## 1. Purpose of report

1.1. To seek approval for the allocation of £500 in the form of a crime and disorder reduction grant from the CSDF to Rainbow Services, whose activities will contribute to the priorities set out in the Police and Crime Plan for Essex.

## 2. Recommendations

2.1. Approve the allocation of the CSDF grant to Rainbow Services to host a Safe and Social event in Harlow to raise awareness of issues around hidden harms for residents over 60.

## 3. Benefits of Proposal

3.1. An event will be hosted in Harlow that will raise awareness of elder abuse, financial abuse, domestic abuse and cyber-crime for residents over 60 years old.

3.2. The event will involve contributions from a range of partners including Harlow District Council’s Supported Housing Team, Harlow Community Safety Team, Essex Police, Essex End Loneliness Forum, Dementia Action Alliance, Carer organisations and Age Concern.

## 4. Background and proposal

4.1. It is anticipated that over 100 attendees will be present at the event, which will include a social element following the presentations in order to maximise engagement.

4.2. The project benefits from £930 in-kind contributions from partners.
5. Police and Crime Plan
5.1 Supports priorities in the Police and Crime Plan as follows;
   • Reducing hidden harm
   • Improving crime prevention
   • Increasing efficiency in policing through collaborative working and innovation
   • Ensuring local solutions meet local problems

6. Police Operational Implications
6.1 No operational impact

7. Financial Implications
7.1 The PCC would fund a £500 contribution to Rainbow Services

8. Legal Implications
8.1 The award of the grant is subject to the PCC’s standard funding agreement.

9. Staffing and other resource implications
9.1 There are no staffing issues

10. Equality and Diversity implications
10.1 There are no equality and diversity implications
Report Approval

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

AD for Commissioning

Decision

I agree the recommendations to this report

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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Signed/Print name

Report for publication

YES □

NO □

If the report is not for publication, the Chief Executive will decide if and how the public can be informed of the decision.