

## **NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL**

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#### **Crime and Disorder Strategy 2022 – 2025**

#### **1. OBJECT AND KEY POINTS IN THIS REPORT**

- 1.1 For Council to approve and support the North Lincolnshire Crime and Disorder Strategy 2022-25 which sets out the shared priorities of the North Lincolnshire Community Safety Partnership for the next three years.

#### **2. BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

- 2.1 The Crime and Disorder Act 1998 The Crime and Disorder Act 1998 places a duty on the police and local authorities to work together with key partners and organisations to develop and implement local crime reduction strategies.
- 2.2 In developing such strategies, the Community Safety Partnership (CSP) must identify key local crime-and-disorder priorities through consultation, and by analysing crime-and-disorder levels and patterns in the area through the Joint Strategic Intelligence Assessment (JSIA).
- 2.4 Following the JSIA the CSP developed a three-year strategy which sets out the key priorities for reducing crime and anti-social behaviour in North Lincolnshire. The Strategy sets out the following key outcomes:
- **People are Safe**
    - Organised Crime
    - Safety for Women and Girls in Public Spaces
    - Domestic Abuse
    - Night Time Economy
    - Violence Associated with Young People
  - **Vulnerable People are Protected and Supported**
    - Those who are at risk of Sexual Exploitation
    - Homelessness and Begging
    - Risk Outside the Home (ROTH) – Exploitation
  - **Assurance around Key Statutory Business Functions**

- Contest and Prevent
- Substance Misuse
- Modern Day Slavery and Trafficking
- Reducing Re- Offending.

### 3. **OPTIONS FOR CONSIDERATION**

- 3.1 This report is to seek Council approval of the North Lincolnshire Crime and Disorder Strategy which sets out the shared priorities of the North Lincolnshire Community Safety Partnership.

Priorities have been agreed by the Partnership and all are underpinned by comprehensive action plans and implementation structures. The Strategy is complimentary to other plans and strategies and will be subject to an annual review.

### 4. **ANALYSIS OF OPTIONS**

- 4.1 The development of the 3-year strategy is a requirement of the Crime and Disorder Act. The Strategy has been approved by the Community Safety Partnership Statutory Partners following extensive analysis and consultation.
- 4.2 The Crime and Disorder Strategy is a key strategy that forms part of the Council's Policy Framework and as such requires approval by Full Council.

### 5. **FINANCIAL AND OTHER RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS (e.g. LEGAL, HR, PROPERTY, IT, COMMUNICATIONS etc.)**

- 5.1 **Statutory:** The Crime and Disorder Strategy specifies how the Community Safety Partnership will continue to meet its statutory requirements.
- 5.2 **Financial:** Development of an appropriate Strategy is a requirement of the grant agreement with the Police and Crime Commissioner and the Strategy has also been submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner as a required condition for receipt of the Community Safety Grant.

### 6. **OTHER RELEVANT IMPLICATIONS (e.g. CRIME AND DISORDER, EQUALITIES, COUNCIL PLAN, ENVIRONMENTAL, RISK etc.)**

- 6.1 The 3-year Crime and Disorder Strategy is in line with our ongoing commitment to the ambitions and priorities articulated in the Council Plan.

**7. OUTCOMES OF INTEGRATED IMPACT ASSESSMENT (IF APPLICABLE)**

7.1 A Stage one Integrated Impact Assessment (IIA) has been undertaken and there are no material potential negative impacts identified in relation to the proposal.

**8. OUTCOMES OF CONSULTATION AND CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS DECLARED**

8.1 Key stakeholders were engaged in the development of the Crime and Disorder Strategy and their views were considered to shape and influence priority setting. The Strategy received final approval by the Community Safety Partnership at the CSP meeting in July 2022

8.2 The Strategy was considered by the Places Scrutiny Panel on the 20<sup>th</sup> September 2022 and was endorsed by the Panel.

**9. RECOMMENDATIONS**

9.1 For Council to approve and support the Crime and Disorder Strategy 2022-25 which is a key document in the delivery of Community Safety in North Lincolnshire.

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**Background Papers used in the preparation of this report:**

North Lincolnshire Crime and Disorder Strategy 2022-2025