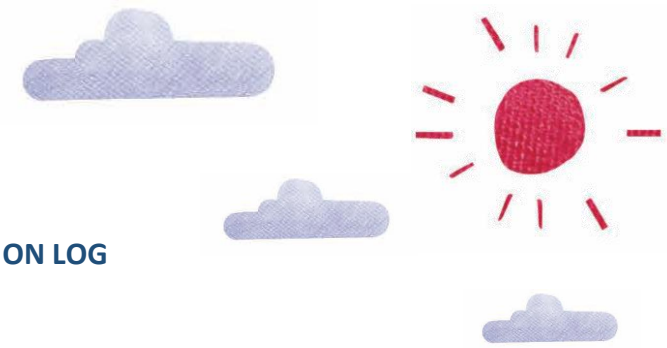




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## SOUTH WALES POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER DECISION LOG

April 2023 to April 2024

DATE	DECISION REQUEST	SUPPORTING INFORMATION	APPROVED/DECLINED
24/04/24	Wales Safer Communities Network	This funding contribution of £40,000 acts as a membership fee for the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner and the Force as an investment to continue to develop additional resources. The Network is overseen by the Safer Communities Board for Wales and funded jointly by Policing in Wales.	Approved
27/03/24	Blue Stagg	2023 the Commissioner commissioned the design and build of a new website which will go live in March 2024. As part of the service, it is proposed for Blue Stagg to host and maintain the new website for an initial 12-month period at a cost of £1,280.	Approved
26/03/24	Pride Cymru Event 2024	Pride Cymru takes place in Cardiff on 22 <sup>nd</sup> and 23 <sup>rd</sup> June 2024. Part of the event for our office to attend and have a stall presence costing £576.	Approved



15/03/24	Legal Costs WSA ad 18-25 Recommissioning Contract	Collaborative contract bringing four services under one contract to consult on procurement process / framework with a brief outline of the proposed project. Financial implications £43,845	Approved
04/03/24	Oldway House, Merthyr	Substance Misuse Offender Intervention Service is delivered from Oldway House and the contract with Dyfodol is being extended until 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025. Decision to activate break clause for the lease on this premises from March 2027.	Approved
16/01/24	Youth Friendly Website	Young people have repeatedly expressed they would like a website/app, where they can access relevant information in one place. This has been discussed in our Young Voices Forums on several occasions and our Young Voices Panel have agreed in principle on the development of a microsite. Financial implications will be supported up to £6,000.	Approved
13/01/24	Cardiff Multicultural Mela 2024	The Mela has taken place annually for eight years and has attracted up to 30,000+ visitors in one day. The event showcases a wide diversity of cultures, music, dance, arts, fashion, and food in addition to community performances. Good opportunity to engage with the public, cost for a stall at the event £150.	Approved
02/01/24	Stalking Victim Centred Review	This review will take a holistic view of the response to stalking from a victim centred perspective, while incorporating an enhanced focus on the perpetrator journey through the criminal justice system. The	Approved

		review will provide us with recommendations that are centred around local need and improving the quality of service for victims of stalking within our force area. Allocate funds of £50,400 to the Suzy Lamplugh Foundation to conduct this review.	
23/12/2023	Action for Caerau and Ely	In response to the Ely disturbances there is a resource need for the implementation of the community plan 2024/25 with vital communication pathways between partners and the community particularly in the ongoing development of large projects.	Approved
15/12/2023	Police Foundation Proposal Public Safety and Crime Prevention Landscape	Commitment to support the All-Wales work and Violence Reduction Unit. This will provide a rapid review of the crime and harm prevention landscape in Wales, identifying gaps and barriers.	Approved
29/11/2023	Acquisition of Ty Trevithick	Accommodation exchange with Rhondda Cynon Taff Council to enable the development of a New Divisional HQ for Mid Glamorgan and a redevelopment of the existing Pontypridd Police Station by the Council.	Approved
26/10/2023	Ely & Caerau Arson Media Campaign	A donation of £500 to fund production of signage and banners for installation in the communities of Caerau and Ely to promote awareness of dangers associated with fire setting.	Approved
26/10/2023	Police Public Bravery Award 2023	A contribution of £500 to support this event from all UK police and law enforcement agencies in England and Wales.	Approved
19/10/2023	Funding to Extend Substance Misuse Offender Intervention Service	To approve commitment of £2M to extend the Substance Misuse Offender Intervention Services proved by Dyfodol Consortium up until 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025.	Approved

19/10/2023	Website	The aim of having a user-friendly website for both the Team and to ensure ongoing compliance and engagement that the public can easily move around at a cost of £23,100.	Approved
17/10/2023	National Safeguarding Week	A contribution of £1,500 divided for each Regional Safeguarding Board as a contribution to activities to support National Safeguarding Week.	Approved
16/10/2023	Project ADDER Co-ordinator	Project ADDER (Addiction, Diversion, Enforcement and Recovery) is a four-year Home Office funded programme and there is one site in Wales covering Swansea and Neath Port Talbot areas with a need for a Co-ordinator having responsibility for co-ordinating all ADDER activity locally up until 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025.	Approved
27/09/2023	Sponsorship Restorative Approaches Conference	Request agreement for a sponsorship amount of £1,000 to be funded to Restorative Wales for the Restorative Wales Conference on 14 <sup>th</sup> November 2023 for consultancy, capacity building and research.	Approved
22/09/2023	Tiger Bay Security	Request for £3,112 to utilise a local enterprise to support with event management for the National Black Police Association Annual Conference in Cardiff on 10 <sup>th</sup> October 2023.	Approved
15/09/2023	Kingsway Purchase	South Wales Police currently lease the Kingsway building which is due to expire on 31 <sup>st</sup> July 2023. It is therefore recommended that they purchase the Kingsway building and associated parking at a cost of £3m to provide the facilities required.	Approved
13/09/2023	Sponsorship of Black History Wales	Black History Wales has been sponsored by the 4 Welsh forces and an agreement was made that each force annually contributes £3,500 being split between force and Police and Crime Commissioners Team	Approved

		equating to £1,750 each. This year's theme recognises the impact that Black History Wales is having across the whole country, celebrating people in their roles as history makers and custodians of the future.	
18/08/2023	Consultant for Wales Police Schools Programme	The Consultant will provide specialist advice in relation to policing across Wales to a maximum of 60 days with specific activity around the All-Wales Schools Programme. No financial implications as this will be funded by Welsh Government, grant agreement will be received but some hosting arrangements may need to be considered.	Approved
28/08/2023	Chief Constable's Security	As part of the Chief Constable's contract the security provided to his home address is administered and managed through the Police and Crime Commissioners Office.	Approved
03/05/2023	Police Youth Volunteers Scheme	The Scheme is intended to produce long term outcomes recognising the need to develop with new delivery partners and many of the outcomes relate to wellbeing and successful progression of our volunteers. The costs are shared with the Force over time to reflect the joint nature of the scheme. Provision has been included in the Commissioner's budget to cover costs for 2023/24 at £104,000.	Approved
11/08/2023	Future Generations Office, Academi Wales Leadership Sponsorship	Sponsorship of the programme allows for one candidate from the Commissioner's team to take part on the scheme at a reduced budget of £6,000. In line with our ongoing commitment to support the future generations of South Wales and develop young leaders.	Approved

04/08/2023	National Black Police Association Conference	The Conference is attended by all Police Forces in England and Wales and will attract high profile speakers at the forefront of public opinion and news with a number of cultural policing issues explored over a 3-day Agenda.	Approved
10/08/2023	Senior Policy Officer	This role will be funded from Victims Grant to ensure that victims receive services to cope and recover from the impact of crime.	Approved
09/08/2023	Funding for an All Wales Integrated Offender Management (IOM) Senior Analyst	The purpose of this role is to provide analytic solutions to evidence alignment to the IOM Neighbourhood Crime Strategy. South Wales Police and Crime Commissioner's office have been asked for additional funding to extend the contract of the Senior Partnership Analyst role until August 2025 at an additional cost of £9,433	Approved
25/07/2023	Neighbourhood Policing Fund	To support the creation of a Neighbourhood Policing Fund to support the Police Community Support Officers of South Wales in tackling local community issues. To create a system whereby £500 for local projects can be accessed as a problem-solving fund.	Approved
24/07/2023	Police Unity Tour	Police Unity Tour is to raise awareness of Law Enforcement Officers who have died in the line of duty. The secondary purpose of the UK tour is to raise funds for Care of Police Survivors, a UK charity dedicated to helping the families of police officers who have lost their lives on duty. A donation of £500 for the financial year 2023/24 in support of this activity will help with promotion across social media and aid awareness of fundraising.	Approved

21/07/2023	Delivery of Youth & Community Work Courses for PCSOs	A training needs gap for PCSOs has been identified in Youth and Community Work. The proposal is for Cardiff Met University to deliver three courses over the summer, one in each of the three BCU areas, The University will provide the first free of charge and then request for a contribution of £3,000 for the delivery of the other two.	Approved
21/07/2023	Criminal Justice Board for Wales Contribution 2023-25	To approve financial commitment made by the Commissioner in support of the work of the Criminal Justice Board for Wales which includes Staff Contribution, Race Equality Delivery Plan and the Independent Oversight Advisory Panel.	Approved
03/07/2023	Year End Account 2022/23 – proposed Reserves position	As part of the year-end accounts process proposed movements to Reserves need to be approved by the Commissioner as holder of the Police Fund. The proposals are duly scrutinised and recommended.	Approved
07/06/2023	Anti Racism Training	Proposal for Apex Educate to deliver Anti Racism Training for 10 Senior Leadership in the Commissioner’s office over an eight-month period with five sessions. To achieve a deep understanding of anti-racism and ways to move their areas forward. Financial implications £12,450	Approved
22/05/2023	Allocation of Additional Funding from the Ministry of Justice (MOJ)	This supports the Police and Crime Commissioner’s commitment to support diverse communities. The funding is based on the expertise of the team developing the schemes. £133,358 will fund 2 new posts from 2023-25 and the second from 2024-25 working as part of the DRIVE project in Swansea	Approved

		Prison supporting Adult Survivors and children. Second post working with Gypsy Traveller communities.	
15/05/2023	Strategic Resourcing for Capital City Funding – 56 Degrees North	Commissioner and Chief Constable appointed 56 Degrees North as strategic advisors in the Capital City Funding Project in May 2022. Approved extension agreed to continue support for the next 3 months.	Approved
15/05/2023	Data Protection Training	This training is vital to ensure that the teams are aware of how to hold data, process it and if appropriate share it. At the current time data protection is a red risk on the commissioner's strategic risk register. This training would seek to mitigate some of that risk. Geldards Solicitors quoted £1,500 to deliver the three-hour session and the content was appropriate for our needs.	Approved
12/05/2023	Organisational Development	As part of the organisational development and growth an in-depth piece of work has been commenced to formulate a robust business plan, this will have very clear outcomes and evaluation to evidence the impact of the work across the office. The ask is to support the secondment of the individual to the office for a period of 12 months and underwrite the full funding amount.	Approved
10/05/2023	Addendum Drive Evaluation Phase Two	Drive is seeking funding to conduct a quantitative evaluation for a 24-month study period, with a cost for each area involved of 25k per year for 2 years. The research will further evidence the value of Drive to Policing, understanding positive impacts on	Approved

		safeguarding victims and children from the highest perpetrators of domestic abuse, and an opportunity to enhance joint working.	
10/05/2023	Engagement Merchandise 2023	Purchase of engagement merchandise for public events, raising key messages and drawing attention to the work of the Police and Crime Commissioner. Including any relevant helplines or web addresses which support our prevention and early intervention messages. Financial contribution of £5,000 for merchandise and personal safety items.	Approved
03/05/2023	One Public Service Anti Racism Summit 2023	This event will take place on 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2023 jointly developed by South Wales Police and Crime Commissioners Team on behalf of the Criminal Justice Partners and Welsh Government. Bringing together Senior leaders from across the public and third sectors to increase understanding of anti-racism. Financial implication of £4,450.67	Approved
30/04/2023	Home Office Anti-Social Behaviour Hotspot Response Pilot	Under the Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) Action Plan, published on 27 March 2023, the Government is delivering additional funding to Police and Crime Commissioners, South Wales has been identified as one of 10 to pilot this approach to rollout increased presence of police and other uniformed authority figures such as wardens. To support this a request to create a 2-year post to co-ordinate data and work closely with key partners to identify Hotspots.	Approved
18/04/2023	Independent Evaluation of Impact of PCSOs in Wales	Funding contribution of up to £15,000 towards an independent evaluation of the impact of PCSOs in Wales. This review provides an opportunity to highlight the work done by PCSOs and to demonstrate	Approved

		the impact of this collective investment by Welsh Polic Forces, Welsh Government and British Transport Police.	
17/04/2023	Wales Safer Communities Network	The Network aims to become the strategic voice for community safety in Wales, through working collaboratively with members to champion and support community safety partnership working and influence the shaping and development of national policy and local practice. In order to continue and support this successful work, the four Police & Crime Commissioners have agreed to support the Network for 2023/24 and for the future. As part of this agreement the South Wales Police and Crime Commissioner will contribute £40,000 while the other PCCs will each contribute £20,000.	Approved
14/04/2023	Data Protection Audit	The Police and Crime Commissioner has a duty to comply with all aspects of the Data Protection Act 2018, to understand our strengths, weaknesses, and areas for improvement around Data Protection the proposal is to have an independent Data Protection Audit. It is anticipated the audit will take no more than 7 days, with a maximum spend being £6,300.	Approved
03/04/2023	Step into Sport Co-ordinator Role	Request for funding towards delivering Phase 3 of the Step into Sport Project based on positive outcomes already received and to explore next steps to consider longer-term funding arrangements.	Approved