

DYFED-POWYS POLICE AND CRIME PANEL
16/11/18

PANEL PRIORITY 3

SCRUTINY OF THE POLICE AND CRIME PLAN – CALL FOR EVIDENCE FROM CARMARTHENSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Recommendations / key decisions required:

To note the evidence from Councillor Cefin Campbell, Executive Board Member for Community Safety

Reasons:

The Members of the Panel have identified scrutiny of the Police and Crime Plan as one of their priorities for 2018-2019. In particular Members wished to satisfy themselves that the Well-Being of Future Generations Act Plan for Carmarthenshire and the Police and Crime Plan for Dyfed-Powys were consistent with each other and served to promote collaborative working between public services throughout the County.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY
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The Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act') places a statutory duty upon Police and Crime Commissioners to publish a Police and Crime Plan setting out their priorities. The 2011 Act also places a statutory duty upon Police and Crime Panels to scrutinise such Plans and monitor their effectiveness.

The Dyfed-Powys Police and Crime Panel has identified this function as one of their priorities for 2018-2019 and nominated their Vice-chairman, Professor Ian Roffe to act as the lead member (or Panel Champion) in respect of it.

The Panel wishes to satisfy itself that the Well-being of Future Generations Act Plan for Carmarthenshire and the Police and Crime Plan for Dyfed-Powys are consistent with each other and promote collaborative working between public services across the County.

As part of this process the Panel has invited Councillor Cefin Campbell, Executive Board Member for Community Safety to attend the meeting for the purpose of setting out the Council's views on this issue and in particular on;

1. Whether he considers there is any need to review the Police and Crime Plan in light of the changing nature of the threats to our communities
 2. Whether he considers there is any need to review the plan in order to better align it with the well-being plan for Carmarthenshire to ensure the needs of Carmarthenshire residents are addressed as effectively as possible
 3. Whether he considers there is any need to change how the Police, Council and other public sector stakeholders collaborate in Carmarthenshire in order to assist in effective delivery of the Police and Crime Plan
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4. Whether he considers there is any need to review the Commissioners Rural Crime strategy in order to better align it with the well-being plan for Carmarthenshire
 5. Whether he considers there is any need to review the rural crime strategy in light of the changing nature of the threats to our communities

6. Whether he would like to see any changes in relation to the Commissioner's approach to the management of the Police estate, including on the question of the location/relocation of police stations.

DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED?

NO

Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information

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

THESE ARE DETAILED BELOW

Title of Document	File Ref No.	Locations that the papers are available for public inspection
Host Authority File	LS-0511/39	County Hall Carmarthen