

POLICING MATTERS NOVEMBER 2025

At our November meeting in public questions from Members covered a range of topics including funding, policy and guidance, custody suites and Right Care Right Person.

YOU CAN FIND AND LISTEN TO ALL THE QUESTIONS ASKED HERE

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CONVERSATIONS WITH PURPOSE



Members travelled to the Maiden City this month to meet with local and national organisations about Policing Plan Measure 1.1: The Effectiveness in Tackling Violence Against Women and Girls as part of the Board's 'Conversations With Purpose' initiative.

We'd like to thank all those who engaged with us and shared their experience, and the fantastic team at Foyle Women's Aid for hosting us all.

[READ OUR ENGAGEMENT STRATEGY](#)

IACP 2025

Our Chair Mukesh joined with the Chief Constable, DoJ and RUC George Cross Foundation representatives to present on building legitimacy, trust and confidence in a post-conflict NI justice system at The International Association of Chiefs of Police annual conference in Denver.

POLICING IS TOO IMPORTANT TO BE LEFT TO THE POLICE ALONE

HOW PEOPLE, POLICING AND POLITICS CAN
WORK TOGETHER TO CREATE A BETTER
SERVICE

WATCH THE BOARD'S PRESENTATION

LEGACY FUNDING

At the November meeting the Board reiterated the need for a meeting with the Secretary of State on legacy funding issues, and recorded the failure of the SofS to respond to the Board's request.

READ THE STATEMENT

You can keep up to date with all the issues at the November meeting here:

 **Watch the Chair's opening remarks**

 [Watch the Chief Constable's opening remarks](#)

 **Read the Chief Constable's Report**

 **Read written Questions**

**Next meeting in public:
Thursday 11 December 2025**

 **Listen to Oral questions from Board Members**

POLICE FEDERATION MEETING

Our Board Chair Mukesh had a productive meeting with Police Federation Chair Liam Kelly this month to discuss important issues impacting their members.



The Board Chair and Police Federation Chair.

DERRY & STRABANE VISIT



Our Board Chair and Vice Chair were out and about this month with a visit to meet and hear from some of the officers and staff working in Derry City & Strabane District.

Read Board and Committee minutes and new publications here:

 Publications

 Committee Minutes

 Board Minutes

ICV ANNUAL REPORT PUBLISHED

Our Independent Custody Visitors are a key part of our work. Read the latest annual report to find out more about what they've been doing this year, or apply to be a volunteer on our website!

FIND OUT MORE

CODE OF ETHICS CONSULTATION

We held a Draft Revised Code of Ethics Consultation event this month. Thanks to those both online and in person for the detailed and thoughtful feedback given. The Consultation is now closed.



Board Vice Chair Brendan Mullan, Human Rights Advisor John Wadham, Board Chair Mukesh Sharma, DCC Bobby Singleton and Independent Board Member Les Allamby