

Fermanagh and Omagh District Council
Fermanagh and Omagh Policing and Community Safety Partnership

Minutes of the Fermanagh and Omagh Policing and Community Safety Partnership meeting held on **Tuesday 24 September at 7.04 pm** in The Townhall, Enniskillen

Present:

Councillors

Roy Crawford (Chair)
Elaine Brough
Keith Elliott
Adam Gannon
Shirley Hawkes
Noeleen Hayes
Allan Rainey
Thomas Reilly

Independent Members

Miss Louise Bleakley
Mrs Siobhán Currie
Mrs Jenny Ferguson
Mrs Bernadette McCollum
Miss Margaret McCrory
Mr Paul Stevenson
Mr Simon Wiggins

Designated Members

Chief Insp Graham Dodds (PSNI)
Ms Jacqueline Doherty (WHSCT)
Ms Sinead Dolan (YJA)
Mr Allen Fleming (EANI)
Ms Donna Keenan (WHSCT)
Ms Helen Hicks (NIHE)
Chief Insp Gary McCullough (PSNI)
Ms Nicola McSherry (NIFRS)

Apologies:

Cllr Thomas O'Reilly
Ms Bernadette Lunney
Superintendent Robert Mc Gowan
Chief Insp Scott Fallis
Ms Pauline Tracey
Mr Ryan McGee

In attendance:

Laura McConville (NIHE), Jack McCubbin, Carol Follis (PCSP Manager), Greg McMullan (PCSP Team Leader) and Leanne Burns (PCSP Project Assistant).

PCSP 33/24

Welcome and Apologies

The Chairperson welcomed Members and visitors to the meeting and noted apologies.

The Chairperson update the meeting on some changes in membership passing thanks to Stephen Gaffney NIFRS who has moved to a new role and welcome to Chief Insp Gary McCullough and Ms Donna Keenan a second representative from the WHSCT.

PCSP 34/24

Declarations of Interest

The Chairperson read out the Conflicts of Interest statement and no declarations of interest were declared.

PCSP 35/24

Discussion on Road Safety Issues:

The Chairperson welcomed local student Jack McCubbin who was invited to the meeting to deliver a presentation on road safety issues. Following the presentation, Members engaged in conversation with Jack on the topic and thanked him for his insightful presentation and offered him best wishes for future endeavours.

- PCSP 36/24 **Housing Executive Community Safety Strategy 2025 – 2034**
Laura McConville, Community Safety Manager NIHE, delivered a presentation on the NIHE Community Safety Strategy for 2025 – 2034, currently open for consultation.
After the presentation Laura welcomed questions from the floor encouraging Members to engage with the consultation. The PCSP Manager informed the meeting that the PCSP had contributed to the response to be submitted by the Council.
- PCSP 37/24 **Notification of AOB**
No items were received.
- PCSP 38/24 **Appointment of PCSP Vice Chairperson**
The Chairperson informed the meeting that Ms Bernadette Lunney had been appointed to the role of PCSP Vice Chairperson.
The Chairperson noted Ms Lunney’s apologies for the meeting and wished her well in her role.
- PCSP 39/24 **Minutes**
The minutes of the PCSP meeting held on 25 June 2024 were considered and approved by Members.

Proposed by Cllr Keith Elliott, seconded by Paul Stevenson.
- PCSP 40/24 **Matters Arising**

PCSP 72/23: Speed Indicator Devices (SID’s).
- Report has been prepared and is an agenda item for the meeting.
- PCSP 16/24: Men’s Advisory Project (MAP) presentation.
- Presentation emailed to Members.
- PCSP 11/24: Finance Report:
- Report has been prepared and is an agenda item for the meeting.
- PCSP 22/24 MAP Proposal
- PCSP officers met with personnel from MAP and invited the organisation to submit a proposal for project delivery in the district. To date no proposal has been received.
- PCSP 22/24: Social Media Training
- Members have been invited to a social media workshop hosted by Emma from ‘Digital by Emma’ on Thursday 03 October in Fermanagh House. Members will gain an understanding of the various social media channels, the changes adapted in the last year and growth of Fermanagh & Omagh PCSP social media channels.
- PCSP 23/24: Road Safety at Tempo Road
- Correspondence had been issued to the Department for Infrastructure (DfI). It was noted that the traffic calming measures had been installed.
- PCSP 29/24: PCSP Planned Activity Report
- Multi Agency Support Hub activities: a report has been prepared and is an agenda item for the meeting.

- Policing Committee Training: The requested training will be delivered by the Policing Board at a future date.
- Members Claims: The PCSP Manager thanked Members for their patience in use of Tech1 for claims and asked if Members are still having issues, to contact a member of the team.

PCSP 41/24

Emerging issues

None noted.

PCSP 42/24

Questions from Members of the Public

None received.

PCSP 43/24

Members Questions

None received.

PCSP 44/24

Update from Designated Members

Allen Fleming Education Authority Northern Ireland (EANI) requested a slot at a future meeting to deliver a presentation on youth engagement activity.

Recommended:

1. That an invitation is sent to Ryan McGee (EANI) to present an activity report at a future PCSP meeting.

PCSP 45/24

Speed Indicator Devices

Due to time constraints and following approval from Members, the Chair agreed to move the agenda item to a future PCSP meeting.

PCSP 46/24

Community Engagement Projects

The PCSP Manager gave Members an update on community engagement projects.

Traveller Engagement Project

- A Service Level Agreement (SLA) has been issued to Omagh Forum for Rural Associations to support the value of £7,387 to provide admin support for the Omagh Traveller Support Group.

Community Cash - Participatory Budgeting

- The call for expressions of interest is open closing on Monday 30 September and is being heavily promoted on PCSP and Council social media channels.
The PCSP Manager noted that the response to date is very poor and asked Members to promote it widely amongst their communities.

PCSP 47/24

PCSP Finance

The PCSP Manager advised Members that the quarter one claim was submitted in July 2024 with a spend of 18.5% of the total budget which is comparable with previous years.

PCSP 48/24

Fermanagh and Omagh Multi Agency Support Hub (MASH)

Due to time constraints and following approval from Members, the Chair agreed to move the agenda item to a future PCSP meeting.

PCSP 49/24

Neighbourhood Watch Scheme Reaccreditations

The following schemes were presented for reaccreditation:

Fermanagh

Fermanagh
Ashbourne Manor
Belleisle
Burfitts Hill
Cashel
Corsenshin
Drumbroughas North
Drumcose
Drumkeen
Drumlyon
Grosvenor
Lisnarick
Mill Hill Road
Mountainview
Silverhill & Devenish
Tattyknuckle Road
Tedd
The Beeches

Omagh

Omagh
Brookmount Heights
Campsie Residents Association
Cannonhill & Coolnagard
Coolngard Grove
Coolngard Meadows
Coolnagard Way
Fox Park & Drumnakilly
Racrane Court
Riverview & Edinburgh Park
Seskinore Village
Shandon Park
Woodvale Avenue

Proposed by Cllr Tommy Maguire and seconded by Cllr Allan Rainey. During a discussion on the role of Neighbourhood Watch Members commented on the level of engagement between co-ordinators and their local communities.

Recommended:

1. That schemes listed above receive reaccreditation.
2. That a report on NHW engagement be brought to a future PCSP meeting.

PCSP 50/24

PCSP Activity Report July - September 2024

The PCSP Team Leader gave a presentation to Members on PCSP activity for the period July - September 2024.

The Members commented on the variety and amount of work delivered and thanks are conveyed to the PCSP staff team.

PCSP 51/24

PCSP Planned Activity

The PCSP Manager gave a presentation to Members on the planned PCSP activity for the period September - November 2024 and informed Members that events will be placed on the PCSP shared calendar and encouraged Members to attend when available.

PCSP 52/24

A.O.B

None noted.

PCSP 53/24

Date of Next Meeting:

The next meeting of the PCSP will be held on **Tuesday 26 November 2024**, Fermanagh House, Enniskillen at 7.00pm.

PCSP 54/24

RISING:

The Committee rose at 8.52pm.
All Members were present for the duration of the meeting.

