

Police and Crime Commissioner for Surrey – Decision Making Record

Reducing Reoffending Fund Application – November 2019

Decision number: 022/2019

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Protective Marking: Official

Executive Summary:

For 2019/20 the Police and Crime Commissioner has made available £255,000 of funding to reduce reoffending in Surrey. With external grants awarded to the value of £86,132, £25,000 from the CSF towards HICD and funding awarded for other services to date, this means the total amount available in November 2019 is £46,314 (with £29,993 committed to Transform Housing before April 2020).

In November 2019 the fund received the following applications;

Applications for Small Grants under £5000

Surrey Police - The Ben Kinsella Trust project – £2000

The Ben Kinsella Trust aims to raise public awareness of knife crime and to educate children and young people of the consequences of knife crime and the devastating effect that it has on families. Above all, Ben's family desperately urge anyone who carries a knife or weapon to lay it down and think about the pain and suffering they may cause. Through 'choices and consequences' workshops, a walk through exhibition which incorporates actors, the aim through education is to prevent knife crime and reduce victims.

Recommendation

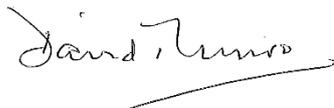
The Commissioner supports the standard grant application to the Reducing Reoffending Fund and awards to the following;

- £2000 to Surrey Police to deliver the Ben Kinsella Trust Project

Police and Crime Commissioner Approval

I approve the recommendation(s):

Signature:



Date: 26th November 2019

All decisions must be added to the decision register.

Areas of consideration

Consultation

Consultation has taken place with appropriate lead officers depending on the application. All applications have been asked to supply evidence of any consultation and community engagement.

Financial implications

All applications have been asked to supply accurate financial information including the total costs of the project with breakdown where the money will be spent; any additional funding secured or applied for and plans for on-going funding. The Community Safety Fund Decision Panel/ Partnership and Victims policy officers considers the financial risks and opportunities when looking at each application.

Legal

Legal advice is taken on an application by application basis.

Risks

The Community Safety Fund Decision Panel/Partnership and Victims policy officers considers any risks in the allocation of funding. It is also part of the process to consider when refusing an application the service delivery risks if appropriate.

Equality and diversity

Each application will be requested to supply appropriate equality and diversity information as part of the monitoring requirements. All applicants are expected to adhere to the Equality Act 2010

Risks to human rights

Each application will be requested to supply appropriate human rights information as part of the monitoring requirements. All applicants are expected to adhere to the Human Rights Act.