

**Council – 12 April 2022**

**REPORT OF POLICE AND CRIME PANEL**

Hearing held to appoint Deputy PCC, it was agreed by everyone that Claire Hiscott be appointed

Somerset County Council confirmed they were no longer the host the Panel and will cease doing so in September at which time another Authority will need to take over. The Staffing and operation of the Panel is funded by the Home Office, there was a shortfall this year because of extra meetings appointing our new Chief Constable and new staff for PCC's office.

The PCC outlined his recent visits to the area including three in North Somerset

**Presentation was given on Integrated Offender Management.**

IOM combines resource, knowledge and expertise of Police, Probation, Prison and Recovery Workers in a multi-agency approach to working effectively with the most prolific offenders involved in committing serious crime. This currently operates in Bridewell, Bristol but there is a plan to shortly open a facility in Worle.

An example 358 offenders involved in 1494 crimes to the value of £4.4M pounds

A team of 23 PC's are being recruited (8 so far). IOM is designed to be a pathway to rehabilitation including,

Education/training and Employment.

Attitudes, thinking and behaviour.

Accommodation (a high and unmet need).

Dealing with drugs.

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