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Dear Councillor Mole

Proposed Precept for 2015/16

Thank you for your letter of 6 February on behalf of the Police and Crime Panel for Northumbria following the meeting of the Panel on 6 February.

I welcome the Panel's agreement to the proposed 1.99% increase in the precept, and I can confirm that in accordance with Section 40 of the Local Government Act 1992, I intend to formally request the local authorities in the Northumbria are to issue, in respect of the year beginning 1 April 2015 as part of the Council Tax for their area, a charge equivalent to £88.33 for Band D properties.

Please convey my thanks to the members of the panel for their contribution to this process.

Yours sincerely

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Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria