



WEST YORKSHIRE POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

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POLICE AND CRIME PLAN 2016-2021

INTRODUCTION

The Police and Crime Plan 2016/2021 will set the direction for policing and community safety over the next five years. This report provides the Police and Crime Panel (PCP) with an update on the development of the new Plan 2016/21 including details of the process, timescales and evidence bases that will be used to produce the Plan.

PROCESS

A consultation period will run from May 2016 and throughout the summer until September. During this time Mark will consult with members of the public and partners across West Yorkshire through a variety of methods.

Public consultation

The online survey 'Your Priorities, Your Plan' was launched on 20 May (<http://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/yourprioritiesyourplan/>), with a closing date of midnight on 22 July. Paper versions of the survey can also be requested from the OPCC, copy attached as Appendix A. An email link to the survey has been sent to over 30,000 contacts and has also been shared with a host of other organisations such as public sector agencies, schools, colleges and universities and communities groups. The press release published to coincide with the launch is attached as Appendix B. To date (31 May) there has been 330 responses received.

The Police and Crime Commissioner and his Engagement Team will be attending a number of events including district Pride celebrations, local galas and festivals across West Yorkshire, asking attendees to complete a shorter version of the survey. To date (31 May) 300 responses have been collected. There will also be other opportunities for members of the public to engage with Mark whilst out in communities and when attending other events or meetings.

To help inform the plan, public promotion will take place via social media, A social media campaign #YourPrioritiesYourPlan on Twitter and Facebook will also form part of the campaign urging people to make their views known to help inform the plan and a webchat will take place on Tuesday 7 June.

Partner Consultation

A considerable number of partners will be approached to engage with the OPCC during the consultation stage of the process. These will include:

Community Safety Partnerships
West Yorkshire Police and other Blue Light Services

Criminal Justice Partners
West Yorkshire Police and Crime Panel
Community, Voluntary and Third Sector
Business and Trade Union Partners
Partners from Health and Education

The strategic needs assessments of relevant partners across the 5 districts will be collected and analysed by the OPCC Research Team.

Partners will also be asked to fill in a priorities and concerns template and discussions will take place during partner meetings such as the Partnership Executive Group, CSP Forum, Local Criminal Justice Board, Criminal Justice and Mental Health Forum and Domestic Abuse Board. Partners, where applicable, will also be asked to contribute on specific areas of policy towards the drafting of the Police and Crime Plan. This is to better reflect the aims and objective of the PCC and partner organisations and to ensure that by working together in an integrated way, we deliver more joined up and improved services to the benefit of the people that we all serve in the communities across West Yorkshire.

TIMESCALES

All public and partner consultation will take place between May – September 2016, with ongoing analysis of the priorities and concerns during this time. It is intended that a first draft of the Plan will be developed during September, which will then be shared with partners, including the Police and Crime Panel, for comment during September/October. We then aim that the final version will be published by the end of October

We will keep members of the Police and Crime Panel updated on the progress of drafting the Police and Crime Plan during this time.