

**THE OFFICE OF POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER
FOR DERBYSHIRE
DECISION RECORD**

Request for PCC Decision	Received in OPCC Date: 14 April 2013	OPCC Ref: 41/13
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Title: DONATION IN KIND TO DERBYSHIRE MOUNTAIN RESCUE SERVICE

Executive Summary: To be completed by PCC Specialist lead

Both the Chief Constable and Commissioner wish to recognise the value and support to policing that the Mountain Rescue Services give to Derbyshire and to the Constabulary. It was recommended that a contribution in kind of a police dog van be appropriate.

Based on the average receipt when such vehicles are sold at auction, the value of a decommissioned dog van is about £2,000.

Decision

Resolved that

To make an in-kind donation of a decommissioned dog van with an estimated value of £2,000 to Peak District Mountain Rescue Service.

Declaration

I confirm that I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire. Any such interests are recorded below.

None

The above request has my approval.

Electronically signed

PCC Alan Charles

Date 15 April 2013

PUBLICATION SCHEME CONSIDERATIONS

Is the related Section B report to be published **Yes**

If no, please indicate relevant exemption

Is the publication of this approval to be deferred **No**

If Yes, provide reasons below

Date to be deferred to –

NB Statutory Instrument 2011/3050 (as amended by SI 2012/2479) states that: *all decisions made by a PCC are in the types of information that must “be published as soon as practicable after it becomes available to the elected local policing body”.*

OFFICER APPROVAL

Chief Executive or Nominee:

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that financial, legal and equalities 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

Electronically signed

Mrs H Boffy

Date 15 April 2013

STRATEGIC GOVERNANCE BOARD

15 APRIL 2013

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

7C: IN-KIND DONATION TO DERBYSHIRE MOUNTAIN RESCUE SERVICE

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

- 1.1 To consider a donation in the form of a decommissioned police dog van valued at approximately £2,000 to the Peak District Mountain Rescue Organisation.

2. INFORMATION AND ANALYSIS

- 2.1 The Peak District Mountain Rescue Organisation (PDMRO). consists of seven civilian mountain rescue teams (MRT's), Buxton, Derby, Edale, Glossop, Kinder, Oldham, and Woodhead as well as the Peak District Area of the Search and Rescue Dog Association of England and Wales (SARDA) and the Derbyshire Cave Rescue Organisation.
- 2.2 As registered charities, these teams are self funding and rely upon donations to continue. They are called upon and used by Derbyshire Police on a regular basis. In 2012 Derbyshire Police called upon the MRT's 180 times and at the time of writing in 2013 the teams have supported the Constabulary on 24 occasions.
- 2.3 Both the Chief Constable and the Commissioner wish to recognise the value and support to policing that the Mountain Rescue Services give to Derbyshire and to the Constabulary. It is recommended that a contribution in kind of a police dog van, which is already suitably fitted out for use by handlers for their search and rescue dogs, would be appropriate.
- 2.4 Based on the average receipt when such vehicles are sold at auction, the value of a decommissioned dog van is about £2,000. Whilst this is a small

sum it is appropriate that there is a public record of the donation, as Financial Regulations normally require that out of life vehicles are sold.

3. RECOMMENDATIONS

- i. To make an in kind donation of a decommissioned dog van with an estimated value of £2,000, to Peak District Mountain Rescue Service.

4. IMPLICATIONS

All implications are assessed and scored to the table below.

HIGH – supporting explanation and narrative required and to be contained within the report

MEDIUM – narrative to be contained within the report at the discretion of the author

LOW – no narrative required

	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH
Crime & Disorder		X	
Environmental	X		
Equality & Diversity	X		
Financial	X		
Health & Safety		X	
Human Rights	X		
Legal	X		
Personnel	X		

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BACKGROUND PAPERS/ ATTACHMENTS: NONE