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Report to PCC	Report reference number PCC/0047/13
Date of Decision Date of Report 22.11.13	Area of County/Stakeholders affected Countywide / the Public
Title of report:	Crime and Disorder Reduction Grants PCC 2013/14 New Initiatives Fund Amendment Sheet
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1. Purpose of report

- 1.1. Amendment to PCC decision sheet reference number PCC/0033/13 dated 28 June 2013, Crime and Disorder Reduction Grants 2013/14.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 The PCC is recommended not to award funds to Open Road, 6 month pilot project for a SOS bus service every Wednesday night (student night) for the amount of £31,800.

3. Benefits of Proposal

- 3.1 The PCC can spend or invest the money on initiatives that will contribute to the Police and Crime Plan thereby reducing crime and disorder in Essex.

4. Background and proposal

- 4.1 The PCC allocated £500,000 to the NIF for 2013-14. Applications were welcomed by all sectors, public, voluntary, community groups and businesses who can contribute to securing crime and disorder reduction in Essex.
- 4.2 Interested parties were asked to complete an application form. These applications were considered against the criteria by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC).
- 4.3 After a review by the PCC, the agreed in principal decision was overturned and Open Road did not receive any monies from the New Initiative Fund

(NIF). Therefore, the amount of £31,800 has been retained in the NIF for re-distribution.

4.4 This application has not been taken forward as the bid is not a new initiative and it is part of an on-going project.

5. Police and Crime Plan

5.1 There is no impact on the Police and Crime Plan.

6. Police Operational Implications

6.1 There are no operational implications.

7. Financial Implications

7.1 The non-payment of £31,800 would allow further initiatives to be funded as a contribution towards reducing crime in addressing the areas of focus within the Police & Crime Plan.

8. Legal Implications

9.1 There are no legal implications for the PCC. The PCC has the final decision on all applications.

10. Staffing and other resource implications


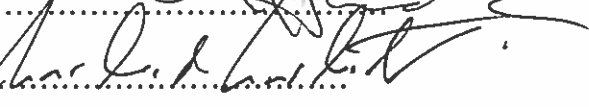
10.1 There are no staffing implications

11. Equality and Diversity implications

11.1 Not applicable


Report Approval

The report will be signed off by the Executive Director and CFO and the PCC Solicitor where legal implications arise.

Executive Director/M.O 
Chief Financial Officer 
PCC Legal Advisor (As necessary)

Decision

I agree the recommendations to this report

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PCC/Deputy PCC

I do not agree the recommendations to this report because

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Publication

Reasons for non-publication *(state 'None' if applicable)*

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Report for publication

YES

NO

If the report is not for publication, the Executive Director will decide if and how the public can be informed of the decision.