



**FUNDING APPLICATIONS**

**PARTNERSHIP AND COMMUNITY SAFETY PROGRAMMES**

The following applications have been received from the Constabulary and/or partners for funding for a number of projects that support the Commissioner's priorities and tackle issues that have a high level of impact on the constabulary.

<b>PROJECT / INITIATIVE NAME:</b>	MAKING EVERY ADULT MATTER (MEAM) (Blackburn with Darwen as a pilot area)		
<b>TOTAL COST:</b>	£ 196,854.00	<b>PRIORITY:</b>	Vulnerable People
<b>AMOUNT REQUESTED:</b>	£96,854.00	<b>Match Funds:</b>	£100,000.00 from BwD Public Health
<b>Summary:</b>	The MEAM project will work for 2 years with the most complex and vulnerable adults currently resident in the Houses of Multiple Occupancy/and or the homeless population through the provision of one-to-one support and a bespoke service which meets the needs of those individuals. Many of the HMO residents are involved in acquisitive crime. Recent analysis showed there have been 317 offences detected to residents living in eight of the HMO's. Further analysis has shown that 22% of detected shoplifting in the Town Centre is attributed to HMO residents. A large proportion of HMO residents have substance misuse issues but only 25% are engaged in services to address this.		
<b>Comments:</b>	Total cost is for a two year period after which it is anticipated that savings generated by the work will cover the ongoing costs of support workers. No business case for this has been provided and that could be a condition attached to the funding. This was submitted to the first round of the Innovation Fund, but whilst not being successful was supported by the PCC and an indication was given that this work would be funded.		
<b>Proposed Funding Stream:</b>	<b>Partnership &amp; Community Safety Fund</b>		
<b>Recommendation:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner</li> <li>2. That funding of £96,854 is allocated towards the cost of this project, in support of the funding provided by BwD Public Health, subject to the following two conditions:</li> <li>3. That the MEAM Project be asked to develop a business plan to demonstrate that the savings generated will be sufficient to provide ongoing funding for support workers.</li> <li>4. That further clarification is sought on the level of funding allocated in each year for an external validation process.</li> </ol>		

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<b>PROJECT / INITIATIVE NAME:</b>	NATIONAL UGLY MUGS SCHEME (NUMS)		
<b>TOTAL COST:</b>	£7,000.00 (LANCON contribution)	<b>PRIORITY:</b>	Vulnerable People
<b>AMOUNT REQUESTED:</b>	£7,000.00	<b>Match Funds:</b>	National Scheme funded by other PCCs and forces
<b>Summary:</b>	The National Ugly Mugs scheme was set up to improve the safety of sex workers by alerting them to dangerous offenders operating in their area and surrounding areas. The scheme also aimed to improve the confidence in the police of this vulnerable group by encouraging reporting of violent offences. This is a group of marginalised individuals who often do not feel projected and who would not often naturally report even the most serious offences against them.		
<b>Comments:</b>	Within Lancashire the scheme is up and running and there have been direct benefits to the Constabulary in the form of increased intelligence from sex workers about offenders in their community, increased confidence in police by the workers and improved partnership working with outreach workers employed to safeguard the health and well-being of sex workers.		
<b>Proposed Funding Stream:</b>	POCA		
<b>Recommendation:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner</li> <li>2. That funding of £7,000 is allocated to fund this project in Lancashire.</li> </ol>		

<b>PROJECT / INITIATIVE NAME:</b>	TAXI PRE-PAYMENT SCHEME (Pan – Lancashire)		
<b>TOTAL COST:</b>	£2,800.00	<b>PRIORITY:</b>	Vulnerable People ASB & Criminal Damage
<b>AMOUNT REQUESTED:</b>	£1,800.00	<b>Match Funds:</b>	£1,000 from LANPAC
<b>Summary:</b>	The aim of the project is to provide taxis with window stickers indicating that the Constabulary and PCC support the approach of taxi drivers requesting payment at the start of the journey as opposed to payment being made at the end of the journey. It is expected that pre-payment will drastically reduce issues around payment and associated crimes. The crimes are not merely fraud crimes but also cover assaults, criminal damage and public order incidents which are often linked to an initial dispute over fare payment at the end of the journey.		
<b>Comments:</b>	Analysis of civil disputes has shown that 20% of demand came from taxi drivers around non-payment of taxi fares. Further work was completed which revealed that at least 3291 incidents in 2013 were reported to the Police concerning payment related issues, which led to 609 recorded crimes. This places a large demand on Police time but also is a risk to the individual taxi drivers themselves.		
<b>Proposed Funding Stream:</b>	Partnership & Community Safety Funding		
<b>Recommendation:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner</li> <li>2. That funding of £1,800 is allocated towards the cost of this project.</li> </ol>		

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<b>PROJECT / INITIATIVE NAME:</b>	PARADES AND COMMUNITY EVENTS ROAD CLOSURE TRAINING FOR STEWARDS		
<b>TOTAL COST:</b>	£10,000	<b>PRIORITY:</b>	Frontline Policing Reassurance
<b>AMOUNT REQUESTED:</b>	£10,000	<b>Match Funds:</b>	LCC signage
<b>Summary:</b>	The Commissioner has agreed to resource the training of volunteer community stewards to enable them to undertake road closures for parades and community events in a manner that is approved by the relevant highways agencies – i.e. Blackburn with Darwen, Blackpool and Lancashire County Councils		
<b>Comments:</b>	Supports the approach that the Commissioner has been taking in respect of parades and events.		
<b>Proposed Funding Stream:</b>	<b>POCA</b>		
<b>Recommendation:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That this application is supported by the Commissioner</li> <li>2. That funding of £10,000 is allocated to fund this project.</li> </ol>		