



## REPORT OF THE CAMBRIDGESHIRE POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

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### CONSIDERATION OF THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER'S ANNUAL REPORT 2018/19

**Date of Panel Meeting:** 26 June 2019

**Date of Report:** 27 June 2019

#### Guidance

This report gives the recommendation(s) made by the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Panel in accordance with section 28(4) of Part 4 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011. Its purpose is to outline the Panel's recommendations following its review of the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Commissioners Annual Report 2018/19.

#### Panel Meeting

On 26 June 2019 the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Panel considered the Police and Crime Commissioner's Annual Report for 2018/19.

#### Decision

Having reviewed the Annual Report of the Police and Crime Commissioner the Panel AGREED to ENDORSE the Annual Report for 2018/19 and *also made the following recommendations:*

- *To include a form of geographical visual representation under "My Year at a Glance"*
- *To provide diversity in examples of best practice around the increase of public involvement to improve community understanding and resilience*
- *Provide hard copies of the Annual Report in libraries, council offices, police stations and partner agencies' offices*
- *Include number of police sickness days to support the wording on p35*
- *Provide an explanation as to where the proceeds of crime monies go*
- *Clarify in the infographic on p10 that '399 incidents recorded' is unconnected with method of reporting*
- *Add narrative to the graphic '46 violent crimes' to include some detail around domestic violence*
- *Add narrative around statistics that are unexpected or counterintuitive (e.g. fall in drugs offences and large increase in robberies)*
- *Include the total of all crime figures for each year*
- *Define 'frontline police officers'*

#### Reasons for the decision

The Panel considered that the Annual Report is a well-presented and -interpreted summary of the state of policing from the perspective of the Commissioner's Police and Crime Plan.

### **Terms of Reference**

The Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011, Section 28 (4) requires the Police and Crime Panel to review the Annual Report of the Police and Crime Commissioner and make a report or recommendations to the Commissioner.

Signed *Edward Leigh*

**Date** 27 June 2019

**Chairman of the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Panel**