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Report to PCC	Report reference number PCC/ 00122/15
Date of Report	Area of County/Stakeholders affected
30 October 2015	Thurrock
Title of report PCC CSDF – U	DOIT! Dance (2015)

1. Purpose of report

1.1. To seek approval for a further allocation of £3,000 in the form of a crime and disorder reduction grant from the CSDF to U DO IT! Dance Foundation, 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 additional CSDF grant to continue to support the UDOIT dance project for young people who are not in education, employment or training or at risk of offending in Thurrock.

3. Benefits of Proposal

- 3.1 This additional funding will expand and extend the work of the UDOIT Dance initiative to further engage with young girls that have disengaged from formal physical activities such as PE in schools. This has proven to be an effective part of the project in its initial development phase. As with the previous funding for this project (decision 96/14) the classes carry accreditation further supporting the young people to gain informal accreditation.
- 3.2 This project aims to lower anti-social behaviour, lower low level crime, lessen the chances of young people falling in to child sexual exploitation and provide them with a sense of achievement.

- 4. Background and proposal
- 4.1 This funding is in addition to £14,000 awarded to the project from the 2014-15 New Initiatives Fund (NIF).
- 4.2 An additional referral pathway has been developed with the troubled families team in Thurrock to ensure those that would benefit from the intervention are identified and given the chance to take part.

5. Police and Crime Plan

Supports priorities in the Police and Crime Plan as follows;

- Reducing youth offending and youth re-offending
- Tackling the consequences of drug and alcohol abuse and mental health issues
- Improving crime prevention
- Ensuring local solutions meet local problems
- Increasing efficiency in policing through collaborative working and innovation

6. Police Operational Implications

6.1 There are no operational implications

7. Financial Implications

7.1 The PCC would fund a further £3,000 contribution to U DO IT! Dance Foundation

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

AD for Commissioning

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

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Publication

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