



REPORT OF THE CAMBRIDGESHIRE POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

CONSIDERATION OF THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER'S ANNUAL REPORT 2014/15

Date of Panel Meeting: 16 September 2015

Date of Report: 1 October 2015

Guidance

This report details provides details of the recent review by the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Panel in accordance with the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 in considering the Police and Crime Commissioner's annual report for 2014/15.

Panel Meeting

On 16 September 2015 the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Panel considered the Police and Crime Commissioner's annual report for 2014/15.

Decision

Having reviewed the annual report, the Police and Crime Plan the Panel AGREED to ENDORSE the annual report for 2014/15. In doing so, the Police and Crime Panel made the following recommendations:

1. That the Commissioner should consider publishing key statistical crime data (particularly around violent crime) showing comparisons to other similar areas to allow the public to make their own judgements on the performance of the Commissioner.

Reasons for the decision

The Panel considered that the draft variation to the Plan was acceptable and necessary for the continued provision of efficient and effective policing across the area covered by Cambridgeshire Constabulary.

Requests for further information to the Police and Crime Commissioner

The Panel made a number of requests for further information to the Commissioner when considering the annual report. These were:

1. That the Commissioner should provide more information on the numbers and trends of out of court disposals.
2. That the Commissioner should provide more information on the levels of public confidence in the police and how these figures are arrived at.

3. That the Commissioner should provide more information on why Peterborough and Cambridge drug intervention grants are at different amounts.

Terms of Reference

The Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 requires the Police and Crime Panel to review the Police and Crime Commissioner's annual report and make a report to the Commissioner.

Signed Cllr Jason Ablewhite

Date 2 October 2015

Chairman of the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Panel