

**OFFICE OF THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER
FOR HUMBERSIDE
DECISION RECORD**

Decision Record Number: **07/2018**

Title: **Independent Domestic Violence Adviser – North East Lincolnshire**

Executive Summary:

The Police and Crime Commissioner has received a request for support for the provision of IDVA services in North Eastern Lincolnshire from Scunthorpe and Grimsby Rape Crisis Ltd. T/A The Blue Door. The organisation received a one off grant for the post previously from the Victims' Fund following an approval in 2016. The continued employment of an IDVA will provide emotional and practical support to high risk victims of domestic abuse. Typically these high risk victims are those who have suffered from the most serious crimes, are persistently targeted victims and the most vulnerable and intimidated victims. The IDVA will act as the voice of victims in the MARAC process and support multi-agency support networks as well as providing guidance and support to practitioners. The request to the Commissioner is to provide funding to employ and support one IDVA during 2018/19.

Decision:

That £40,000 be made available in 2018/19 from that part of the OPCC Community Safety Budget financed from the Victims Grant from the Ministry of Justice to Scunthorpe and Grimsby Rape Crisis T/A The Blue Door to enable an IDVA to be employed to provide services in North East Lincolnshire.

Background Report: N/A

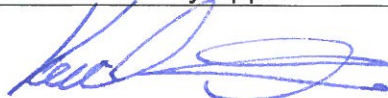
Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside

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



Date 12-3-2018.