

Sussex Police and Crime Panel

Members are hereby requested to attend the meeting of the Police and Crime Panel, to be held at 10.30 a.m. on Friday 7 April 2017 at County Hall, Lewes.

Tony Kershaw

Clerk to the Police and Crime Panel

31 March 2017

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Indicative timetable

Item 1	10:30 – 10:40	Declarations of Interests
Item 2		Minutes of previous meeting
Item 3		Urgent Matters
Item 4	10.40 to 11.10	Harassment & Stalking
Item 5	11:10 – 11:55	PEEL Effectiveness Report
Item 6	11:55 – 12:05	Quarterly Report of Complaints
Item 7	12:05 – 12:10	Written Questions
Item 8	12:10 – 12:25	Questions for the Commissioner
Item 9	12:25 – 12:30	Date of next meeting

A g e n d a

1. Declarations of Interest

Members and officers must declare any pecuniary or personal interest in any business on the agenda. They should also make declarations at any stage such an interest becomes apparent during the meeting. Consideration should be given to leaving the meeting if the nature of the interest warrants it. If in doubt contact Democratic Services, West Sussex County Council before the meeting.

2. Minutes

To confirm the minutes of the previous meeting on 20 January 2017 – [attached](#) on *buff* paper.

3. Urgent Matters

Items not on the agenda which the Chairman of the meeting is of the opinion should be considered as a matter of urgency.

4. Harassment & Stalking

Following the murder of Shana Grice, the Independent Police Complaints Commission has initiated a criminal investigation. While discussion of the events and circumstances around the murder could prejudice the outcome of the investigation, Victim Focus and Public Confidence were central tenets of the Police and Crime Plan in effect in 2016, and the Panel may wish to question the Commissioner more generically about the issues of stalking and harassment.

5. Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary's (HMIC's) Police Effectiveness, Efficiency and Legitimacy (PEEL) programme

Report by the Police and Crime Commissioner – [attached](#).

The Effectiveness inspection is an annual inspection of Sussex Police as part of HMIC's Police Effectiveness, Efficiency and Legitimacy (PEEL) programme. The attached report provides the outcome of the annual inspection published on 2 March 2017 and the response of the Commissioner.

The Panel is asked to consider the report and the endorsement of the Group's recommendations.

6. Quarterly Report of Complaints

Report by the Clerk to the Police and Crime Panel – [attached](#).

Six pieces of correspondence have been received since the last meeting of the Panel. The report provides details of the complaints received and the action taken.

There are currently no complaints awaiting final determination by the Panel or the Clerk to the Panel.

The Panel is asked to consider the report and raise any issues or concerns regarding the complaints received.

7. Written Questions

Report by the Clerk to the Police and Crime Panel – [attached](#).

Written questions may be submitted by members of the public up to two weeks in advance of a meeting. The Chairman of the Panel or the Commissioner will be invited to provide a response by noon of the day before the meeting.

Questions have been received from two correspondents prior to this meeting of the Panel. The questions to the Commissioner are attached for the Panel to note. Responses to the questions will be tabled at the meeting

Please can members ensure that any supplementary questions relate specifically to the subject matter of the initial question.

8. Commissioner's Question Time

The Panel is asked to raise any issues or queries concerning crime and policing in Sussex with the Commissioner.

There will be one question per member only and one supplementary question; further supplementary questions allowable only where time permits. The Chairman will seek to group together questions on the same topic.

9. Date of Next Meeting and Future Meeting Dates

The next meeting of the Panel will take place on Friday 30 June 2017, 11.00 a.m. at County Hall, Lewes.

Future meeting dates below:

Friday 6 October 2017

Friday 19 January 2018

To: all members of the Sussex Police and Crime Panel