

# Safer and Stronger Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee



## Cyber Crime

9 January 2017

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### Joint Report of Dave Orford, Assistant Chief Constable, Durham Constabulary and Jane Robinson, Corporate Director Adult and Health Services, Durham County Council

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#### Purpose of the Report

- 1 The purpose of this report is to inform the Safer and Stronger Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee of the forthcoming presentation on the Cyber Crime action plan. DI Audra Fawcett, Durham Constabulary and Andrea Petty, Strategic Manager – Policy, Planning & Partnerships, Durham County Council will attend the meeting of the Committee on 9 January 2017 and deliver a presentation on the progress of the Cyber Crime Task & Finish Group.

#### Background

- 2 The Safe Durham Partnership identified in 2015 that Cyber Crime was an emerging priority. During 2016 a Cyber Crime Task and Finish Group was set up to coordinate activities including awareness raising, education and tackling Cyber Crime. An action plan was developed to take the work forward.
- 3 The Safe Durham Partnership has been kept up to date on the developments of the Cyber Crime action plan.

#### Recommendations

- 4 The Safer and Stronger Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee is recommended to:
  - Note the Cyber Crime presentation at the Committee meeting
  - Agree to receive further updates in relation to the Cyber Crime action plan at future meetings.

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## **Appendix 1 – Implications**

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### **Finance**

No implications at this stage. Durham Constabulary has funded Get Safe Online along with our other regional police forces. This has provided access to online resources and assistance in delivering a community event. A sustainable funding position will be sourced in 2017.

### **Staffing**

No implications.

### **Risk**

No implications.

### **Equality and Diversity / Public Sector Equality Duty**

No implications.

### **Accommodation**

No implications.

### **Crime and Disorder**

Preventing crime and disorder is the main focus of the Cyber Crime action plan.

### **Human Rights**

No implications.

### **Consultation**

No implications.

### **Procurement**

No implications.

### **Disability Issues**

No implications.

### **Legal Implications**

No implications.