## **Fundraiser of the Year Award**

## Karen Ramsey, Isle of Man Committee

Without Karen and her contacts it is unlikely we would have been able to source this funding and we would still be doing our best on very limited funds".



## Overview

Karen has only been with us 18 months and already has created a solid platform for Crimestoppers to thrive there once again. Positive relationships have been established with the Government and the island's Chief Constable and the fourvenue roadshow Karen organised in late 2023, specifically targeting and engaging with local communities most in need of our services, was universally well-received. So impressed was the Department for Home Affairs that following Karen's approach they were minded to make a grant of £20,000 for the Isle of Man Crimestoppers to continue to develop further awareness raising initiatives across the island for 2024/25.

## Judges' comments

The judges were all deeply impressed by Karen having secured such a substantial sum in what are still early days in her tenure on the Isle of Man. They appreciated too that Karen doesn't have the comfort or support of a Regional Manager and that her achievement is all the more remarkable for that. A very worthy winner of this award.

