

Action List: Sussex Police and Crime Panel – 24 March 2023

Agenda Item	Action	Responsibility	Status
<p>Item 4.</p> <p>Public and Panel Questions to the Commissioner</p>	<p>1) Could the Commissioner clarify the gender balance of Sussex Police’s senior leadership team?</p>	<p>OSPCC</p>	<p>The Chief Officer team within Sussex Police comprises seven individuals – three females [43%] and four males [57%].</p> <p>Further information about each of the individuals and their respective roles within Sussex Police can be viewed through the following link: https://www.sussex.police.uk/police-forces/sussex-police/areas/au/about-us/senior-leaders/</p> <p style="text-align: right;">COMPLETED.</p>
<p>Item 4.</p> <p>Public and Panel Questions to the Commissioner</p>	<p>2)</p> <p>i) The Commissioner offered to arrange a meeting with Sussex Police’s mental health lead in follow-up to the recent letter from Dr Jane Padmore (CEO of Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust).</p> <p>ii) The Commissioner also offered to share the letter with Lisa Townsend, Surrey PCC, and joint lead for mental health and custody at the Association of Police and Crime Commissioners (APCC).</p>	<p>OSPCC</p>	<p>i) A meeting between the Commissioner and Andrew Gordon, Mental Health Lead for Sussex Police, has been arranged for 10 May 2023 to discuss the letter from Dr Padmore.</p> <p>ii) The Commissioner shared a copy of the letter from Dr Padmore with Lisa Townsend, Surrey Police and Crime Commissioner, on 31 March 2023 in her capacity as joint APCC lead for mental health and custody.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">COMPLETED.</p>

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<p>Item 4.</p> <p>Public and Panel Questions to the Commissioner</p>	<p>3)</p> <p>i) The Chairman agreed to write, on behalf of the Panel, to the Chairs of the Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Committee (West Sussex County Council), Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (East Sussex County Council) and Health and Wellbeing Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Brighton and Hove City Council) to suggest the formation of a cross-council working group to monitor the three improvement areas addressed by Dr Padmore and feedback to the Panel following improvements made to the Trust's crisis pathways from 1 October 2023.</p> <p>ii) The Commissioner suggested that the Chairman also shares the paper presented to the Panel on 27 January with the working group for context – 'The role of the Sussex Police & Crime Commissioner in ensuring Sussex Police provides an effective response to mental health'.</p>	<p>PCP</p>	<p>IN PROGRESS.</p>