

Head of Communications and Engagement

Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner

Salary £57,831

A vacancy has arisen in the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for a Head of Communications and Engagement.

The successful candidate will provide a high-quality media, public affairs and public engagement function to Suffolk's Police and Crime Commissioner.

We are looking for someone with excellent written and verbal communication skills, experience managing reputational risk and high-profile issues, the ability to give clear, concise and authoritative advice, and ability to negotiate and exert influence when required.

If you have sound judgement and integrity and can work under pressure managing multiple issues simultaneously, you may be right person for the job. Previous experience working in a political environment would be useful, but not essential.

The closing date for completed applications is 10am on Friday 3 July 2026.

Interviews will be held on Wednesday 15 or Thursday 16 July 2026.

The application detail is available on the PCC's website suffolk-pcc.gov.uk.

If you would like an informal discussion about the post, please contact Sandra Graffham (sandra.graffham@suffolk.police.uk).

Completed applications should be returned by email to internalandstaffrecruitment@norfolk.police.uk.

Why work for us?

- *Competitive salaries with a generous annual leave allowance, flexible working opportunities and the ability to occasionally work from home.*
- *An excellent local government pension scheme and access to the Blue Light Card discount scheme.*
- *Exciting and varied work.*
- *A diverse, equal and inclusive workforce in an organisation that values its people.*

- *A wellbeing support function and staff support networks for all staff members and access to the sports and social club.*
- *The opportunity to make a difference to the community of Suffolk.*