

Staffordshire Youth Commission

The Staffordshire Youth Commission is a group of young people who seek views of other young people on issues that matter to them. They chose to focus on the following six issues:



Are these serious concerns for young people? We'd like to know your views about policing and criminal justice in Staffordshire so we can improve the whole system for young people.

Share your thoughts at: youthcommission.co.uk

Have your say...

Do you agree with these five priorities from the refreshed **Safer, Fairer, United Communities Strategy** 2016 - 2020?

- Stop crime or harm earlier
- Support victims and witnesses
- Stop offending and reoffending
- Boost confidence in all we do
- Equip policing to tackle changing threats

Read more & comment at: staffordshire-pcc.gov.uk/strategy-2016

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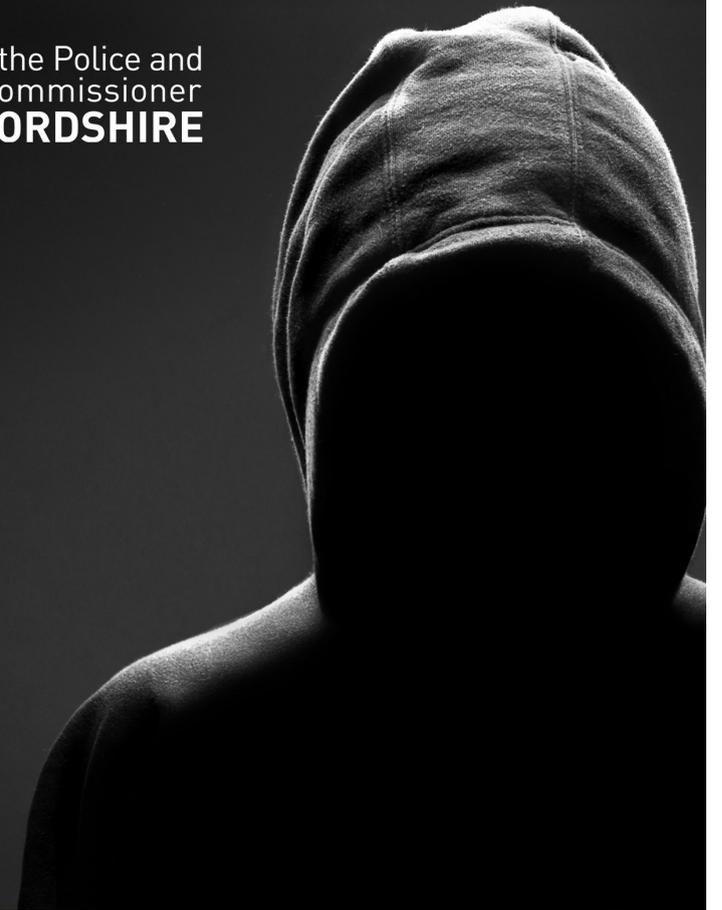
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Office of the Police and
Crime Commissioner
STAFFORDSHIRE



Who is your child really talking to online?

Research by the Commissioner's office found over a third of Staffordshire households with children have inadequate online security to keep children safe.

www.staffordshire-pcc.gov.uk

What's the budget for this year?

Criminals targeting thousands with 'one click'. Paedophiles using the internet to share abuse, often from other countries. That's why I've made £110m available and invested in better technology so police can tackle evolving threats.

But the police must also do more to help reassure local communities with a visible officer presence which deters crime and nuisance. Neighbourhood policing numbers are the same now as in 2013, so it's about more effective, smarter use of local officers.

The world around us is becoming more unpredictable, so extra investment is being made in the services that would help keep Staffordshire people safe in extreme and unlikely circumstances.

Since 2013 I've reduced the 'reserves' of taxpayers' money being held 'just in case' and spent more locally in communities through my People Power Fund and grants to local councils. As promised, I've frozen over the last four years the part of council tax we all pay towards policing Staffordshire.

This year, Government has assumed that PCCs should raise an extra 2% for policing through council tax instead of national taxes. That alongside the investment in technology, the need to fund extra capabilities for policing and to ensure new threats are met head on, means I will be increasing local taxation by 1.99% or £3.54 per year for a Band D property.



Matthew Ellis - Police and Crime Commissioner

Income (funding)		Expenditure	
■ Police grant	£104.9m	■ Staffordshire Police	£171m
■ Council tax	£73.8m	■ Commissioning	£4.6m
■ Reserves	£2.9m	■ Capital borrowing costs	£4.6m
		■ OPCC Office	£1.4m
Total	£181.6m	Total	£181.6m



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 knowaboutcse.co.uk



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staffsvictimsgateway.org.uk
0330 0881 339

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11 to 17 years-old? ✓

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