

THE POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR DURHAM

DECISION RECORD FORM

REQUEST:

Title: To contribute £4000 to the County Durham Children and Young People's Portal

Executive Summary:

The Portal will provide a single on-line landing space for children and young people in County Durham and will offer a range of information that is current, contemporary, innovative and aligned to their interests and needs. The Portal will operate on the principles of 'by us for us' meaning that editorial control will be held with a small team of employed young people, with an editor taking the lead, supported by a staffing resource within the constraints of the project budget available.

The Portal will consist of a range of functionality, and will not be limited to 'service provider'-type information. There will, for example, be information of a more social nature, such as local news, what's on, discussions and competitions. ODPCVC, and Durham Constabulary, will make full use of the Portal in the process of engaging with Young People. The Police Cadets have been, and will continue to be, consultees as the Portal develops to meet the needs of children and young people.

The Portal project has evolved from discussions at the Local Safeguarding Children Board. The financial plan for the Portal is time-limited for two years (2017 and 2018), with the possibility of extension dependent on funding and the outcome of an evaluation. The Portal project is overseen by a multi-agency Portal Board including colleagues from Durham County Council, Public Health, Investing in Children, Cornforth Partnership, a range of NHS bodies and the ODPCVC. Delivery will be the responsibility of Cornforth Partnership, accountable to the Portal Board.

Funding comes from a range of sources including:

Co Durham Foundation Trust
N Durham CCG
DEDAS CCG
Public Health
Durham County
ODPCVC

Decision: The PCVC has decided to allocate £4000 in 2017 towards the £74,000 cost of the project, from the Community Safety Fund

OPCC Lead Officer: Jon Carling, Head of Policy and Communications

Contractor Details (if applicable):

Implications:			
Has consideration been taken of the following:	Yes	No	
Financial	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Legal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equality & Diversity	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Human Rights	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Sustainability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Risk	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(If yes please provide further details below)			

Decision Required – Supporting Information

Financial Implications: (Must include comments of the PCC's CFO where the decision has financial implications)

This is within the Community Safety monies

Legal Implications: (Must include comments of the Monitoring Officer where the decision has legal implication)

No specific legal implications

Equality and Diversity Implications

The project will enhance the PCVC's interaction with young people

Human Rights Implications

No specific human rights implications

Sustainability Implications

No specific sustainability implications

Risk Management Implications

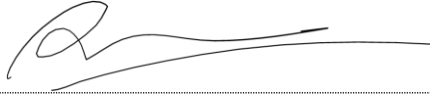
No specific risk management implications

OFFICER APPROVAL

Chief Executive

I have been consulted about the decision and confirm that financial, legal, and equalities advice has been taken into account. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

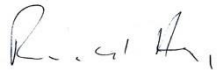
Signed:



Date: 31/01/2017

Police and Crime Commissioner:

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