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**Title of report** PCC Community Safety Fund – Additional Thurrock Safeguarding Adults Board funding

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## 1. Purpose of report

1.1. To seek approval for the allocation of £13,000 in the form of a crime and disorder reduction grant to Thurrock Adults Safeguarding Board.

#### 2. Recommendations

2.1. Approve the allocation of a proportion of the 2015-16 Community Safety Fund grant to invest in a Hidden Harm fund to coincide with the announcement of the amendment of the Police & Crime Plan to incorporate hidden harm as an area of focus.

#### 3. Benefits of Proposal

- 3.1. This funding provides additional resources to allow Thurrock Adults
  Safeguarding Board to perform its statutory duties to safeguard vulnerable adults across Thurrock.
- 3.2. Part of this funding will be used to cover the increase in the number of resource-intensive serious case reviews in Thurrock which place additional cost implications on Safeguarding Boards.

#### 4. Background and proposal

- 4.1. Safeguarding Adult Boards were placed on a statutory footing from April 2015, formalising a number of their responsibilities.
- 4.2. This funding is in addition to the core funding allocated to the Board at the beginning of the financial year.

4.3. Other statutory partners have also been asked to make additional funding available to support the extra requirements as a result of a number of serious case reviews in Thurrock this financial year

#### 5. Police and Crime Plan

- 5.1. This proposal supports the PCC's vision and delivery of the following key areas of focus:
  - Ensuring local solutions meet local problems
  - Increasing efficiency in policing through collaborative working and innovation

## 6. Police Operational Implications

6.1 There are no operational implications.

#### 7. Financial Implications

7.1 The PCC would provide £13,000 to Thurrock Adults Safeguarding Board.

## 8. Legal Implications

8.1 The award of the grant is subject to the PCC's standard funding agreement.

## 9. Staffing and other resource implications

9.1 There are no staffing issues

## 10. Equality and Diversity implications

10.1 There are no equality and diversity implications

# **Report Approval**

Chief Executive/M.O

Chief Financial Officer

The report will be signed off by the Chief Executive and CFO and the PCC Solicitor where legal implications arise.

PCC Legal Advisor (As necessary)	
Decision	
I agree the recommendations to this report	
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I do not agree the recommendations to this report because	
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## **Publication**

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