



THE POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR CLEVELAND

DECISION RECORD FORM

REQUEST: For PCC approval.			
Title: Donation to NEPACS			
<p>Executive Summary: NEPACS is a North East charity which has been supporting people affected by imprisonment for over 130 years. They aim to support a positive future for prisoners and their families in the North East of England by providing practical and emotional support.</p> <p>NEPACS has provided grants for individuals impacted by imprisonment for many decades. Traditionally this was to fund training courses or tools for a trade and they continue to offer this kind of support. People coming out of prison are faced with an almost impossible challenge as they no longer have recourse to public funds for clothes or household goods to re-establish their lives on the outside. The £46 discharge grant has not increased in 20 years and so those coming out from prison are increasingly reliant on food banks, clothing banks and charity. Without immediate support there is an increased likelihood of people offending again.</p> <p>The Chief Executive of NEPACS is taking part in the Great North Swim and swimming 1 mile across Lake Windermere to raise money for prisoners to be given small grants when coming out of prison. The PCC has made a donation towards NEPACS.</p>			
Decision: To approve £250.00 donation from the Police Property Act Fund for NEPACS.			
OPCC Lead Officer: Jenny Yates			
Contractor Details (if applicable):			
Implications:			
Has consideration been taken of the following:	Yes	No	
Financial	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Legal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Equality & Diversity	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Human Rights	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Sustainability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Risk	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(If yes please provide further details below)			

Decision Required – Supporting Information

Financial Implications: (Must include comments of the PCC's Chief Finance Officer where the decision has financial implications)

There is sufficient funding within the Property Act fund to support this application.

Legal Implications: (Must include comments of the Monitoring Officer where the decision has legal implication)

A donation for charitable purposes pursuant to the PCC's powers as 'relevant authority' set out in the Police Property Act 1897.

Equality and Diversity Implications

None apply.

Human Rights Implications

None apply.

Sustainability Implications

None apply.

Risk Management Implications

None apply.

OFFICER APPROVAL

Monitoring Officer

I have been consulted about the decision and confirm that financial, legal, and equalities advice has been taken into account. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Signed 

Date 27/6/17

Police and Crime Commissioner:

The above request HAS my approval.

Signed 

Date 27/6/17