

**AGENDA ITEM 8**

Essex Police and Crime Panel	<b>EPCP/028/14</b>
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**Police and Crime Plan: Refresh 2014/15**

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**1 Purpose of Report**

- 1.1 This report seeks feedback from the Police and Crime Panel on the update of the Police and Crime Plan. (Annex A).

**2 Background**

- 2.1 The original Police Crime Plan was endorsed by this Panel at its February 2013 meeting. It covers the period Nov 2012 - 2016.
- 2.2 After one year in office, the PCC is keen to refresh the plan to provide an update on progress made as well as indicate future developments. He is, however, clear that the overarching priorities set out in the original plan (the '8 key areas of focus') remain the same.
- 2.3 The draft Police and Crime Plan 2014 before the Panel today represents an update and a look forward from the existing Plan. It is not a new Plan.
- 2.4 It also includes an overview of Community safety Partnership priorities for '14/15. This is attached at Annex B
- 2.5 The draft presents the text only. Once the text has been finalised, we will add photographs and graphics before publishing on the website. It will be presented in a very similar format to that of the original Plan.
- 2.6 We would encourage sharing of the draft Plan with Community Safety Partnership managers, if Panel members consider this appropriate.

**3 Recommendation**

- 3.1 The panel is asked to comment on the draft update. Once the panel has fed back, we will use this feedback to inform the final version. We will also circulate to wider stakeholders to seek their input.