

Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner – Notice of Decision

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DECISION OR INFORMATION:	Decision
DATE RECEIVED:*	30.05.23
REF:* (to be inserted by the OPCC)	2023.055

TITLE:	Variation to Nottinghamshire’s Domestic Violence Perpetrator Programme (DVPP) Contract with FreeVa
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Further to Decision Notices 2021.025, 2021.083 and 2022.051 additional Home Office Domestic Violence Perpetrator funding has been confirmed. A variation to the existing FreeVa contract is therefore required to enable additional work to be undertaken between April 2023 and September 2023.

The Commissioner is therefore requested to approve the following variation:

- An additional up to £27,554 to be added to the existing FreeVa contract to enable them to deliver additional perpetrator programme activity and new training to professionals.

This additional funding will be paid for out of Home Office DV perpetrator funding 2023/24.

INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (eg report or business case)

In September 2020 the PCC submitted a successful bid to the Home Office for funding to design, develop and evaluate a perpetrator programme for DV in September 2020. The Home Office required PCC match funding for the bid to be provided. The programme began in November 2020 (see decision record 2021.025).

In September 2021 the Home Office confirmed it would provide further funding to extend the project until the end of March 2022, with the expectation that the PCC would match fund to enable the project to continue until September 2022 (see Decision Record 2021.083).

In March 2022 the Home Office confirmed further funding for 2022.23 which funds the programme to continue from October 2022 to March 2023.

The PCC has recently been successful in securing new Home Office Domestic Violence Perpetrator funding for 2023/4 and 2024/5. As a result of this new funding the PCC will be recommissioning the DV Perpetrator Service but in the meantime some of the additional funding

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is to be used to increase the work being undertaken by the current provider between April 2023 and September 2023.

This will be undertaken as a simple contract variation as the additional funding is less than 50% of the original contract value.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

This additional £27,554 funding will be paid for out of Home Office DV perpetrator funding 2023/24.

Signature:
**Chief Finance
Officer**

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Date:

31.05.23

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**

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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: Deputy
Monitoring Officer**

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Date:

02.06.23

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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**



Date:

08.06.23