

**Decision No 2013/45**



**REPORT TO:** POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR LANCASHIRE

**REPORT BY:** ROBERT RUSTON – PARTNERSHIPS OFFICER

**DATE:** 5 MARCH 2014

**TITLE:** COMMUNITY SAFETY AND PARTNERSHIP FUNDING 2014 - 2015

**Appendix A refers**

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

1. The Commissioner has approved the budget for 2014 – 15 (Decision 2013/41) which includes an allocation of £1.794M for Community Safety and Partnership Funding.
2. In line with the approach agreed by the Commissioner the Partnerships Officer has held discussions with a number of partners regarding the continuation of funding or the re-commissioning of specific services and programmes which support the Commissioner's aims and priorities.
3. This Decision seeks to confirm the allocation of £860,000, representing 48% of the budget, to the partners, projects or initiatives detailed in the attached Appendix.
4. If this Decision is confirmed, there will be a balance of £934,000 remaining in the Community Safety & Partnership Fund for allocation against additional community safety activity.

**RECOMMENDATION**

The Commissioner is recommended to approve the proposed use of the Community Safety and Partnership Fund as outlined in Appendix A and to note the implications in respect of funding that could be available for additional future community safety activity.

**Decision taken by the Police and Crime Commissioner for Lancashire:**

<b>Original decision, as set out in the attached report, approved without amendment</b> (please delete as appropriate)	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
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**Original decision required to be amended and decision as detailed below:**

**The reasons for the amended decision are as detailed below:**

**Police and Crime Commissioner: Comments**

**DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

The PCC is asked to consider any personal / prejudicial interests he may have to disclose in relation to the matter under consideration in accordance with the law, the Nolan Principles and the Code of Conduct.

**STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE**

The recommendations are made further to legal advice from the Monitoring Officer and the Section 151 Officer has confirmed that they do not incur unlawful expenditure. They are also compliant with equality legislation.

<b>Signed:</b>  <b>Police and Crime Commissioner</b>  <b>Date:</b>	<b>Signed:</b>  <b>Chief Officer:</b>  <b>Date:</b>
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<b>Signed:</b>  <b>Chief Constable</b>  <b>Date:</b>	<b>Signed:</b>  <b>Chief Finance Officer:</b>  <b>Date:</b>
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