



**PCC DECISION**

**REF 2020/005**

**Decision Title: CCTV – Live Feeds**

**Decision summary:**

ASC Command and Control are unable to fully view Live CCTV from all 8 local authorities they serve. At present, ASC can only see two of the local authorities live CCTV feeds. The current Video Management System they utilise is outdated and unsupported. As each of the local authorities update their systems from analogue to Digital; ASC ability to connect with them fractures further.

A Business case to replace the current CCTV Live Feeds infrastructure was presented at CMB on the 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020. It set out the costs to improve the ability of ASC to view CCTV across a vast amount of the communities they serve. It significantly increases the ability of ASC to better protect the public as well as ASC police officers and staff, and ensures the control room can more appropriately resource to ongoing incidents. It not only repairs the present lack of connectivity, it future proofs the ability to connect to other partners who are upgrading and on-boarding with CCTV such as the new Bristol Arena and Ashton Gate. It allows ASC Silver Commanders to have the most available 360 degree view of what is happening on the ground and ensures they are able to be based alongside their command team within the control room. It is not just about the dynamic incidents, it is also about the planning. Having CCTV allows ASC planning silvers to resource appropriately, knowing on the day they have good quality CCTV to support decision making.

Dangers that officers and staff face policing in the UK are increasing and importantly CCTV will help to ensure ASC officer and staff safety. This project will contribute significantly towards the objectives set out within our Digital, Service, and People Strategies. It also aligns with Police and Crime Plan Objectives 2 (Strengthen and Improve your Local communities) and 3 (Ensure Avon and Somerset Constabulary has the right people, right capability and right culture)

The Business case made the following recommendations to CMB;

- Approve the award of a 3 year contract to the preferred bidder - Tyco Fire Solutions at a total cost of £211,201 over the life of the contract.
- Approve the project to move into delivery phase –utilising the resources and governance arrangements set out in Part 4.

CMB endorsed the Business case and ask the Police and Crime Board to provide final approval

**Background or reference to supporting papers:**

**CCTV Constabulary Business Case V7 (circulated as part of Nov PCB papers)**

**Avon and Somerset Police & Crime Commissioner**

I confirm I have considered whether or not I have any declarations of disclosable interest in this matter. Any such interests are disclosed.

*The above request has my approval.*

Date 26/11/20

*Sue Mountstevens*

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**Police & Crime Commissioner for Avon & Somerset**

**CFO Signatures**

Date 24/11/20

(OCC CFO required if decision requested or presented for approval by Constabulary)

*P.R. Bui*

*N.J. Adams*

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**PCC CFO**

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**OCC CFO**

**Other relevant lead officer as required**

Date 25/11/20

(e.g PCC CEO, COG lead)

**Interim CEO**

**Mark Simmonds**

*Mark Simmonds*

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**Job title**

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**name**

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**signature**