



Cheshire Police and Crime Panel

Questions to the Police and Crime Commissioner, May 2025

- (1) Nationally the Police Federation have raised profound concerns regarding the wellbeing of Officers, with 69 percent of Officers reporting high levels of fatigue and 28.9 percent saying that they had extremely high levels of fatigue. It is recognised that these are national figures and that the position in Cheshire may be different, but could the Commissioner outline the steps he is taking to ensure that the Chief Constable has the policies in place to mitigate such levels of fatigue, and the stress faced by Offices undertaking their day to day duties?
- (2) Commissioner, at the last meeting the Panel approved your precept, with the recommendation that the Panel receive quarterly performance reports. I recognise that we are only in the first quarter of the financial year, but could you give the Panel some indication of what data will be included in these regular reports?
- (3) Commissioner, the Citizen's Assemblies are welcome, can I ask whether they will prompt changes to this year's crime and policing plan, or are intended to shape next year's plan?
- (4) What attempts have been made to access views of hard-to-reach communities outside of the Citizen's assemblies?