



**Request for decision:** **D02-2017**

**Subject matter: Armoury extension**

**Executive summary:**

Although the firearms range will no longer be required there will remain a need to maintain the armoury. However without the firearms range the current armoury is too small.

There is an urgent need to make the armoury larger. At the shift handover time there are up to 12 officers collecting or returning firearms in a space that is less than 10m<sup>2</sup> and there are no rifle clear unloading devices.

This paper outlined the rationale and estimated cost of completing a simplified version of the original firearms range refurbishment proposal but with a larger footprint to accommodate a force-wide firearms overnight store.

**Recommendations (with reasons for that recommendation)**

That

- a decision is made to approve the work to extend the armoury at Bamfurlong
- a budget of £39,823 is allocated to complete the works.

**Police and Crime Commissioner**

The above requests have my approval.

Signed:

Date: 28 February 2017