OFFICE OF THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR HUMBERSIDE DECISION RECORD

Decision Record Number: 27/2015

Title: Buddi GPS Tagging

Executive Summary:

To consider a request to extend funding for Buddi GPS Tagging for a further year following the agreement in 2014 to fund the scheme until 30 June 2015.

Commissioner Comments:

The reasons for my decision to extend the funding for Buddi GPS Tagging are as follows:

- 1. Tags used to manage the most serious offenders such as sex offenders,
- 2. There are clear benefits in terms of addressing re-offending and reducing the number of people who might become victims of the most serious crimes and
- Tagging frees up police officer time and that of other agencies such as probation staff to enable them to target and manage other dangerous offenders

Decision:

That funding of £102,600 be approved in order to extend the Buddi GPS tagging scheme in 2015/16 and that the scheme be reviewed within the next 12 months to assess the timescales for the introduction of the proposed national scheme and changes in technology which could enhance the impact of tagging.

Background Report: N/A

Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside

I confirm I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with my code of conduct.

Any such interests are recorded below.

The above decision has my approval.

Signature Matthew Grove

Date 29.06.15