SURREY POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

QUARTERLY POLICE AND CRIME PLAN PROGRESS UPDATE

10th September 2013

SUMMARY

The Police and Crime Panel for Surrey scrutinises the work of the Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) for Surrey, Kevin Hurley. The PCC published the Police and Crime Plan in March 2013. This report provides the first quarterly update, from April 2013 to June 2013, on how the PCC is progressing against the plan.

The attached document provides a detailed update against the plan. Significant areas of work carried out by the PCC and the Office of PCC in the last quarter have included:

- Issuing of grants to eight local projects totalling £97,000. This has included £31,500 to Eagle Radio to carry out online safety training in schools, £22,200 to the Rape and Sexual Abuse Support Centre in Surrey to employ a part-time Independent Sexual Violence Advisor and £21,200 to Surrey Fire and Rescue for youth engagement schemes.
- Two Crime Summits were held in Reigate and Banstead and Elmbridge boroughs where Surrey public could attend and discuss their crime and safety issues with the PCC and the local police and councils. More are planned for the Autumn.
- Surrey Police has been tasked with establishing Local Policing Boards and one has now been held in every borough and district in Surrey
- A Stage 2 Transfer Scheme has been written to submit to the Home Secretary for approval in September. This will set out which police staff will become the responsibility of the Chief Constable as opposed to those which will remain with the Police & Crime Commissioner. A more detailed report on this subject appears on the Panel's agenda.

As Members will be aware, the PCC has not set targets for Surrey Police as he believes that this has the potential to skew activity in an unhelpful way. Surrey Police do, however, continue to monitor their own performance against a number of indicators to help assess whether they are progressing against relevant parts of the Police & Crime Plan. A copy of the latest Surrey Police performance scorecard is attached. It should be noted that this information is for Members' information and it is for the PCC, rather than the Panel, to scrutinise Surrey Police on its performance against the policing elements of the Plan.

These two documents have been published on the PCC's website: <u>www.surrey-pcc.gov.uk</u>

RECOMMENDATIONS

Members of the Police and Crime Panel note the report.

EQUALITIES AND DIVERSITY IMPLICATIONS

A number of projects, grants given and updates in the plan support diverse communities and victims. These are detailed in the attached report.

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