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Title of report 2016-17 CSDF - African Families in the UK (AFiUK)	
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1. Purpose of report

- 1.1. To seek approval for the allocation of £23,650 in the form of a crime and disorder reduction grant from the Community Safety Development Fund to AfiUK.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1. Approve the allocation of the CSF grant to AfiUK to support the delivery of an early intervention programme for black and minority ethnic residents of Tendring and Colchester.

3. Benefits of Proposal

- 3.1. AfiUK aims to reduce risk factors of Black and Minority Ethnic (BME) young people who are at risk of a multitude of factors. The project has three main elements;
- **Group Coaching:** AfiUK will run a series of weekly, evidence-based positive psychology group workshops for at-risk ethnic minority young people in and around Colchester.
 - **One-to-One Coaching:** AfiUK will provide one-to-one coaching support packages for ethnic minority young people in order to target individual needs.
 - **Supported Community Engagement:** At risk ethnic minority young people will be introduced to community and sports activities based on their interests in order to build self-confidence, self-esteem and provide a diversion from anti-social behaviour. These engagements will draw on an existing range of sports and community activities such as

cookery, FA standard football coaching, basketball, table tennis, snooker, dance and music.

3.2. AfiUK is working with a number of partners to deliver this programme which includes both local youth training providers with existing local networks, including; Job Centre Plus, Colbea, Changing Lifecourse Training, and Find Your Spark.

4. Background and proposal

4.1. Colchester Council for Voluntary Services (CCVS) has confirmed that their organisation will support AfiUK to ensure effective delivery, monitoring, and outcomes identified are achieved. CCVS have offered AfiUK an office base 1 day per week, and will support AfiUK to manage their finance / budgetary demands

5. Police and Crime Plan

5.1 Supports priorities in the Police and Crime Plan as follows;

- Ensuring local solutions meet local problems
- Reducing youth offending and all types of re-offending
- Tackling the consequences of alcohol and drugs abuse and mental health issues
- Improving crime prevention

6. Police Operational Implications

6.1 No operational impact

7. Financial Implications

7.1 The PCC would fund an £23,650 contribution to AfiUK from the 2016-17 CSDF.

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

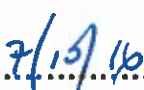

Report Approval

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

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

Decision

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