



Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner – Notice of Decision

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DECISION OR INFORMATION:	Decision
DATE RECEIVED:*	22.03.23
REF:* (to be inserted by the OPCC)	2023.031

TITLE:	CCTV Refuge Camera – Outside TK Maxx Premises Nottingham City
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:
<p>Following a request by Nottingham Business Improvement District (BID) and Nottingham City Council, the Commissioner is required to approve up to £21,000 match funding to enable a CCTV Refuge Camera and column (if required) to be installed in close proximity to the TK Maxx retail premises in Nottingham City Centre. This type of camera was developed as part of the Safer Streets Round 3 project in Sutton-in-Ashfield and Worksop South and includes a help point function to enable women and girls (or anyone in distress) to request urgent assistance. It supports the Commissioner’s objective to build safe space and more places of refuge.</p>

INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (e.g. report or business case)
<p>During 2022, Nottingham BID were made aware that staff who worked at the TK Maxx Retail Store located on Milton Street Nottingham, had raised concerns that many female staff were feeling threatened when leaving work especially during the hours of darkness.</p> <p>The local Police were consulted and analysis was undertaken which provided further evidence that this location was a high-risk crime area and the installation of a CCTV Refuge Camera with a help point would be of huge benefit and assurance not only to staff leaving the TK Maxx store but members of the public in general especially women and girls.</p> <p>The installation of this camera supports the Commissioner’s “Make Notts Safe Plan” (2021-25) to not only prevent and detect crime, but to make people safer and feel safer and will provide year on year sustainable benefits.</p> <p>The camera will be located in close proximity to TK Maxx on either a new column (funded by the Commissioner) or an existing column if appropriate. Nottingham BID will fund the PTZ Hikvision camera (£5.5k) and the Commissioner will fund the additional CCTV Refuge Help Point (£12k) which includes a 5-year maintenance contract. Funding will be provided to Nottingham City Council who will purchase and install the column and camera. The City Council will stand the cost of monitoring activity and referring incidents to the Police.</p>

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION	
Up to £21,000 of Night Time Levy funding will be utilised. The CCTV Refuge Help Point costs £12,000 and a new column, if required, is just over £8,000. This funding will come from the Night Time Levy.	
Signature: Chief Finance Officer	REDACTED
Date:	29.03.23

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If yes, please state under which category from the guidance**				
DECISION:				
The Commissioner is required to approve up to £21,000 of Night Time Levy funding to enable a CCTV Refuge Camera and column (if required) to be installed in close proximity to the TK Maxx retail premises in Nottingham City Centre.				

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	<i>S. M. Goddell</i>
Date:	31.03.23

DECLARATION:	
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	<i>Caroline Henry</i>
Date:	31.03.23

** See guidance on non-public information