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Assuming the 70p a month precept increase (for a Band D property) this will give us the necessary funding we need to:

Provide additional investigators to the Constabulary's Operation Sentinel team. This team was created as a result of last year's precept increase to crackdown on criminals, protect local communities and tackle cross-border criminality. To date the team has achieved over 160 arrests for serious offences and is having a significant impact.

Create another Serious Crime Disruption team for the county to complement the existing team based in Ipswich that is effectively tackling issues such as drug supply and serious violence.

Provide an additional police officer for the countywide rural crime team which deals with a wide range of issues including vehicle and machinery theft, domestic abuse, incidents involving firearms, hare-coursing, wildlife crime, metal theft and arson.

Create a new Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Unit of specialist officers who can enhance the way we deal with dangerous vehicles or driver offences that contribute to serious collisions.

Enhance our outcome resolution team of detectives who work with convicted offenders to identify and respond to other offences they have committed.

Increase our neighbourhood policing teams across the county to focus on crime prevention and tackle emerging high-risk issues regarding missing people, modern day slavery and young people.

Create a new Domestic Abuse Perpetrator Scheme to reduce and prevent harm to vulnerable victims by recruiting additional staff to work with high risk and frequent domestic abuse offenders.