

DMPC Decision – PCD 898

Title: Grant Funding Acceptance – Serious Organised Crime (SOC) Community Coordinator

Executive Summary:

This paper seek approval for the acceptance of Home Office grant funding of £330,000 for 2020/21 only to fund the coordinator and various intervention project costs associated with the final year of a three year pilot to address serious and organised crime in Haringey and Enfield. The paper also seeks approval for the delegation for the payment of grants for the intervention projects.

Recommendation:

The Deputy Mayor for Policing and Crime is recommended to:

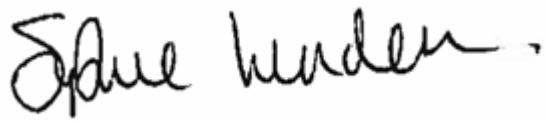
1. Approve the acceptance of a grant totalling £330,000 from the Home Office to fund Year 3 of a pilot to test the impact of Community Coordinators on Serious and Organised Crime.
2. Approve payment of grants out totalling £230,000 to selected partners. This is on the condition that those projects meet the Home Office funding criteria & are approved by the local SOC CC delivery board.

Deputy Mayor for Policing and Crime

I confirm I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct. Any such interests are recorded below.

The above request has my approval.

Signature



Date

7/12/2020

PART I - NON-CONFIDENTIAL FACTS AND ADVICE TO THE DMPC

1. Introduction and background

- 1.1. This paper seeks the authority to accept grant funding from the Home Office for the third year of a three year pilot on Serious Organised Crime (SOC) Community Coordinator project.

2. Issues for consideration

- 2.1. The grant will be used to fund the costs of the Community Coordinator for 2020/21 estimated at £100,000, and for the provision of grants to up to a total value of £230,000
- 2.2. The MPS has a standing delegation to award grants up to a value of £50,000 and report these to MOPAC on a quarterly basis. None of the current proposed grants are above this level but if an intervention project is estimated to be £50,000 or above MPS seek approval to award the grant following confirmation of meeting the HO grant funding criteria and approval of the local SOC Community Coordinator Board.
- 2.3. The MPS state that the acceptance of the grant “contributes to the MOPAC policing and crime plan by helping to keep children & young people safe. We will do this through investment in initiatives that directly help support and divert our young people away from crime & the impact of organised crime.”

3. Financial Comments

- 3.1. The proposal is for the acceptance of grant funding of £330,000 for 2020/21.
- 3.2. There is no confirmed funding after 31 March 2021. The recipients of any grant funding are aware that the funding is only available to the end of this financial year.

4. Legal Comments

- 4.1. The Home Office grant is being offered under s.169 of the Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1984.
- 4.2. Under Schedule 3 Paragraph 7 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 (“2011 Act”) MOPAC may do anything which is calculated to facilitate, or is conducive or incidental to, the exercise of the functions of the Office which includes entering into contracts and other agreements (whether legally binding or not). Making a crime and disorder reduction grant is a legally binding agreement which is justified by the fact that it will secure, or contribute to securing, crime and disorder reduction within the Metropolitan Police District (“MPD”) and this is within the exercise of MOPAC’s functions.

- 4.3. Paragraph 4.8 of the MOPAC Scheme of Delegation and Consent provides that the Deputy Mayor for Policing and Crime (DMPC) has delegated authority to approve all bids for grant funding.
- 4.4. Paragraph 4.8 of the MOPAC's Scheme of Consent and Delegation provides the DMPC with delegated power to approve the strategy for the award of individual and/or the award of all individual grants whether to secure or contribute to securing crime reduction in London or for other purposes

5. GDPR and Data Privacy

- 5.1. MOPAC will adhere to the Data Protection Act (DPA) 2018 and ensure that any organisations who are commissioned to do work with or on behalf of MOPAC are fully compliant with the policy and understand their GDPR responsibilities.
- 5.2. The MPS have assured that the Information Assurance and Information Rights units within MPS will be consulted at all stages to ensure the project meets its compliance requirements and that each bidder has been asked how information will be shared between partners in a way that is consistent with local information sharing protocols and compliant with the GDPR. There is an expectation that service user data will be protected in accordance with GDPR & Data Protection Act. Statistical information used to monitor & evaluate the success of each project will be anonymized.

6. Equality Comments

- 6.1. MOPAC is required to comply with the public sector equality duty set out in section 149(1) of the Equality Act 2010. This requires MOPAC to have due regard to the need to eliminate discrimination, advance equality of opportunity and foster good relations by reference to people with protected characteristics. The protected characteristics are: age, disability, gender reassignment, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex and sexual orientation.
- 6.2. The MPS has assured that local authority consultation has taken place in order to identify organisations known to provide services to support and divert local communities from crime, and that the funding application process has been launched in order to provide every organisation the same opportunity to apply for funding.
- 6.3. The MPS state that the purpose of the Community Coordinator pilot is to reduce the impact of SOC on communities and protect the most vulnerable members of society from criminal exploitation. The project has worked to deliver a whole system approach to tackling SOC through activities that involve targeted Prevent interventions, community resilience-building and strategic communications that develop capability on the ground.

7. Background/supporting papers

- Appendix 1 MPS Report Serious & Organised Crime, Community Coordinator – Home Office Funding

Public access to information

Information in this form (Part 1) is subject to the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) and will be made available on the MOPAC website following approval.

If immediate publication risks compromising the implementation of the decision it can be deferred until a specific date. Deferral periods should be kept to the shortest length strictly necessary.

Part 1 Deferral:

Is the publication of Part 1 of this approval to be deferred? NO

If yes, for what reason:

Until what date: n/a

Part 2 Confidentiality: Only the facts or advice considered as likely to be exempt from disclosure under the FOIA should be in the separate Part 2 form, together with the legal rationale for non-publication.

Is there a **Part 2** form – YES

ORIGINATING OFFICER DECLARATION	<i>Tick to confirm statement (✓)</i>
Financial Advice: The Strategic Finance and Resource Management Team has been consulted on this proposal.	✓
Legal Advice: The MPS legal team has been consulted on the proposal.	✓
Equalities Advice: Equality and diversity issues are covered in the body of the report.	✓
Commercial Issues Commercial issues are not applicable.	✓
GDPR/Data Privacy • GDPR compliance issues are covered in the body of the report.	✓
Director/Head of Service: The interim Chief Finance Officer has reviewed the request and is satisfied it is correct and consistent with the MOPAC’s plans and priorities.	✓

Chief Executive Officer

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that financial, legal and equalities advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Deputy Mayor for Policing and Crime.

Signature



Date 2/12/2020



Serious & Organised Crime, Community Coordinator – Home Office Funding

MOPAC Investment Advisory & Monitoring meeting : 24th November 2020

Report on behalf of the Deputy Commissioner

Part 1 – This section of the report will be published by MOPAC. It is classified as OFFICIAL – PUBLIC

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The MPS has been awarded £330k of funding by the Police Transformation Fund (PTF) for the final year of a three year pilot testing the impact of Community Coordinators (CC) on Serious and Organised Crime (SOC). The evidence from this pilot will help us form a case for a transition to the role becoming business as usual. As a result, each Coordinator is allocated a budget to help them:

- implement interventions for those who are at risk of being drawn into, or who are already involved in, SOC; and
- develop coordinated, intensive multi-agency activities to increase resilience to SOC, reducing demand for illicit goods and services, as well as tolerance of SOC – helping to claim back communities from the coercive control of Organised Crime Groups (OCG).

Whilst there is a Home Office aspiration that the SOC CC role will continue as business as usual, it is not a pre-requisite to funding. If the role is to continue, it is recognized that this will require additional funding from another source. No such opportunities have been identified at this time. All projects being funded for this financial year are being granted on the basis that this is only available until 31st March 2021.

A Home Office Project Board has been established to provide strategic oversight of the SOC CC program, assessing performance, ensuring accountability and acting as a forum for escalation and resolution of strategic risks through discussion with senior representatives from each of the pilot areas. The Board will also provide the opportunity for Home Office policy leads to flag notable successes or areas of concern in relation to project activity across the three thematic areas – Partnerships, Prevent and Community Resilience – holding local areas to account on progress against the Outcomes Framework

A local Project Board has also been established with representation from

Haringey and Enfield local authorities. The local board will act to provide strategic guidance and will take decisions on issues such as funding, resourcing, evaluation and reporting requirements.

This report seeks approval to fund a number of intervention programs from within the funding received from the Home Office.

Recommendations

The Deputy Mayor for Policing and Crime, via the Investment Advisory and Monitoring meeting (IAM), is asked to:

- Approve the acceptance of a grant totaling £330,000 from the Home Office to fund Year 3 of a pilot to test the impact of Community Coordinators on Serious and Organised Crime.
- Approve payment of grants out totaling £230,000 to selected partners. This is on the condition that those projects meet the Home Office funding criteria & are approved by the local SOC CC delivery board.

The key issues the IAM board need to take account of are:

- **This is the final year of the SOC CC project. 2019/20 funding in relation to this same project was approved last year with a supporting Grant agreement between MOPAC and the Home Office.**
- **The Home Office provided confirmation during the term of the previous Grant Agreement to extend the term and provide additional funding to support the continuation of the pilot in 2020/21 totalling £330,000.**
- **Funding is only available until the 31st March 2021. The project year runs between 1st April 2020 and 31st March 2021. As this is a short window, a polite request is made for a swift decision to maximise the opportunity this funding presents.**

This is the 3rd of a three year pilot. Why is this so late being submitted and creating the request for delegation?

- The MPS received confirmation earlier in the year that funding would continue for 2020/21. The HO originally issued a variation to notice to last year's grant agreement that project leads hoped would be sufficient authority for the MPS to accept funding on the same basis as last year. Consultation with the MPS 3rd party contracts team has taken place, which helped identify that PIB papers and submission was required to MOPAC in order to receive funds. That process has taken until now. Work has been ongoing to identify appropriate projects that meet with the Home Office objectives.

What has been happening since 1 April for this proposed spend on officer and projects? Is the Community Coordinator post already budgeted by MPS?

Approximately £100,000 of the funding provided will reimburse the MPS for the SOC CC salary.

The projects detailed in the report below, have been identified, discussed and agreed since the 1st April, with a range of additional projects in planning but yet to be agreed to complete final allocation of funding.

What is the plan/expectation for this activity post 31/3/21? What happens to the community coordinator funded from this grant next year?

As an MPS employee, the post holder will be re-deployed to another MPS DCI role after 31/3/21.

The local expectation for the SOC CC role is that it will be discontinued beyond 31/3/2021.

Time sensitivity

A decision is required from the Deputy Mayor on the 7th December 2020 as the Home Office Funding is available until the 31st March 2021. The projects detailed within the paper are looking to complete their work between October 2020 & 31st March 2021 and any delay in approval is likely to hinder the ability of the service provider to deliver the projects being proposed.

Non-confidential facts and advice to the Deputy Mayor for Policing and Crime

Introduction and background

1. Serious and organised crime (SOC) affects more UK citizens, more often, than any other national security threat and leads to more deaths in the UK each year than any other national security threats combined.
2. SOC is defined as individuals planning, coordinating and committing serious offences, whether individually, in groups and/or as part of transnational networks. The main categories of serious offences covered by the term are: child criminal/sexual exploitation and abuse; illegal drugs; illegal firearms; organised acquisitive crime; fraud; money laundering; bribery; corruption; organised immigration crime; modern slavery and human trafficking; and cybercrime.
3. SOC continues to have a corrosive impact on our public services, communities, reputation and way of life. As part of the Government's SOC Strategy 2018, there is a revised approach and intention to equip the whole of government, the private sector, communities and individual citizens to play their part in a single collective endeavor to rid our society of harms of SOC, or the day to day corrosive effects on communities across the country.

4. As part of the SOC Strategy 2018, grants were provided to establish SOC Community Coordinators in a number of areas across the country with access to a budget that will be used to target interventions aimed at drawing vulnerable people on a SOC pathway away from SOC and supporting community building work. The MPS grant for the period of 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021 is £330,000. £100,000 of which is to cover the salary and project related expenses of a full time Community Coordinator and intervention budget of £230,000.
5. The purpose of the Community Coordinator pilot is to reduce the impact of SOC on communities and protect the most vulnerable members of society from criminal exploitation. The project has worked to deliver a whole system approach to tackling SOC through activities that involve targeted Prevent interventions, community resilience-building and strategic communications that develop capability on the ground. Since its introduction in 18/19 the pilot has brought increased scale, consistency and reach to the Government's response to tackling SOC-related harm and vulnerability at the community level and is a key component of the implementation of the Government's 2018 SOC Strategy.
6. A Local Delivery Board has been set up for the Haringey and Enfield area to review progress & assess intervention funding applications for selection. The responsibilities of the Board, as set out by the Home Office, are:
 - Provide oversight of project activity and monitor delivery against outcome framework;
 - Flag and manage risks;
 - Monitor spend against budget and ensure accountability for said spend;
 - Challenge decision-making where appropriate;
 - Ensure Project Board representative is fully briefed ahead of Project Board;
 - Ensure strategic and executive colleagues within force and/or local authority are appropriately sighted on project progress.

Contributes to the MOPAC Police & Crime Plan 2017-2021¹

This project contributes to the MOPAC policing and crime plan by helping to keep children & young people safe. We will do this through investment in initiatives that directly help support and divert our young people away from crime & the impact of organised crime.

Financial, Commercial and Procurement Comments

To support the process for the provision of Grants supporting the delivery of prevent interventions and community resilience, the SOC CC will work with local & national partners to identify collaborative opportunities to deliver Home Office objectives.

¹ [Police and crime plan: a safer city for all Londoners | London City Hall](#)

The SOC CC has developed a funding application process through which local partners are able to formally present their projects, costing and articulating the business case behind which their proposal.

The SOC CC holds bi-monthly local delivery boards with key stakeholders to discuss the applications received. Board members subsequently consider the ability of the applicants to deliver against the Home Office objectives.

Outcomes of each project are monitored, reviewed & reported back on at a quarterly Home Office Delivery Board.

MOPAC approval will provide an invaluable boost to the local area, particularly important given the high levels of violent crime, gun crime & organised crime in this area.

The use of this funding to deliver prevent interventions is likely to result in a reduction in re-offending amongst perpetrators which will ultimately reduce costs associated with a police investigation and subsequent criminal justice pathway.

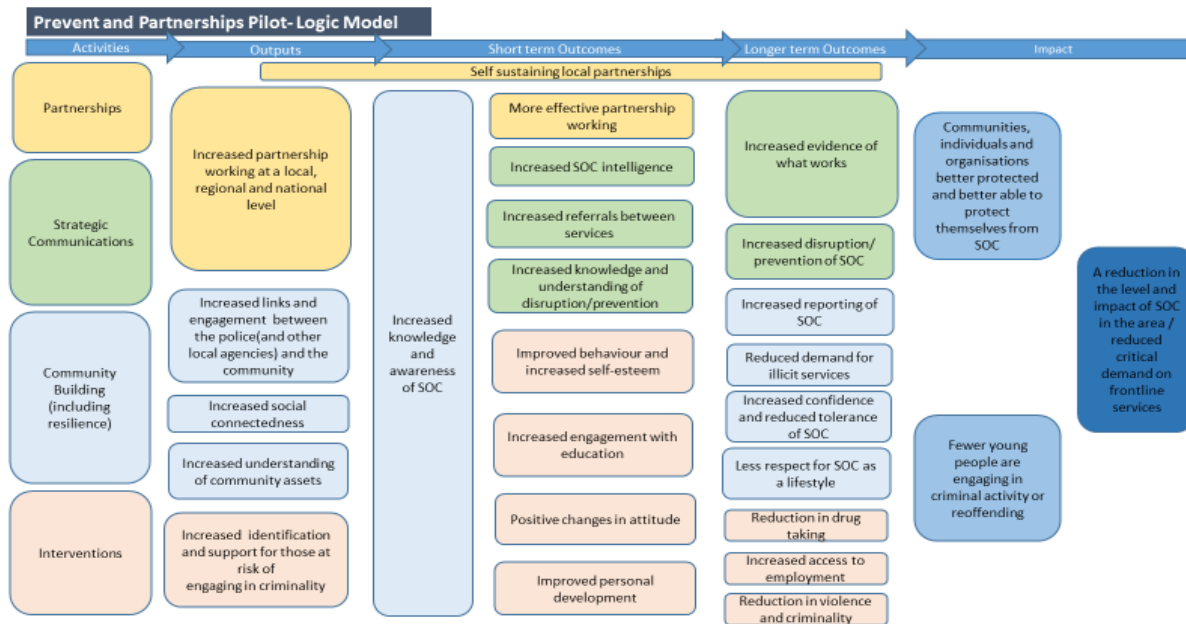
Investment in projects aligned to building community resilience and prevent interventions is a positive message for the local community.

As an extension to an existing service this work does not change any aspects relating to responsible procurement.

The receipt of the grant from the Home Office will be formalised with a Grant Agreement supplied by the Home Office.

The provision of Grants to third parties, as recommended by the local project board, will be subject to review and approval by the director of Commercial Services, pursuant to MOPAC delegated authority for offers of grant funding up to £50,000. Approved offers of Grant funding are formalised with Grant agreements between the parties.

The following flow chart has been provided by the Home Office in order to illustrate how activities should be funded in order to provide outputs and outcomes to deliver desired impact.



What are the arrangements to continue this work for 2021/22?

The Home Office funding will conclude on the 31st March 2021. A request has been made from the Home Office that we explore ways to continue the role as business as usual. This isn't however a pre-requisite to receipt of this year's funds. This application is a request for MOPAC to approve funding agreed from the Home Office this year. Conversations have taken place locally as to whether the SOC CC role could continue next year. There are no arrangements in place, I anticipate the funding for this role will not be forthcoming next year.

In respect of local organisations benefiting this financial year. They have all been made aware that the funding is only available until the 31st March 2021. On that basis they understand they will need to seek alternative avenues for funding themselves to continue their work next year. Many of these projects are charities with a long established history in the local area. They additional funding is a very welcome boost to the local area & partners, however projects will continue to operate with or without the SOC CC funding throughout 2021 and beyond.

Progress to date:

- A number of local delivery boards have taken place since the 1st April 2020.
- A funding strategy has been established with board members.
- A number of local organisations and charities have been engaged with to explore whether they're able to assist in delivering projects linked to Home Office objectives.
- Those organisations able to deliver against these objectives have been sent an application form so that they may formally apply for funding.
- A number of application forms have been received by the SOC CC and reviewed.

The SOC CC has subsequently presented a summary of those projects at the local delivery board and board members have agreed to the following expenditure.

				SOC CC Grant	SOC CC Grant Remaining
				Budget	£215,000
					£104,497
	<u>Expenditure - Committed</u>	<u>Lead</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Remaining Funds</u>
1	Edmonton Eagles Boxing Club - Delivery re Sports traider goods	Kyri Yiallouris	YE	£205	£214,795
2	St Giles Trust	Ahsan Hulkorey	NA	£8,883	£205,912
3	Film - 'Step Back'	Leo Powell	NA	£20,000	£185,912
4	Taking positive Steps - Entrepreneur programme, 1-2-1 Outreach support & school Intervention	Claudine Duberry	NA	£49,995	£135,917
5	The Princes Trust	Carol Jackson	NA	£28,080	£107,837
6	Basketball at Ducketts Common	Hesketh & Burk	YR	£3,340	£104,497
Total				£110,503	£104,497

Project Summaries:

1. Edmonton Eagles Boxing Club - Delivery re Sports Traider goods

Sports Traider have supplied a table football and table tennis table to Edmonton Eagles Boxing club. SOC CC funding of £205 has been granted to pay for the delivery costs associated with this provision. The boxing club support the local community by providing positive activities for its members, many of whom are children from troubled backgrounds.

2. St Giles Trust

During 2019-2020, SOC CC funding was granted to St Giles to provide 2 x youth outreach workers to support the local pupil referral units. That funding came to an end as of April 2020. Further funding of £8,883 was granted to allow both mentors to remain in post throughout May 2020 in order to fully support pupils at both schools, many of whom were adversely affected by the lockdown that had exasperated their personal circumstances.

3. Leo Powell – Film Production entitled 'Step Back' £20,000.

Leo will produce a film addressing issues around making the wrong life choices.

Highlighting what life can be like if the right choices are made no matter what environment you're from.

It deals with gangs, death, prison, the importance of pursuing a hobby, the importance of family, violence and what that can lead to where it doesn't just affect the individual but others

around them.

Leo will also provide 20 presentations where he'll make use of the film to engage with faith groups, young people and their parents to talk through the meaning behind the film's narrative.

Leo will also approach organisations that work with children such as YOS, to discuss how they might use the film to present to young people they work with to develop healthy discussion around the themes raised.

The content will be made available or wider police & local authority use.

Screen time is around 30 minutes and will be published on a variety of social media platforms.

4. Taking positive Steps - Entrepreneur programme, 1-2-1 Outreach support & school Intervention

£49,995 funding agreed for TPS to provide 3 programmes across Haringey & Enfield.

1. A 6 month Entrepreneur programme. This programme will match young people to TPS partners to help build on their entrepreneurial skills. Opportunities include construction, marketing, branding, property management, web design, film making. It will carry a capacity of up-to 50 referrals for young people, 16-25 year olds who are NEET. The provision includes mentoring 3 x per week to help develop their knowledge and thinking around chosen field. Weekly classroom sessions will address wider employability skills, life choices & consequential thinking. The programme includes a prison visit & includes their 'Dead with street cred' programme (7 weeks)
2. Schools Intervention: Schools are encouraged not to exclude children without an impact assessment as school exclusions have a wide reaching impact not just affecting the young person in question but has the ability to unsettle the whole family, lead to financial hardship as well as often leaving the young person open to grooming and youth crime if this is not already present, which in turn has the ability to impact the wider community and the economy.

This program allows TPS to work in school engaging the young people who are at risk of exclusion, working with them and their family for a given period usually six months in order to try and address some of the challenges of the young person and possibly parenting challenges.

Haringey and Enfield have a vast number of children and young people who are excluded from main stream education which could have been avoided with some specialist intervention which in turn could save a number of children and young people becoming victims of crime or perpetrators.

This program seeks to reduce exclusions as well as reduce the numbers of young people missing from education.

3. One to One mentoring. Will take 50 referrals from police and local partners. Will look to work with the individual and wider family.

5. The Princes Trust : £28,080

The Prince's Trust are proposing to support 20-25 referred young people aged 16-25 to improve their wellbeing, education, training and employment prospects.

Young people will be encouraged to develop new skills, experience new opportunities, obtain qualifications, and progress towards employment. They will be supported to follow alternative positive pathways, away from crime/risky behaviours, through developing trusted relationships with staff and involvement in positive interventions.

TPT will supply a dedicated member of staff to support the custody diversion team to take & review referral opportunities into their connected programmes.

6. Basketball at Ducketts Common : £3,340

Funding has been awarded to a Ducketts Common based basketball initiative. This local group required funding to provide basketball sessions over school half-term for up-to 2000 children from some the poorest estates in Tottenham & Wood Green, North London. This vital programme of support will help keep young people in the area meaningfully engaged in supports activities that help surround them with positive influences.

Total funding agreed to date = £110,503

Remaining funding to be allocated = £104,497

Further application forms have been received from a number of local charities. These applications are being fully reviewed. Further consultation will take place at which point these projects will be discussed at the next SOC CC local delivery board to agree which will be supported to agree & complete funding allocation.

The next delivery board is due to take place on the 10th November 2020. The aspiration is to have reached agreement for the allocation of the remaining funds by then. Two applications are being considered that are in excess of £50,000 with the remainder below that value.

Legal Comments

Section 9 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 (“2011 Act”) which gave the power to make a crime and disorder grant was repealed by Section 181(1) and Schedule 11, Paragraph 98 of the Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014.

However, under Schedule 3 Paragraph 7 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 (“2011 Act”) MOPAC may do anything which is calculated to facilitate, or is conducive or incidental to, the exercise of the functions of the Office which includes entering into contracts and other agreements (whether legally binding or not). Making a crime and disorder reduction grant is a legally binding agreement which is justified by the fact that it will secure, or contribute to securing, crime and disorder reduction within the Metropolitan Police District (“MPD”) and this is within the exercise of MOPAC’s functions.

Incidental powers

7(1)The Mayor’s Office for Policing and Crime may do anything which is calculated to facilitate, or is conducive or incidental to, the exercise of the functions of the Office.

(2)That includes—

(a)entering into contracts and other agreements (whether legally binding or not);

(b)acquiring and disposing of property (including land);

(c)borrowing money.

(3)This paragraph is subject to the other provisions of this Act and to any other enactment about the powers of the Mayor’s Office for Policing and Crime.

MOPAC has an obligation pursuant to Schedule 1 Paragraph 3(g) of the Elected Local Policing Bodies (Specified Information) Order 2011, as amended, to publish information as to each item of expenditure exceeding £500, including the recipient of the funds, the purpose of the expenditure and the reason why the body or chief officer (as the case may be) considered that good value for money would be obtained.

Paragraph 4.8 of the MOPAC’s Scheme of Consent and Delegation provides the DMPC with delegated power to approve the strategy for the award of individual and/or the award of all individual grants whether to secure or contribute to securing crime reduction in London or for other purposes.

- The strategy for the award of grants, is that of a formalised application process. The applications are subsequently reviewed by the local delivery board formed of key local partnership stakeholders. Once agreement has been reached, applicants are then formally notified of the board’s decision. Each delivery board has minutes recorded for accuracy and transparency. Grants are awarded based on the applicant’s ability to deliver ‘value for money’ and meet Home Office objectives to deliver ‘prevent interventions’ or build ‘community resilience’.

- Approval has been sought and obtained from the MPS Commercial Services team for the proposed acceptance of HO funding and onward submission of this report for MOPAC authorisation.

Equality Comments

Local authority consultation has taken place in order to identify organisations known to provide services to support and divert local communities from crime.

A funding application process has been launched in order to provide every organisation the same opportunity to apply for funding.

All applications are reviewed and then submitted to the local delivery board for assessment and agreement by board members set against local and strategic Home Office Objectives.

The successfully selected projects are required to provide reports detailing the outcomes they've achieved.

The Home Office hold quarterly project boards that SOC CC's attend, to provide updates as to the impact being delivered in the SOC CC area.

Privacy Comments

The MPS is subject to the requirements and conditions placed on it as a 'State' body to comply with the European Convention of Human Rights and the Data Protection Act (DPA) 2018. Both legislative requirements place an obligation on the MPS to process personal data fairly and lawfully in order to safeguard the rights and freedoms of individuals.

Under Article 35 of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and Section 57 of the DPA 2018, Data Protection Impact Assessments (DPIA) become mandatory for organisations with technologies and processes that are likely to result in a high risk to the rights of the data subjects.

The Information Assurance and Information Rights units within MPS will be consulted at all stages to ensure the project meets its compliance requirements.

Each bidder has been asked how information will be shared between partners in a way that is consistent with local information sharing protocols and compliant with the GDPR. There is an expectation that service user data will be protected in accordance with GDPR & Data Protection Act. Statistical information used to monitor & evaluate the success of each project will be anonymized.

Real Estate Implications

22. There are no real estate implications associated with the recommendations of this report.

Environmental Implications

23. There are no anticipated impacts on the Mayors environment strategy with the proposed projects.

Background/supporting papers

24. There are no supporting papers included with this Part 1 application.

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Part 2 – This section refers to the details of the Part 2 business case which is NOT SUITABLE for MOPAC Publication.

The Government Security Classification marking for Part 2 is:
OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE [COMMERCIAL]

Part 2 of Serious & Organised Crime, Community Coordinator – Home Office Funding is exempt from publication for the following reasons:

- Exempt under Article 2(2)(a) of the Elected Local Policing Bodies (Specified Information) Order 2011 (Data Protection Section 43 – Commercial Interests).
- The relevant sections under the FOIA that would exempt this information from disclosure, under
 - Data Protection Section 40,
 - Commercial Interest Section 43

The paper will cease to be exempt at the completion of the contract.