

Police and Crime Panel

19th September 2024

Durham Constabulary - Use of Drones

Report of the Police and Crime Commissioner

Purpose

1. For Panel Members to receive a presentation about Durham Constabulary's current position on the use of Drones.

Background

2. Force Presentation (Appendix 2) will include an update on drone capabilities in the force area and will include information about equipment, pilots, registration and pilot competency, funding, (PCC Funding), current position on deployments and next steps..

Recommendation

3. That Panel Members note the contents of this report.

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Appendix 1: Risks and Implications

| Legal Implications |
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| Outlined in Force Presentation |
| Consultation |
| None |
| Equality and Diversity / Public Sector Equality Duty |
| None |
| Climate Change |
| None |
| Human Rights |
| None |
| Crime and Disorder |
| This is a key focus of the role of the Police and Crime Commissioner and Police and Crime Panel. |
| Staffing |
| None |
| Accommodation |
| None |
| Risk |
| None |
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| Procurement |