

# COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP

## REPORT

**Subject:** London Crime Prevention Fund (LCPF) Community and Voluntary Sector (CVS) Grant 2023/24

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### 1. Purpose of Presenting the Report and Decisions Required

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to update the Community Safety Partnership (CSP) on the London Crime Prevention Fund (LCPF).
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### 2. Overview

- 2.1 The London Borough of Barking and Dagenham (LBBDD) receive funding from Mayor for Policing and Crime (MOPAC) called the LCPF to commission and deliver services to address and prevent crime and disorder. The funding allocated through the LCPF for financial year 2023/25 is £451,054.
- 2.2 The process consists of key leads and commissioners within the CSP reviewing the Crime and Disorder Strategic Assessment (CDSA) to look at local data, crime trends, patterns, hotspot areas and crime types to support in identifying the gaps in provision and service need for the borough. The use this data to help shape our funding proposal addressing priority areas identified. A funding proposal outlining a delivery, outcomes and impact is develop and is submitted to MOPAC. Each contract or service that is commissioned under the LCPF is required to have quarterly contract monitoring meeting or provide a quarterly delivery update and end of year reports to ensure that the project delivery is successful and achieving outcomes agreed.
- 2.3 Within the LCPF, a funding is ringfenced for the Community and Voluntary Sector (CVS) organisations to apply for to deliver local interventions and services to meet the CSP priorities. A funding specification is designed under the partnership which sets out where the partnership is seeking to commission services and what we aim to achieve within those contracts. This is reviewed and new services commissioned annually.

The LCPF CVS funding for 2023/24 still needs to be committed therefore a review of the funding specification has been undertaken. As part of this review the CSP team have consulted with representatives across the partnership to review and update the specification, this has been shared with board members for their input and following that board approval.

- 2.4 The funding specification was made live on One Borough Voice and providers were contacted inviting to apply and share through their networks. Applications closed on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2023. These have now been shared with a identified scoring panel. Scoring will be collated and highest scoring applications will be awarded contracts. Funding delivery will need to be finalised by 31 March 2024 in line with the funding timelines provided by MOPAC.

**3. List of Appendices:**

Appendix 1: LCPF CVS Funding Specification 2023/24