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Dear Mr Hardwick,

## Re: Lincolnshire Policing Precept for 2015/16

On behalf of the Lincolnshire Police and Crime Panel I write to thank you and your colleagues for attending the Panel Meeting on 6 February 2015 to present, discuss and answer the Panel's questions in relation to your proposed policing precept for 2015/16.

The Panel thoroughly reviewed the financial information provided which included details of the provisional grant settlement 2015/16, revenue budget 2015/16, medium term financial plan, risk analysis, reserves strategy and capital programme. In addition the Panel received an update regarding the latest developments in your attempts to secure a sustainable funding model for Lincolnshire Police; the Panel welcomed the steps taken and looks forward to receiving further updates in due course.

The Panel was satisfied that you had been able to demonstrate that an increase in the policing precept is required to ensure that a robust and effective standard of policing can be provided to the people of Lincolnshire in the year ahead.

As such, and in accordance with Schedule 5 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 I write to confirm that the Lincolnshire Police and Crime Panel voted unanimously to accept your proposal to increase the policing precept by 1.95% in 2015/16. Please note that the Panel will publish this correspondence on its website.

Yours sincerely,

Norman Norris JP Chairman of the Lincolnshire Police and Crime Panel

CC: Members of the Lincolnshire Police and Crime Panel

Malcolm Burch and Julie Flint, Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Lincolnshire

Chief Executives of Lincolnshire Local Authorities





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