



INVESTING IN LOCAL POLICING

BUDGET 2025/26



My mission is to make Lancashire safer through strong leadership and tough scrutiny, ensuring an effective and efficient policing service that meets the needs and expectations of our residents. Neighbourhood policing has long been a cornerstone of our community, and I am committed to investing in local teams to rebuild connections and restore trust and confidence in our police force.

My budget for 2025/26 will strengthen neighbourhood teams, tackle crime and anti-social behaviour, and ensure that offenders are brought to justice. I will drive improvements in the service provided by the Constabulary, holding

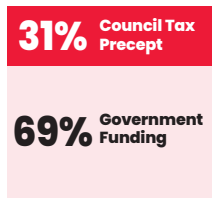
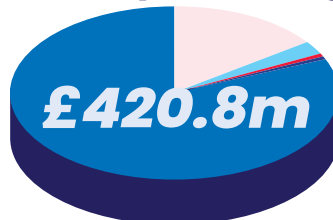
the Chief Constable accountable for promptly responding to calls and public contact, together with the professional handling of crime reports.

68% of residents who participated in my recent budget survey support increased funding for Lancashire Constabulary. I will ensure that the £14 increase in the council tax precept for 2025/26—equivalent to 27p per week for a Band D property—will be spent on your policing priorities to make Lancashire a safer place for everyone.

Clive Grunshaw
Police and Crime
Commissioner for Lancashire

How every pound of Lancashire's police budget is spent:

- Police Officers, Staff and PCSOs **81.24%**
- Operating Costs **14.08%**
- Capital Funding **3.23%**
- Support for Victims of Crime **1.45%**



Find out more by visiting lancashire-pcc.gov.uk

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COMMISSIONER CLIVE GRUNSHAW'S BUDGET 2025/26

NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING

- ✓ Investment in Neighbourhood Policing Teams
- ✓ Increased visible policing presence across Lancashire
- ✓ Tackle the underlying causes of crime and disorder

PREVENTING VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND GIRLS

- ✓ Dedicated Rape and Serious Sexual Offences Teams within Lancashire Constabulary
- ✓ Work with partners to improve conviction rates and outcomes for victims
- ✓ Specialist support for victims of domestic abuse, stalking and sexual offences

TACKLING CRIME AND ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

- ✓ Strengthening of Op Centurion to tackle Anti-Social Behaviour
- ✓ Investment in Op Vulture to target retail crime
- ✓ Investment in digital investigations to crack down on fraud and cyber crime

GETTING TOUGH ON SERIOUS VIOLENT CRIME

- ✓ Funding of Op Warrior to tackle organised crime gangs across Lancashire
- ✓ Investment in Op Makesafe to safeguard and protect the vulnerable from criminal exploitation
- ✓ Work with partners to take knives off Lancashire's streets

REBUILDING PUBLIC TRUST AND CONFIDENCE

- ✓ Improved call handling times when contacting Lancashire Constabulary
- ✓ Better support and treatment for all victims of crime
- ✓ Tougher enforcement of standards and acceptable conduct within Lancashire Constabulary

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