

<b>Committee(s):</b> Police	<b>Date(s):</b> 11 <sup>th</sup> July 2012
<b>Subject:</b> City of London Police Annual Report 2011-12	<b>Public</b>
<b>Report of:</b> Commissioner of Police POL 47/12	<b>For Decision</b>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Summary</u></b></p> <p>The draft Annual Report, representing the achievements of the City of London Police for the past financial year, is submitted to the Committee for approval. The report contains information on crime, financial and staff statistics, as well as a summary of the year under key headings.</p> <p>It is requested that any comments on and/or changes to the report be sent via the Town Clerk's Department to the Force's Public Relations Manager by Friday 20 July 2012.</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATIONS</b></p> <p>It is recommended that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) The contents of the draft Annual Report be noted, and that any comments upon them be forwarded as indicated above.</li> <li>(2) Authority is given to the Town Clerk, in consultation with the Chairman and Deputy Chairman, to approve the final draft for publication.</li> </ol>	

### **Main Report**

#### **Background**

1. The Annual Report, a draft of which is circulated with this report, serves as the vehicle for the Commissioner of Police and the Police Committee to reflect upon what has been achieved in the past financial year and to report on crime, resources and financial statistics. It will be officially

published during September after it has been presented to the Court of Common Council.

## **Current Position**

2. The report has been based largely on the format in which it appeared last year, which was much reduced in size to previous years in order to reduce the cost of production. It is a simpler and plainer in design, although still very much a corporate document, reflecting the professionalism of the City of London Police. The copy focuses on the achievements of the Force in the areas of protecting the City from terrorism and serious harm, protecting the City from protest and anti-social behaviour, and the work as Lead Force for Fraud and the National Fraud Intelligence Bureau (NFIB) in countering fraud. It also contains an over-view of the work of the Wards teams as well as statistical information, highlights of the year and forewords by both the Chairman and the Commissioner.
3. The report is 37 pages plus covers and is a much plainer, simpler design. Both of these measures have resulted in significant savings. No new photography has been commissioned for this report, which has relied on images taken previously and throughout the year.
4. It is recommended that the Annual Report be printed in full colour, A4 in size and printed on matt finished, recycled paper. The report will be available upon request in different languages, Braille and large type formats, and this will be stipulated at the back of the report. It will also be available as a PDF download.

## **Conclusion**

5. The Annual Report is a corporate document which provides a record of the Force's achievements in the preceding year.

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