



## Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner – Notice of Decision

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<b>DECISION OR INFORMATION:</b>	Decision
<b>DATE RECEIVED:*</b>	15.03.23
<b>REF:*</b> (to be inserted by the OPCC)	2023.060

<b>TITLE:</b>	Forensic Collision Investigation Network Section 22 Collaboration Agreement
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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Approval is sought to enter into an amended collaboration agreement in respect of the Forensic Collision Investigation Network with all the geographic forces in England and Wales.

It is recommended that the Police and Crime Commissioner agree to execute the amended collaboration agreement in respect of the Forensic Collision Investigation Network.

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

The Forensic Collision Investigation Network (FCIN) is seeking agreement from all participating bodies to a now amended collaboration agreement. The amended agreement reflects the new delivery model for FCIN and has been drawn up following a period of consultation and is based on the template developed by the Association of Police and Crime Commissioner Chief Executives.

FCIN is the programme hosted by North Wales Police working to support forces meet the requirements for forensic collision investigations and accreditation. It underwent a preliminary inspection by UKAS in 2021 which prompted the development of a new target operating model. The Police and Crime Commissioner is now invited to agree to entering into the national amended collaboration agreement to enable the Force to take advantage of the FCIN along with all the other geographic police forces in England and Wales.

The Chief Constable has confirmed their wish to continue to be involved with FCIN.

### FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The proposed annual Budget for the FCIN will be submitted to Policing Bodies for approval in the Annual Report. The Parties agree that the Apportionment Ratio for each Financial Year is based on the Net Revenue Expenditure Formula model (subject to amendment according to the number of Parties to this Agreement).

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The funding principles are clearly set out in the amended collaboration agreement, by way of illustration the funding proportion falling to Nottinghamshire for 2022/23 based on the net revenue expenditure formula was 1.7%, with an associated cost of £45k.

Annual revenue contributions are included in the budget.

**Signature:**  
**Chief Finance**  
**Officer**

**REDACTED**

**Date:**

09.06.23

**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\*\*

The collaboration agreement is unredacted and cannot be published on the grounds that it may undermine operational tactics.

### **DECISION:**

That the PCC for Nottinghamshire approves the signing of the amended S22 Collaboration Agreement in respect of the Forensic Collision Investigation Network with all the geographic forces in England and Wales.

### **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.

**Deputy Monitoring**  
**Officer:**

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**Date:**

12.06.23

### **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:

\*\* See guidance on non-public information

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The above request has my approval

**Signature:**  
**Nottinghamshire Police**  
**& Crime Commissioner**



**Date:**

28.06.23