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ORIGINATOR: HEAD OF

COMMISSIONING AND

GOVERNANCE

DECISION NUMBER: 12-2019

REASON FOR SUBMISSION:

FOR DECISION

SUBMITTED TO:

POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

SUBJECT:

SUMMARY OF SUFFOLK POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER'S FUND

ROUND 17, MARCH 2019

SUMMARY:

The Police and Crime Commissioner can commission services that: 1.

- a) secure, or contribute to securing, crime and disorder reduction in Suffolk;
- b) are intended to help victims or witnesses of, or other persons affected by, offences and anti-social behaviour.

This is in accordance with the provisions in the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014. In applying this provision, the PCC will ensure that the services commissioned are also consistent with the Suffolk Police and Crime Plan 2017 -2021.

- 2. The Suffolk Police and Crime Commissioner's Fund (previously Safer Suffolk Fund) was established in February 2014 to support organisations that can contribute to delivering the Police and Crime Plan objectives. The fund became operational on 1 April 2014.
- A Grant Panel was established to consider applications and make recommendations 3. on grant awards to the PCC who determines every grant award.
- This decision paper sets out the recommendations following the grant panel of March 4. 2019. Ten applications are recommended for funding totalling £141,791.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the PCC endorses the grants awarded through the Suffolk Police and Crime Commissioner's Fund.

APPROVAL BY: PCC

The recommendation set out is agreed.

Signature

DETAIL OF THE SUBMISSION

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The Police and Crime Commissioner can commission services that:
 - a. secure, or contribute to securing, crime and disorder reduction in Suffolk;
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1.2 This report provides a summary of the grants recommended for funding by the Suffolk Police and Crime Commissioner's Fund Grant Panel following the Panel meeting in March 2019.

2. SUFFOLK POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER'S FUND

- 2.1 The Suffolk Police and Crime Commissioner's Fund is administered by Suffolk Community Foundation and was previously known as the Safer Suffolk Fund. More information on the Fund can be found on the PCC website: Decision 10 2014 Proposals for Crime and Disorder Reduction Grants 2014-15 and the Safer Suffolk Fund Terms of Reference. Decision 23-2016 refers to the future management of small grant awards.
- 2.2 The Suffolk Police and Crime Commissioner's Fund seeks to support organisations that can show clear measurable outcomes that address the key objectives of the Police and Crime Plan for Suffolk 2017-2021. These are: to respond to calls for urgent assistance, care for our victims, communities, the local economy and our people, to protect the most vulnerable people and communities by preventing, reducing and solving crime and anti-social behaviour and making Suffolk safer.
- 2.3 It is recognised that voluntary, community and social enterprise organisations play a significant role in reducing crime and disorder and supporting victims and therefore the fund invites applications from organisations that are providing support in partnership/collaboratively where links can also be made with the key areas of focus in the Police and Crime Plan:
 - Vulnerable people who are or could be a target for crime.
 - Victims of crime helping people cope with the immediate impact of the crime and recover from the harm caused – especially where partnerships are formed to support victims.
 - **Hidden Harm** supporting those who are or could become a target for crime, cyber-crime, human trafficking, child sexual abuse.
 - Substance misuse working with those who have drug and alcohol issues.
 - **Preventing reoffending** working with those who offend to reduce re-offending.
 - Reducing crime and anti-social behaviour towards reducing anti-social behaviour.
- 2.4 A panel, established to consider grant applications of over £3,500, includes a representative of the PCC's executive team and Chairs of all the local Community Safety Partnerships (Ipswich, West Suffolk, Suffolk Coastal and Waveney Community Safety Partnerships). The Panel is chaired by the PCC who is

- responsible for final determination of each award. Applications for £3,500 or less are determined by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC).
- 2.5 The decisions for all previous awards can be found on the PCC's website.

3. PROPOSED GRANTS FOR FUNDING

- 3.1 Details of the ten grants proposed by the Grant Panel can be found in Appendix A.
- 3.2 Conditions, including monitoring arrangements, for each award are agreed between Suffolk Community Foundation on behalf of the PCC and the recipient.

4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 4.1 The recommended grants from Round 17 of the panel total £141,791.
- 4.2 To cover grants awarded within the year an additional £14,338 has been transferred from the PCC's Crime and Disorder Reduction Fund to the PCC Fund.

5. OTHER IMPLICATIONS AND RISKS

5.1 There are no major implications or risks associated with this decision paper.

6. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

6.1 It is recommended that the PCC endorses the grants awarded through the Suffolk Police and Crime Commissioner's Fund.

ORIGINATOR CHECKLIST (MUST BE COMPLETED)	PLEASE STATE 'YES' OR 'NO'
Has legal advice been sought on this submission?	Yes
Has the PCC's Chief Finance Officer been consulted?	Yes
Have equality, diversity and human rights implications been considered including equality analysis, as appropriate?	Yes
Have human resource implications been considered?	Yes
Is the recommendation consistent with the objectives in the Police and Crime Plan?	Yes
Has consultation been undertaken with people or agencies likely to be affected by the recommendation?	Yes
Has communications advice been sought on areas of likely media interest and how they might be managed?	Yes
Have all relevant ethical factors been taken into consideration in developing this submission?	Yes

In relation to the above, please ensure that all relevant issues have been highlighted in the 'other implications and risks' section of the submission.

APPROVAL TO SUBMIT TO THE DECISION-MAKER

Chief Executive

I am satisfied that relevant advice has been taken into account in the preparation of the report and that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the PCC.

Signature:

Date 2 April 2019

SUFFOLK POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER'S FUND 2018/19

Organisation	Benefit Area	Funding purpose	Police and Crime Plan objectives	Grant
		Summary of grants awarded	rded Round 17 (Panel meeting March 2019)	Awarded
Adfam National	Across Mid Suffolk	To provide a Peer Supporter programme to vulnerable families in Suffolk.	Objective 3: Protecting the most vulnerable people and communities by preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB. - Activities to tackle drugs and substance misuse.	£18,340
Chapman Centre Trust	Ipswich	Towards the weekend opening of The Chapman Centre.	Objective 3: Protecting the most vulnerable people and communities by preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB.	£14,829
Inspire Suffolk	Whitton Estate (Lowestoft)	Towards continuing the Colville House youth club.	Objective 2: Caring about victims, communities, the local economy and our people. - Work to help deter young people from committing crime and inspire them to achieve. Objective 3: Protecting the most vulnerable people and communities by preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB.	£14,289
Matthew Project	Suffolk	Towards Outside the Wire – Suffolk Prisons.	Objective 3: Protecting the most vulnerable people and communities by preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB. - Activities to tackle drugs and substance misuse. - Work with partners to reduce re-offending and transform rehabilitation.	£9,794
Noise Solution Ltd	Newmarket	Towards core services of Noise Solution delivering in Newmarket.	Objective 2: Caring about victims, communities, the local economy and our people. - Work to help deter young people from committing crime and inspire them to achieve. Objective 3: Protecting the most vulnerable people and communities by preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB	£9,738
Right Time Counselling Services CIC	Lowestoft	Towards the Right Time Recovery Network Counselling Services	Objective 3: Protecting the most vulnerable people and communities by preventing, reducing and solving crime and ASB - Activities to tackle drugs and substance misuse.	£4,940

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Towards the St Giles trust Prevention and Intervention Service.	Towards their General Manager's salary costs who will oversee the delivery of support services to vulnerable women.	Towards the Open Out project.	Towards We Are Patrick (WASSUP)	
Ipswich and surrounding communitie s	Suffolk	Stowmarket	Ipswich	
St Giles Trust	Talitha Koum	The Mix Stowmarket	Volunteering Matters	