

Our ref: 220/16

Date: 16th February 2016

Dear

## Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information received 12/01/2016.

I note you seek access to the following information:

I am currently compiling a database for Police Professional journal on Police and Crime Commissioner plans regarding precepts, and was hoping you would be able to provide me with some information.

*If possible, could you please answer the following questions?* 

- Does the Commissioner hope to see the precept raised this year, and if so by what percentage?
- What will the funding raised be invested in?
- Was the precept increased last year, and how much by?
- How much is currently earned from the precept per year?

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted within the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner to locate information relevant to your request.

Your request for information has now been considered and the information asked for is as follows: -

## **Question 1 and 2**

The Police and Crime Commissioner has taken his recommendation to the Police and Crime Panel on February 2<sup>nd</sup> and will publish the decision publically as soon as possible on the following website

http://www.leics.pcc.police.uk/Our-Work/Information/Decisions.aspx

As the information is intended for future publication Section 22 applies to this element of your request and is exempt from disclosure. The report to the Police & Crime Panel on 2nd February will articulate clearly the rationale behind Sir Clive's decision and how the budget will be spent during 2016/17



## **Question 3 and 4**

The precept was increased by 1.99% in 2015/16. The resultant Band D Precept of £179.9951 equates to approximately £53.2m of income for 2015/16

Yours sincerely

Office of Police and Crime Commissioner