup> July 2021. The Commissioner wanted to have the widest possible consultation rather than the bare minimum that is required. Since this date the plan has been amended and adapted to incorporate the views and priorities of a variety of stakeholders. The key dates in this iterative process can be found below.
4. The plan was also sent to the Chief Constable and other members of the Chief Officer team on the above date. The Chief Constable and members of the Chief Officer Team also received redrafted versions throughout the process. The first redraft was sent to the Chief Constable and the Chief Officer Team for appraisal on 20<sup>th</sup> August and 21<sup>st</sup> September. Meetings were also held between the Force and the OPCC to discuss the plan.
5. The Commissioner sent the plan to MPs across Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland for comments and feedback on the 30<sup>th</sup> July, also.
6. The Commissioner took the latest iteration of the Police and Crime plan to the Police and Crime Panel on the 13<sup>th</sup> September. The members chose to discuss and feedback on the plan in a closed session.
7. On 27<sup>th</sup> September, the Commissioner asked every household in Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland for their views on the Police and Crime Plan. The public consultation for the Police and Crime Plan closed on the 18<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

## **Next Steps**

8. The responses to the public consultation are currently being analysed by the staff within the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner and being prepared into a briefing for the Commissioner who may amend his plan according to the public's priorities and feedback.
9. Following the public consultation, the Police and Crime plan will be sent to the Chief Constable and Chief Officers to approve any further changes as a result of the consultation.
10. The final version of the Police and Crime plan will be signed off at the Corporate Governance board on the 14<sup>th</sup> December and presented to the Police and Crime Panel at the January meeting.
11. The Commissioner, OPCC and Force have a joint Police and Crime Plan planning meeting scheduled for Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> November to discuss and align the Force priorities with that in the Police and Crime plan and jointly work on a process for monitoring delivery against these priorities.
12. The Force and OPCC will ensure there are tangible outcomes, underpinned with strong performance data and activity is specifically aligned to the ongoing budget building process.
13. Following sign off of the Police and Crime Plan, the OPCC and Force will work collaboratively to design and implement delivery plans outlining what success looks like for the priorities and ambitions in the Police and Crime plan and build this into the Corporate Governance Board reporting cycle.
14. This approach will create greater accountability and scrutiny opportunities in line with a strong performance framework. The Police and Crime Plan will compliment and support other areas of Force business and will create greater organisational coherence to deliver high quality services.

## **Implications**

Financial : None

Legal : The Police and Crime Commissioner has a statutory responsibility to produce a police and crime plan

Equality Impact Assessment : None

Risks and Impact : None

Link to Police and Crime Plan : The delivery of the Plan will be monitored through the performance framework reported to the Corporate Governance Board (outlined in strategy)

Communications :

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