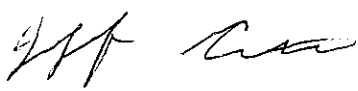


Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent Decision	
PCCG-2017-003	Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent Decision Session
Subject	Community Safety Grant Funding Allocation 2017/18
Summary	The purpose of this paper is to record the decision to provide allocated grant funding to partnership organisations for the financial year 2017/18 only.

DECISION

1. The Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 provides under sections 9 and 10 that the Police and Crime Commissioner for a police area makes crime and disorder grants and acts in co-operation with responsible authorities and makes arrangements with criminal justice agencies for the exercise of functions so as to provide an efficient and effective criminal justice system for the area.
2. I have considered the requirements under the Act, the current service provision landscape in Gwent and the progress made to date in producing a comprehensive grant commissioning framework. I have also facilitated inclusion into the process of Safer Gwent members to devise the application process and assess funding allocations. I have considered the Strategic Commissioning Board recommendations and decided to distribute each of the respective grants to the various organisations in accordance with the schedule attached at Annex A. The total sum awarded is £633,349.
3. Each of these organisations will need to provide me with such information to reassure me that the funding allocated is being used effectively to provide a service that meets my Policing Priorities for Gwent as stipulated in my Police and Crime Plan.
4. The schedule attached at Annex B provides a list of funding requests made through the Safer Gwent process that were not supported by the Strategic Commissioning Board and therefore a decision not to fund at this time has been made. Some of the funding requests have been signposted to more appropriate sources.
5. Successful projects will receive a grant award letter and grant agreement outlining the purpose and amount of the grant which they need to sign and return.

Mr Jeff Cuthbert, Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent	
My decision is as I have recorded in this paper	
Signed 	Date 30/1/17

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Background papers	<p>Police Reform & Social Responsibility Act 2011.</p> <p>Establishing the Strategic Commissioning Board for Gwent – Decision Log: PCCG-2012-015.</p> <p>Safer Gwent Funding Allocation Process for funding applications 2017/18</p>

ANNEX A - APPROVED BIDS

	Title	Area Lead	Funding Approved	Purpose
1	Safer Gwent Analyst	Gwent Police	£35,967	Funding towards Safer Gwent Analyst post – providing a shared data analysis and products to inform Safer Gwent activities.
2	Safer Gwent Coordinator	Caerphilly County Borough Council	£30,895	Funding towards Safer Gwent community Safety Co-ordinator post that is based in Caerphilly County Borough Council's Community Safety Partnership Team. The post provides administration support to Safer Gwent.
3	Positive Futures Provision	Newport City Council	£101,000	Funding towards youth inclusion sports project across Gwent to prevent and divert young people from involvement in antisocial behaviour and crime.
4	Youth Offending Service	Monmouthshire & Torfaen YOS	£110,795	Funding towards three Substance Misuse Worker posts and three Victim Worker posts to enhance and maintain service delivery across the three Youth Offending Services in Gwent.
5	Supporting People with Enduring Alcohol Problems Project	Newport City Council	£8,803.50	Funding towards phase 2 of the project; the employment of a full-time floating support worker for a year. The post will be involved in project group work identifying a suitable property for the phase 3 housing scheme, as well as producing a short research report / study on the development of the housing scheme. <i>Grant to be awarded via the funding underspend for this project from 2016/17 that was not claimed.</i>
6	Gwent Regional IDVA Service	Newport City Council	£151,809	Funding towards an Independent Domestic Violence Advocate (IDVA) Service across all areas of the Gwent region via multi agency centres which will be supported by a team of specialist IDVA's. Funding is also awarded for a Co-ordinator post for six months.
7	ASB & Deliberate Fire Reduction	South Wales Fire & Rescue Service	£28,000	Funding towards the Anti-Social Behaviour and Deliberate Fire Reduction project. The project will build partnerships throughout Gwent to help engage with young people aged 7 – 25 with the aim of creating positive behaviour change in relation to deliberate fire setting and anti-social behaviour.

8	Gwent Regional ASB Service	Torfaen County Borough Council	£147,199	Funding towards the Gwent Regional Anti-Social Behaviour Team to incorporate an Anti-Social Behaviour Co-ordinator and ensure continued funding for local Community Safety Teams.
9	Community Safety Projects & Programmes Support & ASB Shared Database (merged applications)	Newport City Council	£18,880.00	Post of Projects and Performance Officer to ensure co-ordinated approach to provision of ASB reduction across Newport and to strengthen links in communities. Also contribution towards license fee for Multi Shared Access Point and ASB Database

ANNEX B – REJECTED BIDS

Title	Funding Requested
Paws on Patrol	£3,850.00
Telephone Call Blockers	£12,052.80
Cwmbran Business Against Crime	£900.00
Gwent YOS Out of Court Disposals	£120,358.00
Introducing Specialist Violence Against Women, Domestic Abuse, Sexual Violence provision into Social Housing	£47,500.00

