

# Chief Officer Group 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2010 Minutes

**OPEN**

**Present:**

<b>Craig Mackey</b>	Chief Constable
<b>Stuart Hyde</b>	Deputy Chief Constable
<b>Michelle Skeer</b>	Assistant Chief Constable
<b>Jerry Graham</b>	Assistant Chief Constable (Territorial Policing)
<b>Joanna Bancroft</b>	Director of Personnel and Development
<b>Gill Shearer</b>	Head of Marketing and Communications
<b>Nina Robinson</b>	Minute Taker

**1 Apologies for absence**

Mike Thompson

**2 Minutes of meeting of 8<sup>th</sup> March 2010**

The minutes were approved as an accurate record.

Update on SNEN – At the Regional ACPO meeting on 16<sup>th</sup> March, Cumbria agreed to contribute to regional post based in GMP which will cost and scope SNEN.

**3 Action updates**

See action sheet.

**4 Declaration of any other business**

Representation at Police Authority Meetings

**5 Minutes to note**

The Peoples Board – The minutes from the meeting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2010 were noted.

**Action owner(s)**

**6 Standing Items**

**a) COG diary commitments and command cover**

The diaries were noted and discussed. It was noted that the Flood Recovery Group will close down this week.

**b) Press issues**

Gill Shearer updated the group on national and local press issues.

**Agenda Items**

**7 Internal Refreshments**

The situation was clarified in regard to refreshments for internal meetings arranged by chief officers – buffet lunches/working lunches will only be requested where visitors external to the organisation are attending.

As an exception, tea and coffee may be requested for internal meetings but costs will be met from the chief officer budget. In normal circumstances costs for refreshments provided for chief officer meetings are met personally by the chief officers.

**8 Thank You Event for those involved in the 2009 floods**

The plans for two events to be held in West Cumbria were discussed, and the provisional arrangements were approved. There will be two events on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> May and Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> May.

**9 Shared Post Incident Managers**

The proposals for collaboration between Cumbria Constabulary and Civil Nuclear Constabulary to provide Post Incident Management were approved. It was also agreed to explore opportunities for similar arrangements with BTP.

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**Any other business**

Representation at Police Authority Meetings

Stuart Hyde circulated the final draft of representatives at Police Authority meetings for final approval before going to the Police Authority. This was approved.

**Closed agenda**

**Date of next meeting**

**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2010**

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