



OFFICE OF THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER RESPONSE TO HUMBERSIDE POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

Feedback on draft Police and Crime Plan Observations and Recommendations 20 January 2017

There is statute in place to ensure the Police and Crime Panel give appropriate regard, review and make recommendations prior to the publication of a Commissioner's Police and Crime Plan, which the Commissioner must then take into account and respond to as a matter of public record.

In accordance with section 28(3) of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011, the Panel must review any changes to the Police and Crime Plan and make a report to the Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC).

The PCC must consider the Panel's report prior to publication of the Plan.

On 10 January 2017, the Humberside Police and Crime Panel considered the draft plan for April 2017 to March 2021.

The PCC attended the meeting and presented his Plan to the Panel.

On 17 January 2017 the Humberside OPCC received written feedback from the Police and Crime Panel with their observations and three recommendations.

This report acknowledges the feedback of the Panel and provides the following assurances regarding updating the draft document;

- Further information will be made available in plain English to support the public understanding of the financial resources available within the main body of the Plan as per recommendation 1.
- The PCC will ensure that copies of both the Force and OPCC annual delivery plans are shared accordingly with the Panel as per recommendation 2.
- In considering recommendation 3 the PCC is confident that aim 2 'To build public confidence in the agencies involved in creating safer communities' whilst not directly citing Humberside Police is explicit in that this is an expectation for the Force and their Delivery Plan will acknowledge this, thus allowing for appropriate scrutiny from the Panel.
- The PCC will also make some small adjustments based on the discussions held during the meeting and use of language. As discussed we have engaged the services of a professional design agency and copy writer which may see further small changes to text.

The PCC wishes to thank the panel for their positive and constructive feedback and will ensure the final draft is shared with the Chief Constable at our earliest convenience.

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