

REPORT TO: Safer Policy and Performance Board

DATE: 12th September 2023

REPORTING OFFICER: Executive Director, Environment & Regeneration

PORTFOLIO: Community Safety

SUBJECT: Police and Crime Commissioners Office

WARD(S) Borough Wide

1.0 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1.1 Cheshire Police & Crime Commissioner attending to provide an overview presentation covering the Police and Crime Plan.

2.0 **RECOMMENDATION:** That the presentation is received.

3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

3.1 The Board received a report in February 2023 outlining the updated Police and Crime Plan launched on 20th January 2023.

3.2 The six key priorities for policing and crime in Cheshire are:

- Prevent and tackle crime
- Make Cheshire's roads safer
- Deliver justice for victims of crime
- Protect vulnerable and at-risk people
- Improve public confidence in policing
- Modernise our Police service

3.3 The Community Safety Team continue to work in partnership with the Police and Crime Commissioners Office on the delivery of work in Halton.

4.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

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- Crime & Disorder Act 1988
 - Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime & Policing Act 2014

5.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 None to report.

6.0 IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCIL'S PRIORITIES

6.1 Children & Young People in Halton

The plan covers all cohorts across the life cycle however, it recognises the strategic policing requirements which identifies child sexual abuse as a priority.

6.2 Employment, Learning & Skills in Halton

Cheshire Constabulary offer opportunities for Special Constables, for people to volunteer in the Police family to make a difference to local communities. The Constabulary and the Community Safety Team have employment and development opportunities.

6.3 A Healthy Halton

Suffering from impacts of crime directly impacts resident's health and wellbeing.

6.4 A Safer Halton

The strategy strives to reduce crime, protect vulnerable residents and create safer neighbourhoods, all of which contribute to building strong and vibrant communities.

6.5 Halton's Urban Renewal

The safety of Halton's neighbourhoods directly impacts on the physical environment.

7.0 RISK ANALYSIS

7.1 There are no risks associated with this report.

8.0 EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES

8.1 None to report.

9.0 CLIMATE CHANGE IMPLICATIONS

9.1 Have no effect on the environment.

10.0 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTION 100D OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972

None under the meaning of the Act.