

Slough LPA IAG Meeting

Minutes



DATE Monday 14th June 2021
TIME: 18:30 pm
LOCATION: Briefing Room Slough Police Station & Via Teams

Attendees	Init	Position and Area
RD		Chair – Community Member
GW		TVP – Local Commander
SA		Community Member
EH		Community Member
AB		Community Member
NS		Community Member
LB		TVP – Admin Support Administrator
Apologies		
CK		Community Member
KB		TVP – Community & Diversity Officer
MM		Community Member

1. Welcome and Introductions: **IAG Chair**

The chair welcomed all and introductions made.

2. Previous notes/actions: **All**

3. Chairs Report: **IAG Chair**

All present agreed to the Code of Conduct and Declarations of Interest.

The chair informed that due to the increase with him working alongside the police, he feels it is necessary to step down as Chair. GW thanked the chair for all his contribution over the years. NS and AB are both interested in becoming the chair but would like to know more information about what the role entails. There was some suggestion that perhaps they could co-chair.

Action 1: NS/AB to speak with Rob and then GW with regards to the IAG Chair role.

It was discussed that once the new Chair was appointed then we could look to carry out a membership campaign to get some new members on the group. LB informed that according to the new operation guidance for IAGs, her role as Admin Support Officer has more involvement in the administration of the recruitment for new members.

4. LPA Commanders Updates: **LPA Commander**

Critical Incidents

GW informed there are no critical incidents at the moment but he did want to inform of some recent incidents that involve the IOPC:

- Following an arrest in September 2020, the detained person was transported by SCAS to hospital as officers suspected he was suffering from acute behavioural disorder. Unfortunately he suffered a cardiac arrest on route and passed away. IOPC are investigating the incident but there currently no misconduct issues identified.
- Incident the previous week where a lady was found in flat deceased. Police had been called there a few days earlier but did not attend and it was questioned whether police could have prevented her death. Investigation with IOPC but early indications that this was not preventable.
- Male was arrested and resisted getting into the back of the police van, hitting his head. No significant injuries and IOPC have asked TVP to conduct a local investigation.
- Boy ran out in front of police vehicle and got knocked over. Telematics show car was only going 15mph and there was no issues with police actions.

COVID 19

There has been less impact with the easing of government rules. Main issues were in Chalvey and we had issued the most tickets in this area.

Covid hotels on our LPA has had an impact with people going missing and trying to find them again.

Demand has been really high.

5. Stop and Search Data and Discussion:

All

GW informed that he is the thematic lead for Stop & Search in the Force.

Legitimacy Board oversees work around Stop & Search, Body Worn Video (BWV) and fixed penalties.

GW showed the group some data around Disproportionality in Stop & Search Jan 2017- Sept 2020 in the Force. 16% BAME population in Force area. Stop searches have increased since 2017 across both white and BAME individuals. Data shows that a BAME individual is 3.9 times more likely to stop and searched compared to a white individual for the Force and 1.6 for Slough.

GW informed of the new mobile phone app that will be rolled out for officers in July/August which will give us more timely and accurate data. BWV should be used at all stop and searches and the introduction of Power BI will enable us to interrogate the data quickly and elaborately.

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GW commissioned some behavioural detection training for some staff on the LPA which will assist officers with searches those more appropriately according to their behaviours. If they don't display certain behaviours then they won't get searched

6. Hate Crime Data and Discussion

All

GW briefly touched on hate crime informing that 60-75% of hate crime are public order related.

7. Other Crime Updates

LPA Commander

Performance

GW reviewed the priority outcomes for 2021/22. Our LPA priorities are knife crime, violence including Domestic, robbery and burglary.

We did pretty well as an LPA in performance last year.

Year To Date

-37% reduction in serious violence including knife crime and this is due to our co-ordinated work with partners and VRU has also helped with this.

-33% robbery reduction. Last year the demand was quiet following the first covid lockdown.

-52% burglary reduction.

Main priority is improving investigations as this will lead to better outcomes which are better outcomes for our victims.

25-30% of calls coming in a day are Domestic.

Victim satisfaction is important but the performance figures are related to text surveys and experience language barriers. We seem to be doing relatively better in this area compared to last year according to the current figures. Nassrin asked how we celebrate our success and Gavin said that this is something that we should consider as we do following operations but we should do with performance also

8. Members Feedback / Issues to raise:

All

9. AOB

IAG Chair

Nothing raised

10. Agenda items requested for next meeting:

All



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11. Next Meeting Dates:

13th September at 17.00hrs, in the briefing room Slough Police Station.