# Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner for Devon, Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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## **Executive Summary**

To provide seed funding to support the establishment of a new East Cornwall LPA Marine Team.

The marine industry in Cornwall contributes £500 million to the local GDP. Just one port, Fowey has 900 moorings, around 5,500 visiting yachts a year, exports/imports a million tons of cargo a year on 180 ships from all over the world. In 2018 there will be 6 cruise liner visits.

Funding support is being provided for training and equipment for Officers to enable the establishment of an East Cornwall LPA Marine Team. The Team – which will include members of the special constabulary will connect with and engage the local marine community. The team will be connecting with Coastal Communities and specifically those who live, work and visit the marine environment. This will include watch organisations and partner agencies such as Harbour Authorities, Environment Agency, Inshore Fisheries Conservation Authorities, HMCG, UKBF, MOD-Police, NCI, and RNLI amongst others.

#### They will:

- Undertake crime prevention, detection, and engagement patrols in the maritime and coastal environment.
- Support watch organisations by attendance at their meetings and maritime related public events
- Offering an expert point of contact with knowledge and expertise in their particular maritime environment to support, advise and reassure.

The supplied funding will enable the team to operate in compliance with relevant and updated codes – funding does not cover the provision of a vessel which is being provided free of charge to the police.

Officers will be available to deploy within the marine environment including through use of coded police vessel which is being utilised free of charge.

Funding support in the sum of £4786.93 will be provided from the Police and Crime Plan delivery budget to East Cornwall LPA for this initiative.

| Police & Crime Commissioner for Devon & Cornwall and Isles of Scill |
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I hereby approve the recommendation above.

Signature

Date

4/7/18

# PART I – NON-CONFIDENTIAL FACTS AND ADVICE TO THE PCC

| Decis | ion required – supporting report (see Executive Summary)  |
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| 1.    | Introduction and background   |
|       | As above (Executive Summary)  |
| 2.    | Issues for consideration (For example ONLY – Links to Police and Crime Plan and PCC priorities) |
|       | As above (Executive Summary)  |
| 3.    | Financial Comments (if applicable)  |
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| 4.    | Legal Comments (if applicable)  |
| 5.    | Comments on Risk (if applicable)  |
| 6.    | Environment & Sustainability considerations (if applicable)                                     |
| 7.    | Equality Comments (if applicable)   |
| 8.    | Background/supporting papers (if applicable)  |
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|       | Public access to information  |
|       | This decision will be published on the website of the OPCC                                      |

#### **ORIGINATING OFFICER DECLARATION:**

|                                    | Tick to Confirm<br>Statement<br>(√) |
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| Head of Unit:                      | <b>✓</b>                            |
| Legal Advice (if applicable):      | <b>✓</b>                            |
| Financial Advice (if applicable):  | <b>✓</b>                            |
| Equalities Advice (if applicable): | <b>✓</b>                            |
| Impact on Privacy (if applicable): | <b>✓</b>                            |

#### OFFICIAL APPROVAL

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that financial, legal and equalities advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police & Crime Commissioner.

**Signature** 

**Chief Executive Officer / Treasurer** 

**Date** 

417/18

Any amendments to decision paper to be noted here:

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### Example:

As corrections to the report above:

- 1. 'As appropriate' should be inserted into paragraph 1.3 after 'undertake the following checks'
- 2. The dates in paragraph 1.3, 4th bullet point should read '8th/9th

Before making his/her decision, the Police & Crime Commissioner was briefed as to the checks carried out in each case.

Signature Police & Crime Commissioner

**Date** 

#### **DECISION MAKING PROCESS FLOWCHART**

