

REPORT TO: POLICE AND FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES COMMITTEE

SUBJECT: POLICE PERFORMANCE - APRIL TO SEPTEMBER 2019

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**SCOTLAND** 

#### 1. REASON FOR REPORT

1.1 To inform the Committee of the performance of Police in respect of the Local Policing Plan 2017-20 and other key indicators.

1.2 This report is submitted to Committee in terms of Section III (J) (4) of the Council's Scheme of Administration relating to the monitoring of delivery of the Police and Fire and Rescue Services in Moray.

## 2. **RECOMMENDATION**

- 2.1 It is recommended that the Police and Fire and Rescue Services Committee:-
  - (i) scrutinise performance outlined in the reports; and
  - (ii) note that the Local Commander will continue to report to the Committee quarterly on performance measures against service objectives as articulated in the 2017-20 Local Policing Plan.

#### 3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 An initial draft of The Moray Local Policing Plan 2017-20 was circulated by email to Committee on 7 February 2017 for information and presented for consultation / feedback at Committee on 16 February 2017 (paragraph 7 of the minute refers). Following local elections a revised copy of the plan was presented to Committee on 1 June 2017 (paragraph 13 of the minute refers).
- 3.2 Section 47(2) of the Police and Fire Reform Act 2012 states "a local police plan is a plan which:
  - a. sets out the main priorities and objectives for the policing of the local authority's area.

- where reasonably practicable, identifies outcomes by reference to which the achievement of those priorities and objectives may be measured."
- 3.3 The performance report (**Appendix 1**) provides those outcomes, as per Section 47(2)(d) of the Act, for the last quarter of the year for the Moray Council Area. In addition, it is supported with further key indicators to assist context of the outcomes of the Local Policing Plan.

#### 4. **SUMMARY OF IMPLICATIONS**

# (a) Corporate Plan and 10 Year Plan (Local Outcomes Improvement Plan (LOIP))

The Moray Council's responsibilities with regards to the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012 are directly relevant to Community Planning and the Single Outcome Agreement.

## (b) Policy and Legal

This report is presented to the Moray Police and Fire and Rescue Services Committee within its remit for local scrutiny of the Police.

# (c) Financial implications

There are no identified financial implications.

#### (d) Risk Implications

There are no identified risk implications.

#### (e) Staffing Implications

There are no identified staffing implications.

#### (f) Property

Not applicable.

#### (g) Equalities

Not applicable.

#### (h) Consultations

The Local Policing Plan, upon which the performance is reporting, was subject to consultation with elected representatives, and was heavily influenced by ongoing feedback from local communities within the Moray Council area.

# 5. **CONCLUSION**

5.1 This report informs the Committee of the performance of Police in respect of the Local Policing Plan 2017-20 and other key indicators.

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# Background Papers:

Police Performance Report (April 2019 - September 2019)