

North Yorkshire Police, Fire and Crime Panel

6 February 2025

Progress on Issues Raised by the Panel

1.0 Purpose of Report

1.1 To advise Members of

- (i) progress on issues which the Panel has raised at previous meetings; and
- (ii) any other matters that have arisen since the last meeting and which relate to the work of the Panel.

2.0 Background

2.1 This report will be submitted to the Panel as required, listing the Panel's previous resolutions and/or when it requested further information to be submitted to future meetings. The table below provides a list of issues which were identified at previous Panel meetings and which have not yet been resolved. The table also indicates where the issues are regarded as completed and will therefore not be carried forward to this agenda item at the next Panel meeting.

2.2 The Panel is asked to consider whether any further follow-up is required.

| | Date | Minute number and subject (if applicable) | Panel resolution or issue raised | Comment / date required | Status |
|---|-----------------|---|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | 16 January 2025 | 46 / Progress on Issues Raised | Info request for number of detainees escorted to hospital since May 2024. | 28.01.25 | Completed. See Appendix A. |
| 2 | 16 January 2025 | 34 / Members' Questions | NYP policy on attendance at domestic burglaries. | 28.01.25 | Completed See Appendix A. |

3.0 Financial Implications

3.1 There are no significant financial implications arising from this report.

4.0 Legal Implications

4.1 There are no significant legal implications arising from this report.

5.0 Equalities Implications

5.1 There are no significant equalities implications arising from this report.

6.0 Climate Change Implications

6.1 There are no significant climate change implications arising from this report.

7.0 Recommendations

7.1 It is recommended that the Panel:

(a) notes the report

(b) considers whether any of the points highlighted in this report require further follow-up.

Appendices:

Appendix A: Updates against issues raised by the Panel.

Background Documents: None.

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| | Query raised | Response from North Yorkshire Police |
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| 1 | Info request for number of detainees escorted to hospital since May 2024. | 24 detainees have been escorted to hospital in the last three months, at point of publication. |
| 2 | NYP policy on attendance at domestic burglaries. | <p>Our policy states we will attend every report of Burglary Dwelling (homes) where feasible i.e. where the complainant is available it will be graded as a Priority call. Where they are unavailable, or through further conversation it may be an appointment to suit them. There is a focus on scene preservation, crime prevention and vulnerability of the victim.</p> <p>You will see the attendance rates since April this year are generally over 96% and in some months higher – it is unlikely it will get to 100% due to the reasons outlined below but this demonstrates a consistent application of attendance policy.</p> <p>All those which are not attended are reviewed by supervision in the Force Control Room. Some of the reasons for non-attendance are due to the incident being initially finalised as an ‘other’ crime type e.g. criminal damage, vehicle-crime, suspicious circumstances) with appointments created, but then subsequently crimed as burglary after that appointment has taken place and the circumstances become clearer.</p> <p>A small number of reports are made where the victim notifies NYP several weeks after the crime has taken place and they may then refuse to engage or where forensic or witness opportunities are low.</p> <p>The attendance data also includes where a Crime Scene investigator attends as the first resource.</p> <p>NYP monitor have monitored this for some time and provide data on a quarterly basis to the HO.</p> |

| | | | Number of Residential Burglaries | Number Attended | % Attended |
|--|--|-----|----------------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| | | Apr | 81 | 78 | 96.3% |
| | | May | 75 | 72 | 96.0% |
| | | Jun | 87 | 84 | 96.6% |
| | | Jul | 78 | 77 | 98.7% |
| | | Aug | 66 | 62 | 93.9% |
| | | Sep | 66 | 63 | 95.5% |
| | | Oct | 82 | 77 | 93.9% |
| | | Nov | 73 | 70 | 95.9% |
| | | Dec | 61 | 60 | 98.4% |