

ITEM 12

North Yorkshire Police, Fire and Crime Panel

16 January 2020

Work Programme

1 Purpose of Report

1.1 To invite the Panel to:

(a) consider its work programme, providing any suggestions for future items to be taken; and

(b) note the list of meeting dates for 2020/21.

2 Background

2.1 The Panel is responsible for setting its own work programme taking into account the tasks that the Panel must undertake and the priorities defined by the Commissioner within the context of the Police and Crime Plan and Fire and Rescue Plan.

2.2 The work programme at Appendix A highlights those issues which have been previously agreed or which have been added since the last meeting in discussion with the Chair or Vice Chairs. Members are invited to consider where there may be additional issues to schedule into the programme.

2.3 There are also items detailed below which are pending being scheduled into the programme as they require further consideration on their scope and/or need to be scheduled in to fit in with external review/reporting processes.

2.4 Members are also asked to note the dates for Panel meetings in 2020/21 (also at Appendix A).

3 Recommendation

3.1 It is recommended that the Panel:

(a) agrees the current work programme; and

(b) notes the list of meeting dates for 2020/21.

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7th January 2020

Background Documents:

Appendix A – Police and Crime Panel Work Programme and Calendar of Meetings
for 2020/21

Appendix A

POLICE, FIRE & CRIME PANEL WORK PROGRAMME AND MEETING DATES FOR 2020/21

February 2020	Thursday, 6 th February 2020 at 10:30am Grand Meeting Room, 1 Racecourse Lane, Northallerton.	PRECEPT – policing and fire. Drug crime and how this is being tackled (six-monthly update) – to include update from recent drugs summit. Force Control Room update, to include information on inappropriate calls and analysis of demand.
	Thursday, 20 th February 2020 at 10:30am Council Chamber, Hambleton District Council, Northallerton.	Precept Reserve (if needed).
July 2020	Thursday, 9 th July 2020 at 10:30am Venue tbc (Northallerton)	Substantive issues tbc.
October 2020	Thursday, 15 th October 2020 at 10:30am Hudson Meeting Room, City of York Council West Offices, York.	Substantive issues tbc.
January 2021	Thursday, 14 th January 2021 at 10:30am Grand Meeting Room, County Hall, Northallerton.	'Pre-precept' reports for policing and fire.
February 2021	Friday, 5 th February 2021 at 10:30am Grand Meeting Room, County Hall, Northallerton.	PRECEPT – policing and fire
	Monday, 22 nd February 2021 at 1:30pm Grand Meeting Room, County Hall, Northallerton.	Precept Reserve (if needed).
April 2021	Thursday, 22 nd April 2021 at 10:30am Council Chamber, Selby District Council, Selby.	Substantive issues tbc.

Items for regular review by the Panel		
Drug crime in North Yorkshire / County Lines.	Report taken September 2019. Panel to receive a further update on work underway to tackle the problem in February 2020, to include update from multi-agency drugs summit.	<i>To be kept under regular review by the Panel.</i>
Force Control Room performance update	Update on performance of the 101 non-emergency service and also 999 service.	<i>To be taken bi-annually.</i>
FoIA compliance (NYP and OPFCC)	Update report on performance in handling of FoIA requests and progress against improvement action plan.	<i>Report to be taken early 2020 to update and also provide benchmarking of NY performance against other areas (agreed July 2019). To be kept under regular review thereafter.</i>
Other items for future consideration		
Fire and Rescue Plan	Accountability framework for monitoring the effectiveness of the Plan, as agreed by Panel.	<i>Tbc – OPFCC to advise Panel when monitoring arrangements are in place.</i>
Rural crime	Crimes against the person in rural areas – to also draw on work to tackle modern slavery and sexual exploitation.	<i>To be scheduled in 2020.</i>
Reform of the police complaints system	Update report for Panel on impact of changes to the system in 2020.	<i>Tbc – July 2020.</i>
Diversity in NYP	Report on diversity within the police force, including developments around recruitment and retention.	<i>Tbc.</i>

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Criminal justice	Report taken by Panel September 2019, providing an overview of the PFCC's work in this area. Further report to be brought (as agreed Sept 2019) to highlight: - volumes of individuals engaging on interventions, particularly in respect of prevention and early intervention; - outcomes for those involved; - the range of partners involved.	<i>Tbc.</i>
Health and wellbeing within the police force and OPCC.	Report to look at welfare of staff and officers within NYP and OPCC, particularly for more pressurised roles.	<i>Tbc</i>
Community safety partnerships	Update report or briefing for Panel by the two CSPs.	<i>Tbc</i>
Body-worn cameras	Panel will take this issue once a report with further recommendations is ready to go forward from NYP. Further rollout is dependent on NYP achieving planned savings.	<i>Tbc</i>
CCTV in North Yorkshire and York – overview of PFCC's proposals.	Report outlining the PFCC's proposals for CCTV across the force area and links in to criminal justice.	<i>Tbc.</i>