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Alison Greenhill  
Leicester City Council  
Via email

cc: [REDACTED]  
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Dear Alison

I am writing to update you on Prevent funding for 2025/26. To determine where we should focus our resources over the next year, we have undertaken a prioritisation exercise to review the relative threat from terrorism across the country, as set out in our letter to all Chief Executives in October. We have also taken into consideration the relative threat over the last three years in each area. The exercise was run by Homeland Security Analysis & Insight (HSAI) with additional qualitative input from Counter-Terrorism Policing, the Department from Education and regional delivery partners including local police forces, NHS Safeguarding Leads and Probation.

The Home Office continues to support the provision of dedicated Home Office funding for areas that are responding to the very highest risks. However, to support their delivery over and above the requirements of the Prevent duty, we need to make some significant adjustments to ensure we have national coverage of Prevent within a tight fiscal environment.

Following this prioritisation exercise, we can confirm Leicester is within the 20 areas facing a higher relative threat and Leicester City Council will continue to receive dedicated Prevent funding. [REDACTED]  
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## Next steps

- Check your log in details for the [Portal](#) so you can access the bid form and supporting documents.
- Please talk to your Prevent Adviser about your plans for 2025/26 and do test ideas at an early stage so that we can provide you with advice and feedback. We strongly recommend sharing a draft of the bid ahead of the final bidding deadline.
- Please discuss your bid with local Counter-Terrorism Police Officers prior to the deadline. They will be able to provide additional insight on the extent to which the bid aligns with the local threat. Prevent delivery also works most effectively when all partners are sighted on and bought into the local provision available.
- **Submit your 2025/26 bid form onto the portal by 23:59 on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2025.**

Best wishes,

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Head of Local Delivery & Communities  
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