



LOCAL POLICING REVIEW 2018

CONSULTATION – YOUNG PEOPLE’S VERSION

YOUR POLICE SERVICE, YOUR VIEWS



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What's it all about?

The role of the Police Service of Northern Ireland is to keep people safe, however as things change they need to plan how they are going to perform this role in the future.

Before they make this plan the Police Service of Northern Ireland and the Northern Ireland Policing Board talk to lots of different people and groups. They talk to these people to make sure that the final plan considers the views of everyone. One of the most important groups they want to hear from is children and young people.

This document allows **you** to give **your** views on the future of **your** police service. This document will explain some of the changes that the Police Service of Northern Ireland are currently dealing with and will give you the opportunity to say what parts of policing are important to you and how you think the Police Service of Northern Ireland could improve policing for you and the area you live in.

This is about the future of **your** police service and they need to hear from **you!**



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What do the Police Service do?

The Police Service of Northern Ireland keep people safe. They do this by having police officers and police staff working in every part of Northern Ireland.

The officers and staff do a lot of different things, many relating to policing in your local area. These include:

- Responding to calls from members of the public
- Going out on car, bike or foot patrols
- Attending local meetings
- Investigating crimes or other incidents

The Police Service of Northern Ireland do the following every year:



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Why do things have to change?

The way that the Police Service of Northern Ireland currently provide policing in your area has to change for a number of reasons. If they don't make changes now they will find it difficult to keep everyone safe in the future.

The first set of reasons relate to the amount of money and people that the Police Service of Northern Ireland has to do all the things they currently do.

Over the last
10 YEARS
the PSNI has



The second set of reasons relate to changes in what they have to do. The Police Service now receives more calls from members of the community who need help or assistance rather than crime related calls. Also, the types of crimes reported have changed, for example, many more crimes are involving use of the internet or other technologies (Cyber Crimes). These crimes can only be properly investigated by officers behind a computer or in an office. This reduces the amount of time that they are on patrol in your community.



Your Views

The Northern Ireland Policing Board and the Police Service of Northern Ireland now need your help in order to plan how they will deliver policing in your community. This plan will cover local policing, this is the work that police officers and police staff carry out in your local area. This page outlines how you can obtain more information and give your views to around the future of your police service. **Follow the 2 steps below to have your say before Friday 9th November 2018.**



STEP 1: Questions

To have you say on the future of local policing in your area please answer the following questions:



Question 1:

Have you ever used the Police Service of Northern Ireland?



Question 2:

What are the Police Service of Northern Ireland doing in your area that you feel is important?



Question 3:

What could the Police Service of Northern Ireland do better your area ?

STEP 2: Send you views

For your views to be heard please submit them by using one of the methods shown below:



Submit your views online

You can submit your views and try the priority simulator by going to: psni.prioritysimulator.com



Email your views

You can email what you have to say to: consultation@nipolicingboard.org.uk



Post your say

You can post your response to: [NIPB, Partnership Directorate, Waterside Tower, 31 Clarendon Road Belfast, BT1 3BG](#)

MORE INFO:

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