

POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR LANCASHIRE

DECISION 2021/11 Date: 3rd AUGUST 2021

TITLE: COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP FUNDING

REPORT BY: STEFF HULL

Executive Summary

The Commissioner allocated £240,000 to the 12 district Community Safety Partnerships for 2020-2021 to address the issues of serious violence.

Each district Community Safety Partnership has up to £20,000 for projects / initiatives that support one or more of the Commissioner's priorities along with one or more of the four Lancashire Violence Reduction Network priority areas.

Due to the pressures the pandemic brought upon CSPs the then Commissioner agreed that any unallocated funding could be rolled forward into 2021-2022 recognising it has not been easy to arrange and plan projects due to Covid-19 restrictions.

This decision seeks to confirm the allocation of £16,500 from the Community Safety Fund to Hyndburn Community Safety Partnership for the initiative outlined in Appendix A.

Recommendation

The Commissioner is recommended to approve the allocation of £16,500 from the Community Safety Partnerships Fund towards the initiative outlined in Appendix A.

Signature

Police and Crime Commissioner

Date: 3rd August 2021

Part 1

Decision 2021/11 Appendix A

1. Background and Advice

The Commissioner has made up to £20,000 available for each district Community Safety Partnership for projects / initiatives that support one or more of the Commissioner's priorities along with one or more of the four Lancashire Violence Reduction Network priority areas.

This decision seeks to confirm the allocation of £16,500 from the Community Safety Partnerships fund to Hyndburn Borough Council.

1. CSP Area	Hyndburn Community Safety Partnership		
Project Name	Transport for Victims of Domestic Abuse		
Amount requested	£16,500	Match Funding	£5,000 HARV unrestricted reserves
Summary:	Hyndburn Community Safety Partnership would like to support their local domestic abuse service HARV to purchase a transit minibus to enable the service to respond quicker and support families to a place of safety. HARV will use the minibus to move families into safe accommodation, move their belongings so they do not have to leave them with the perpetrator, provide transport for service users who have access issues and disabilities, support vulnerable children and young people to attend activities and trips and deliver essential packages to the most vulnerable.		
Recommendation:	The Commissioner is recommended to approve the allocation of £16,500 from the Community Safety Partnership Fund.		

1. Consultation

N/A

2. Implications

a. Legal

None to consider.

b. Financial

The £16,500 approved will be funded from existing funds allocated to the Community Safety Partnerships.

c. Equality considerations

Equality data is currently gathered for all CSP agreement forms.

3. Background Papers

2020/14 – Violence Reduction Network and Community Safety Partnership Funding

4. Public access to information

Information in this form is subject to the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and other legislation.

Part 1 of this form will be made available on the PCC website within 3 working days of approval. Any facts/advice/recommendations that should not be made available on request should not be included in Part 1 but instead on the separate Part 2 form.

Officer declaration	Date	
LEGAL IMPLICATIONS – As above		
FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS – As above	ADC.	
	03.08.2021	
EQUALITIES IMPLICATIONS – As above		
CONSULTATION – Not applicable		
Director to the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (Monitoring Officer) I have been informed about the proposal and confirm that financial, legal and equalities 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 for Lancashire.		

Signature: