

## Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner – Notice of Decision

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<b>DECISION OR INFORMATION:</b>	Decision
<b>DATE RECEIVED:*</b>	26.09.23
<b>REF:*</b> (to be inserted by the OPCC)	2023.094

<b>TITLE:</b>	Offender to rehab programme- female offenders referred to Phoenix Futures
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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Further to decision record 2023.076 which provides detail around the Offender to Rehab programme in both the City and the County and rehabilitation for female offenders at Nelson Trust, a further provider has been identified to provide specialist access to rehabilitation for female offenders. This will provide a contingency for female offenders to be referred to either Nelson Trust or Phoenix Futures at their Wirral Residential Service.

The PCC is therefore requested to confirm her approval to provide up to £27,900 to Phoenix Futures for drug and alcohol misuse treatment and rehabilitation support based on the 12-step programme for female offenders referred in by either the City or County Substance misuse support services.

### INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (eg report or business case)

The PCC works with the City and County Councils to co-commission specialist substance misuse support services. Access to rehabilitation for offenders is best managed by specialist services, which are already funded to provide wider and ongoing substance misuse support and also have the expertise to assess offenders' suitability for rehab. The local authorities and the locally commissioned substance misuse services have agreed to continue to support the Offender to Rehab programme and to use the funding to pay for additional residential rehab support and for other activity to support prolific retail offenders to stop offending.

This funding will be available to Phoenix Futures when required to provide a range of drug and alcohol misuse treatment and rehabilitation support based on the 12-step programme for offenders referred in by either the City or County Substance misuse support services. A funding agreement will be put in place between the PCC and Phoenix Futures so funding can be accessed as and when required.

### FINANCIAL INFORMATION

£20,000 of revenue funding from the PCC's 2023/24 Grants and Commissioning was utilised as match funding for £20,000 income provided to the PCC by Sainsbury's and Mitie. There is also previous funding from Co-op and Mitie, held as a restricted fund, drawn down from 2023-4 onwards making a total of £60,000 available to support greater access to rehabilitation and other substance misuse support for retail offenders in Nottinghamshire.

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This funding will be utilised between Livingstone House, Nelson Trust and Phoenix Futures for offenders identified by either the City or County substance misuse support services.

**Signature:  
Chief Finance Officer**

**REDACTED**

**Date:**

27.09.23

**Is any of the supporting information classified as non-public or confidential information?\***

Yes

No

If yes, please state under which category from the guidance\*\*

**DECISION:**

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**OFFICER APPROVAL:**

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that the appropriate advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

**Signature:  
Deputy Monitoring  
Officer**



**Date:**

27.09.23

**DECLARATION:**

I confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interests in this decision and I take the decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner. Any interests are indicated below:

The above request has my approval

**Signature:  
Nottinghamshire Police &  
Crime Commissioner**



**Date:**

27.09.23

\*\* See guidance on non-public information