Police and Crime Commissioner for Surrey – Decision Making Record

Victims Fund

Decision number: 003/2019 **Author and Job Role:** Damian Markland, Victims Policy Officer **Protective Marking:** Part One

1.0 Executive Summary

In October 2014, the Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) took on responsibility for commissioning support services for victims of crime to help them cope and recover.

For the financial year 2018/19 the PCC was allocated £1,370,103 by the Ministry of Justice for the commissioning and/or provision of emotional and practical support services for victims' of crime. This devolved funding has been allocated in accordance with the grant.

However, the PCC has agreed to allocate a further sum of £20,000 towards the provision of the service outlined in section 2. This funding is to be taken from the OPCC's underspend and its utilisation will be monitored in the same manner as all formal grants.

2.0 Agreed funding

Service: DA Outreach Advocate Pilot

Provider: North Surrey Domestic Abuse Service

Grant: £21,000

Summary: To allow continuation of the DA Outreach Advocate pilot. The post holder will be based in Staines police station working alongside officers in the Area Policing Teams and Safeguarding Investigation Unit to better support victims of domestic abuse.

3.0 Police and Crime Commissioner Approval

I approve the recommendations as detailed in **Section 2.0** of this report.

Signature:

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Date: 11 January 2019

(All decisions must be added to the decision register.)