North Yorkshire Police, Fire and Crime Panel

14 January 2021

Work Programme

1 Purpose of Report

- 1.1 To invite the Panel to consider its future work programme.
- The Panel is responsible for setting its own work programme taking into account the tasks that the Panel must undertake and the priorities defined by the Commissioner within the context of the Police and Crime Plan and Fire and Rescue Plan.
- The work programme at Appendix A highlights those issues which have been previously agreed or which have been added since the last meeting in discussion with the Chair or Vice Chairs.
- In relation to scheduling issues, Members are reminded that an additional provisional date has been added in June 2021. In addition, it is likely that the meeting scheduled for 22nd April 2021 will need to be cancelled, due to restrictions expected to be in place on local authorities in the lead-up to the elections for Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner in May 2021. A decision on this will be brought to the Panel in February.

5 Recommendation

5.1 It is recommended that the Panel agrees its outline work programme.

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5th January 2021

Background Documents:

Appendix A – Police and Crime Panel Work Programme and Calendar of Meetings 2021/22

POLICE, FIRE & CRIME PANEL CALENDAR OF MEETINGS 2021/22

February 2021	Friday, 5 th February 2021 at 10:30am Remote meeting.	Council Tax precept proposals – policing and fire (to include information on the Supporting Victims Service) Force Control Room performance update (tbc) Standing item on Covid-19 response (tbc)
	Monday, 22 nd February 2021 at 1:30pm <i>Remote meeting</i> .	Precept reserve meeting (if needed).
April 2021	Thursday, 22 nd April 2021 at 10:30am Remote meeting.	Possible cancellation of meeting due to pre-election restrictions.
June 2021	Thursday, 10 th June 2021 at 1:30pm Venue tbc	NEW DATE - Provisional meeting date for confirmation hearings.
July 2021	Thursday 22 nd July at 10:30am Venue tbc	Annual reports for policing and fire and rescue Risk and resource plan for fire and rescue service (tbc – or June 2021) Election of Chair and Vice Chairs
October 2021	Thursday, 14 th October 2021 at 10:30am Venue tbc	Force Control Room – biannual performance update. County Lines update (tbc).
January 2022	Thursday, 13 th January 2022 at 10:30am <i>Venue tbc</i>	'Pre-precept' reports for policing and fire and rescue.
February 2022	Monday 7 th February 2022 at 10:30am Venue tbc	Precept proposals for policing and fire and rescue.

Appendix A

POLICE, FIRE & CRIME PANEL WORK PROGRAMME AND MEETING DATES FOR 2021/22

	Monday, 21 st February 2022 at 1:30pm <i>Venue tbc</i>	Precept reserve meeting (if needed).
April 2022	Thursday, 28 th April at 10:30am	Substantive issues tbc.

Items for regular review by the Panel				
Drug crime in North Yorkshire / County Lines.	Latest update taken as part of Covid-19 response paper (August 2020).	To be kept under regular review by the Panel.		
Force Control Room performance update	Update on performance of the 101 non-emergency service and also 999 service. Latest update report = August 2020.	To be taken bi-annually.		
FolA compliance (NYP and OPFCC)	Update report on performance in handling of FoIA requests and progress against improvement action plan.	Future report to include benchmarking of NY performance against other areas (as agreed July 2019) – currently scheduled for Jan 2021. To be kept under regular review thereafter.		

Other items for future consideration				
Risk and Resource Model (FRS) Model for risk and resourcing for the NYFRS (previously the IRMP).				
Rural crime	Crimes against the person in rural areas – to also draw on work to tackle modern slavery and sexual exploitation.			
Diversity in NYP	Report on diversity within the police force, including developments around recruitment and retention.			

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Criminal justice	Report taken by Panel September 2019, providing an overview of the PFCC's work in this area. Further report to be brought (as agreed Sept 2019) to highlight: - volumes of individuals engaging on interventions, particularly in respect of prevention and early intervention; - outcomes for those involved; - the range of partners involved.
Community safety partnerships	Update report or briefing for Panel by the two CSPs.
Evaluation of the Public Safety Service (FRS)	Update/briefing due to Panel by mid-March 2021.