

Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner – Notice of Decision

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DECISION OR INFORMATION:	Decision
DATE RECEIVED:*	06/03/2023
REF:* (to be inserted by the OPCC)	2023.023

TITLE:	Nottinghamshire Partnership Development – Serious Violence
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:
<p>The provision of facilitation and expertise to Nottinghamshire Violence Reduction Partners through Nicola Hughes Consulting to commence the development of a strategic overview of violence reduction across the partnership.</p> <p>The specific focus will be the start of this partnership development journey towards a sustainable approach to violence reduction through a sense check of current position, responsibilities, aspirations and starting to identify the next steps and processes required to provide a strategic overview of violence reduction.</p>

INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (eg report or business case)
<p>The Violence Reduction Partnership is a partnership that brings together specialists from Local Government, Health Education, Policing and Criminal Justice to work with communities and the third sector to reduce serious violence and tackle its underlying causes. Established in 2019 with funding from the Home Office the work through the partnership provides both responsibilities and opportunities. The Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Act 2022 builds further on these opportunities through its new duties in respect to Serious Violence. The specific new duty relating to serious violence requires specified authorities to work together to prevent and reduce serious violence, including identifying the kinds of serious violence that occur in the area, the causes of that violence (so far as it is possible to do so), and to prepare and implement a strategy for preventing and reducing serious violence in the area.</p> <p>Facilitation and expertise will be provided to support Nottinghamshire in starting to further develop their strategic overview required to meet the Duties as well as exploring the challenges and further opportunities to build a sustainable and tangible partnership approach around a shared vision for serious violence.</p> <p>A rapid review of the current partnership arrangements, including Strategy, will inform the development of the Agenda for the session. It is expected that the 2 hour meeting will be run 'workshop style' with emphasis on the opportunity to stock take, discuss and plan. Following the session a report will be provided to the client with the headline feedback, any actions that were agreed, and also where actions haven't been agreed to make proposals for next steps.</p>

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Nicola is committed to delivering all her work to timescale and therefore has a flexible working style in terms of days and hours worked to reflect the needs of the contract. To respond to the request for delivery of the workshop on 30 March the preparatory desk top work would be undertaken from her office base in Sheffield and report would be made available by (at the latest) 30 April 2023.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Costs & deliverables

To provide facilitation and expertise through provision of a desk top review; pre workshop discussion and set up; provision of an agenda; delivery of the workshop session; production of a feedback paper by at the latest 30 April 2023.

Total cost: £1,500.00

The costs will be met through the Serious Violence Duty Implementation Fund 2022/23.

Signature:
Chief Finance
Officer

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Date:

21.03.23

Is any of the supporting information classified as non-public or confidential information?*

Yes

No

If yes, please state under which category from the guidance**

DECISION:

OFFICER APPROVAL:

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that the appropriate advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Signature:
Chief Executive

S. M. Coddell

Date:

24.03.23

** See guidance on non-public information

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I confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interests in this decision and I take the decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner. Any interests are indicated below:

The above request has my approval

Signature:
Nottinghamshire Police
& Crime Commissioner



Date:

28.03.23