

What is the role of the Police and Crime Commissioner?



INVESTING IN SUPPORTING VICTIMS AND WITNESSES AND REDUCING OFFENDING

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In addition to being accountable to being elected to the public for Hampshire Constabulary's performance, setting the policing element of the council tax and determining the strategy for policing and crime and disorder reduction the Commissioner funds a range of services to support victims and witness and initiatives to reduce offending.



VULNERABLE AND AT RISK

Projects to help prevent CSE through awareness raising and improved early intervention.

Crime prevention projects to help older people and those socially isolated who can be more vulnerable to scams and anti-social behaviour.

Bespoke services targeted at children and young people who are vulnerable or at risk offending and entering the criminal justice system.

New life-saving equipment for Hampshire Search and Rescue.



WORKING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE

Funding for clubs and activities for young people so they have a positive focus for their energy and can access to support, advice and guidance.



Total funding awarded for 2017/18

£3,877,392



RESTORATIVE PRACTICES

An inclusive Restorative Justice service that gives victims the opportunity to communicate with the offender, in the most appropriate way for them. It offers them the opportunity to express how they have been affected by the crime and have their questions answered helping them on their path to recovery.

"I was pleased to be given the opportunity and choice to take part in Restorative Justice. How could I ever gain any 'control' back without allowing them to hear my voice?"

Mediation services to deal with community and neighbour disputes before they escalate.

SUPPORTING VICTIMS

Victim Care Service to provide support for victims of crime to cope with, and recover from, the harmful effects of the crime they have experienced. Supports approximately 70,000 victims of crime each year in Hampshire, the Isle of Wight, Portsmouth and Southampton.

Advocacy support for victims of stalking

Projects and services that work with those affected by domestic abuse offering support, increasing understanding and helping to break the cycle of abuse. "I would hardly recognise that girl that was too afraid to talk to anyone and I'm getting the real me back again."



WORKING WITH OFFENDERS

Projects that work with offenders to address substance misuse and to help them access pathways, material support (ie debt advice and housing) that can help reduce re-offending.



Providing emotional support, counselling, practical support and advice to adults and families affected by sexual crime.

Initiatives to increase identification, reporting and support to the victims of hate.

For information on the specific organisations and projects funded go to hampshire-pcc.gov.uk

WHO'S IN CHARGE OF POLICING?



Serving
Hampshire
Isle of Wight
Portsmouth
Southampton

PUBLIC

- Elect the Police and Crime Commissioner and hold him to account for the police service they receive
- Pay taxes – part of their taxes go to the Home Office to pay, among other things, for policing in England and Wales
- The council tax police precept is raised by the PCC to help pay for local policing services



TAXES

GOVERNMENT

- Sets national policing priorities, known as the Strategic Policing Requirement (i.e. counter terrorism, mutual aid)
- Sets legislation that governs policing
- Allocates funds to PCCs in England and Wales

RAISE CONCERN AND PAY POLICING PRECEPT

FUNDING AND NATIONAL POLICING PRIORITIES



POLICE & CRIME PANEL

- Supports and scrutinises the Commissioner
- Reviews proposed appointments of certain senior positions
- Reviews the PCC's proposed precept

SUPPORTS & SCRUTINISES



HMIC

- Monitor and report on forces and policing activity to encourage improvement
- Provide advice to the Force
- Make information on police performance accessible
- Carry out Force inspections and publish findings

INSPECT



HAMPSHIRE CONSTABULARY

- Led by the Chief Constable Olivia Pinkney
- Deliver operational policing
- Protect the public
- Prevent crime and anti-social behaviour
- Investigate crime
- Help victims of crime
- Operate in line with the Code of Ethics



DIRECTION & CONTROL

CHIEF CONSTABLE

- Leads the officers and staff of Hampshire Constabulary
- Accountable to the Commissioner for the performance of the Force
- Advises PCC on strategy and budget to meet current threats and risk
- Directs and controls the Force
- Responsible for the operational delivery of policing
- Has operational independence and complete discretion as to who, or what, should be investigated
- Explains to the public the operational actions of officers and staff
- Responsible for the Force's Purpose and Areas of Focus
- Is politically independent



SETS POLICING STRATEGY

ADVISES ON STRATEGY & BUDGET