

## Volunteering Opportunity Appointment of Independent Persons to sit on Independent Residents Panel

Travel expenses will be paid

We have big ambitions in the Avon and Somerset policing area. As well as a unique blend of policing challenges we have a diverse range of communities ranging from vibrant cities to the rural landscapes. We want the communities in the Avon and Somerset Police area to be safer and to feel safe.

Members of the public sitting on a Scrutiny Panel is an important, independent means of enhancing public trust and confidence in the review of complaint files against Avon and Somerset Police and the governance by the Police & Crime Commissioner. It also assists the Police & Crime Commissioner in fulfilling her monitoring and scrutiny responsibilities.

We require four Independent people to join the existing Independent Residents Panel to contribute to the development and effective work of this panel.

We need individuals who have the highest level of integrity and a commitment to high standards of conduct and ethics. Key skills required will include integrity, independence and judgement.

We are proud to be committed to equal opportunities and welcome applications for this important and valued volunteer post.

To download an application pack please visit <a href="http://www.avonandsomerset-pcc.gov.uk/Take-Part/Vacancies.aspx">http://www.avonandsomerset-pcc.gov.uk/Take-Part/Vacancies.aspx</a> or contact Kate Watson on 01275 816825.

Closing date for the application is: 30 September 2016

Date for selection days: Week commencing 24 and 31 October 2016