

AGENDA ITEM 8

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| Essex Police and Crime Panel | EPCP/17/13 |
| Date: 22 October 2013 | |

Planning the Business of the Panel

Report by the Secretary to the Panel

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Purpose of report and background

To begin to plan out the business of the Panel.

Meetings of the Panel are scheduled for 2.30pm on 12 December 2013; and 29 January; 20 February; and 19 June 2014.

Business proposed to be taken to the meetings is as follows:

| Date | Performance for period up to | Other business |
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| 12 December 2013 | End October | |
| 29 January 2014 | End November – exceptions only | Consider the Commissioner's proposed Precept |
| 20 February 2014 | End December 2013 (Q3) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date held in case the Panel needs to consider alternative proposals for the precept • Update of the Police and Crime Plan |
| 19 June 2014 | End March 2014 (Q4) – Linked to Annual Report | |

The Panel is asked to indicate if there is any other business it would like to consider.

It has been suggested that the Panel might look at Part Light Street Lighting. If it wishes to do so it will have to be within very clear parameters. It will not be possible to question the County Council's policy. Questioning would be around whether the Commissioner is satisfied that the Chief Constable is able to influence where lights are left on and to judge any operational impact and the impact on criminal activity.