

Cumbria Police Authority
28 June 2006
Agenda Item No.21

Report by the Clerk and Chief Executive

POLICE AUTHORITY ISSUES

(a). Seminar: Skills Development for Police Authorities and Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnerships

The Institute of Local Government Studies (INLOGOV) at the University of Birmingham are running a one day seminar/workshop for members aimed at improving the way Police Authorities and CDRPs hold Chief Constable's and other senior officers to account. The seminar is to be held on 14 July 2006. The fee for attendance is £260. Full details may be obtained from the Police Authority Office.

Recommended: that consideration be given to Police Authority representation at this seminar.

(b). Members' Allowances 2005/06

Attached at Appendix 1 is the schedule of allowances paid to Members of the Police Authority during the financial year 2005/06.

Recommended: That the schedule be noted.

(c). Attendance at Police Authority Meetings, 2005/06

Attached at Appendix 2 is a schedule detailing Member attendance at meetings of the Police Authority and its Committees and Working Groups during the period 1 April 2005 to 31 March 2006.

Unfortunately we have not been able to provide details of the many other meetings - such as Constabulary Boards and Working Groups, APA meetings, CDRPs – attended by Members during the year. We are currently considering various alternative ways of accurately capturing this data with a view to introducing the most efficient and effective method. This will then ensure that a fully rounded picture of Members commitments to be made available.

Recommended: That the schedule be noted.

(d). Police Performance Banding Assessments - May 2006

The Police Performance Steering Group at the Home Office makes quarterly assessments of force performance and, for reasons of transparency, shares these with police forces and police authorities. Although the 'iQuanta' performance

measuring system is the principal means for police forces to establish their comparative performance position, the banding analysis provides a general summary of how forces appear on the Home Office monitoring arrangements, across the range of PPAF (Police Performance Assessment Framework) domains.

The publication on 31st May 2006 by the Home Office of the Police Performance Banding Assessments, covering the period up to March 2006, showed Cumbria Constabulary's still-improving performance as outstanding, particularly in a national context, and when compared with its MSF's (Most Similar Forces).

The domains are measured in comparative terms between MSFs and specified as reaching standards of either Excellent, Good, Fair or Poor. The summarized results shown for Cumbria Constabulary are in Reducing Crime ('Excellent – improving'); Investigating Crime ('Excellent – improving'); Public Safety ('Fair – stable'); Providing Assistance ('Good – stable'); Citizen Focus ('Good – improving'); and Resource Use ('Excellent – improving').

The Police Authority has written to the Acting Chief Constable (with copy to the Chief Constable) to record its thanks for the range of policing achievements comprised within these figures. Its request that the Authority's congratulations and appreciation are passed on to everyone in the force, for hard work and dedication to the policing of Cumbria which has brought about this level of performance, has been met through their circulation in Force Orders.

(e) APA Annual Conference, 29/30 November 2006, Leeds.

The 2006 APA Annual Conference is to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Leeds, on Wednesday 29 and Thursday 30 November 2006. The Authority is asked to consider appropriate representation at the Conference.

Recommended: That the Authority's representation at the APA Annual Conference 2006 be agreed.

C R Alcock
Clerk and Chief Executive.

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Race and Diversity Implications: None known.

Human Rights Act Implications: None known.

Background documents: Leaflet from the University of Birmingham.
APA letter dated 16 June 2006.

Member Pay for Tax Year 2005

Employee Number	Surname	Initials	4018 - Basic Allowance	4030 - Basic Allowance	4031 - Chair Authority	4032 - Vice Chair Authority	4033 - Joint Chair	1405 - Attendance Allowance	1412 - Telephone Allowance	1446 - Mileage NonNiable	1462 - Subsistence	1464 - Subsistence	Total
02797	BRANDWOOD	KE	775.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	775.93
06333	DONNELLY	S	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	358.80	1.50	0.00	8750.80
10843	HUMES	G	1108.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	121.20	0.00	0.00	1229.67
12605	LASHMAR	J	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1897.60	189.00	110.00	10587.10
15649	MOTH	CS	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	4475.00	0.00	0.00	1315.20	625.80	0.00	14806.50
16058	NICHOLSON	J	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	761.60	0.00	0.00	9152.10
19719	HESLOP	T	1108.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1108.47
20000	SHAW	LL	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	35.98	2208.00	413.17	0.00	11047.65
20001	EGAN	CA	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	53.97	1676.00	669.45	5.00	10794.92
20002	MANNERS-ARMSTRON	JE	4851.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4851.75
20003	JOHNSON	M	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	970.00	142.58	0.00	9503.08
20006	FRYER	JK	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	134.20	0.00	198.40	406.68	0.00	739.28
20015	ASH	M	7016.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	54.31	162.00	93.82	0.00	7326.13
20016	BARRY	AL	7016.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	858.00	0.00	0.00	7874.00
20017	COLE	RS	7016.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1137.60	0.00	0.00	8153.60
20018	HALFPENNY	PM	7016.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	768.00	0.00	0.00	7784.00
20022	MALLINSON	J	0.00	7016.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	366.40	0.00	0.00	7382.40
20183	SLAVIN	L	8390.50	0.00	0.00	5595.25	0.00	0.00	130.60	2836.00	922.21	84.96	17959.52
20542	SMITH	W	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1696.00	0.00	0.00	10086.50
21045	STEWART	I	1108.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	140.00	0.00	0.00	1248.47
22390	TOFT	AR	775.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	871.93
22428	TONKIN	MC	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	69.11	0.00	72.00	869.48	0.00	1010.59
23395	WATSON	R	8390.50	0.00	10070.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1427.60	302.47	0.00	20190.82
24773	WOOLLEY	J	8390.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1137.20	49.75	0.00	9577.45

