



STRATEGIC POLICING AND CRIME BOARD

4 October 2016

**Police and Crime Plan 2016 – 2020
Your Police, Your Priorities**

PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. This report notifies the Board of the Commissioner's forthcoming decision to publish a Police and Crime Plan ("the Plan").

BACKGROUND

2. The Board's report on 7 June 2016 outlined the Commissioner's approach to varying the Plan and the process by which such variations can be made. Consultation with the public, partners and the Chief Constable has been undertaken, with significant expertise offered by the Board also.

A draft Plan was considered by the West Midlands Police and Crime Panel (the Panel) on 5 September 2016. The Panel made a formal response to the Plan, to which the Commissioner has responded, as required by the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act. The Panel's views have been taken account of in the Police and Crime Plan.

3. Attached, at **Annex A**, is the proposed Plan.

4. The Commissioner will make a formal decision to issue a varied Police and Crime Plan after this meeting of the Strategic Policing and Crime Board.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5. The process to produce the Police and Crime Plan was conducted hand in hand with the Medium Term Financial Plan. There are also numerous objectives and tasks that have financial implications within the proposed plan these costs will be met from either the Force's or the OPCC's budget.

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

6. The requirements for Police and Crime Plans and the process for making variations were covered in the report to the Board on 7 June 2016.

RECOMMENDATIONS

7. The Board notes the proposed Police and Crime Plan.

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