

12th August 2019

Correspondence sent by E-mail

Dear Karen and Gail

Subject: Youth Justice Plan Bury Rochdale

Thank you for your Youth Justice Plan submitted on August 5th, 2019

I can confirm that this complies with sections 40(1) & (2), 40(3) and 40(4) of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998.ⁱ

The plan has been quality assured and the following elements are of note:

- the encouraging foreword of the Board chairs
- the clearly defined priorities for the coming year, specific focus on transitions and resettlement after custody
- good analysis of achievement in this year and a commitment to maintain the good performance on FTES and reduce reoffending and use of custody in 2019/20

This submission complies with conditions of grant and a notification of acceptance of the plan is with YJB finance.

Wishing you every success in achieving the aspirations set out in your published plan

Yours Sincerely,



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Cc: YOT Manager, J Hopkinson

Youth Justice Plan requirements

40(1) & (2) Crime and Disorder Act 1998

The local authority must, after consultation with police or local policing body, Secretary of State, providers of probation services, local probation board, clinical commissioning group, Local Health Board, formulate and implement for each year a plan (a “youth justice plan”) setting out how youth justice services in their area are to be provided and funded; and how the YOT/s established by them (whether alone or jointly with one or more other local authorities) are to be composed and funded, how they are to operate, and what functions they are to carry out.

40(3) Crime and Disorder Act 1998

Local authorities may assign functions to YOTs including functions under paragraph 7(b) of Schedule 2 to the Children Act 1989 Act (local authority's duty to take reasonable steps designed to encourage children and young person's not to commit offences).

40(4) Crime and Disorder Act 1998

A local authority must submit a youth justice plan annually to the Youth Justice Board setting out (a) how youth justice services are to be provided and funded in their area and (b) how the YOTs established by them are to be composed and funded, how they are to operate and what functions they are to carry out. The plan must be published in such manner and by such date as the Secretary of State may direct.