



July 2019

STRATEGIC OUTCOMES

- People are confident that the service is there when they need it
- People feel safe within their communities
- People feel they are treated with dignity and respect

ACTIVITY SINCE LAST REPORT

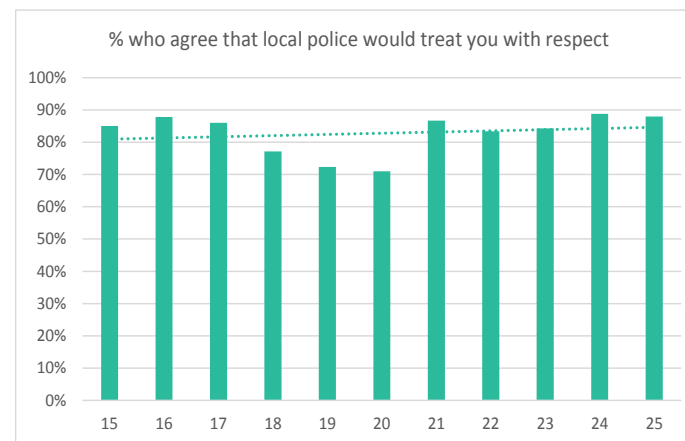
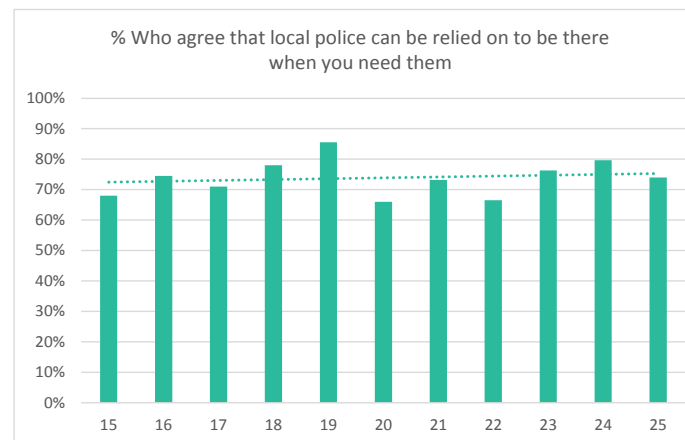
- Over £13,000 profit was raised for the Staffordshire Police Cadets at a fundraising event at Chillington Hall organised by Deputy Commissioner Sue Arnold which saw over 120 guests enjoy a meal and entertainment. All proceeds will go direct to the cadet service to help expand the scheme.
- Commissioner's comms team has worked with New Era comms to issue an updated release around how many people have been helped through the service over the last six months – nearly 3,000. This release was tailored for each area with individual figures for how many people had sought help, including perpetrators in each area of the county.
- Grants through the People Power Fund (PPF) Round 1 have been agreed, totalling £23,454 and supporting 13 grants, in line with the Commissioner's priorities.
- Grants through the Proceeds of Crime Fund (POCA) Round 1 have been agreed, totalling £40,965 and supporting 6 grants in line with the Commissioner's priorities. There are 2 applications where further information is being sought therefore final decisions have not yet been made.
- Recruitment process ongoing for Safer Neighbourhood Panel members.
- Transformation update sessions have been held for the SNP's in the 3 response hub locations giving opportunity to discuss and ask questions relating to the new operating model.
- Ethics, Transparency & Audit Panel reviewed delivery of Independent Custody Visitor Scheme and gave some low level recommendations for enhancement of the scheme.
- Independent Custody Visiting Scheme received the Gold Standard award from the ICV Association for compliance against Quality Assurance Framework.
- CoPACC Statutory Transparency mark awarded to Staffordshire for the second consecutive year.
- ETAP have started the annual self-assessment process facilitated by RSM.
- Development with regional colleagues of the ICV conference for October 2019.
- Cadet Fundraising event held with great success gaining in excess of £13'000 worth of funding for continued delivery of the Cadets programme.
- There has been a positive transition of the Youth Commission to Safer Communities CIC with currently 21 Youth Commission members. A recently developed three tier system will allow more flexibility for volunteers involvement. New recruits start as advisors

PLANNED ACTIVITY BEFORE NEXT REPORT

- The Deputy Commissioner will explore the possibility of Staffordshire Police Cadets becoming 'anti-sexting ambassadors' working alongside the Cannock and District Soroptimists.
- Cadets will continue to work within the community at events such as the Kings Bromley show, UK Cops at the National Memorial Arboretum and the Leek show.
- We are working with New Era comms currently to finalise a communications strategy, which includes a timeline of activity to be undertaken over the coming months.
- The Staffordshire Smart Alert contract, keeping communities and businesses up to date with police related community safety advice and guidance will be reviewed.
- POCA Round 1 2019-20 to be awards to be finalised.
- Internal Audit to review Governance Framework early summer, work ongoing.
- Induction Training for recently recruited SNP & ICV members is ongoing.
- Scoping of Appropriate Adult Service in preparation for transfer of oversight to SCO responsibility is to continue.
- Scoping and development of a Police Dog welfare scheme within Staffordshire.
- Review and reissue of the Governance Framework for the Staffordshire Commissioner FRA.
- Receipt of ETAP self-assessment, creation of an action plan to address any recommendations from the assessment.

MILESTONES AHEAD

- A review of outcomes from the Proceeds of Crime fund awards will be undertaken by the SCO in line with evaluation criteria.
- A review of outcomes from the People Power fund awards will be undertaken by the SCO in line with evaluation criteria.
- ICV Regional Conference Saturday 5th October 2019.



Source: Feeling the Difference Survey waves 15 - 25

