



## **The Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner's Formal Response to the Report of the Police, Fire and Crime Panel on its Review of the Commissioner's proposed Policing Precept for 2023-24**

I would like to thank the Panel for its report dated 8<sup>th</sup> February 2023 which sets the conclusions of the Panel's review of my proposed precept for 2023-24.

This report is the response I am required to give to the Panel in accordance with the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011. This response is required to be published in a manner which is to be, determined by the Police, Fire and Crime Panel in accordance with schedule 5, paragraph 5(4).

I am grateful to the Panel for its unanimous support for my proposal for an increase in the 2023-24 Council Tax precept Band D level to £293.04 for policing purposes. This represents an increase of 5.39% for police purposes.

I note the points the Panel made at its meeting; summarised in section 5 of the Panel's report.

Following publication of this response I shall approve and issue the precept based on a Band D Council Tax of £293.04 for 2023-24.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading 'Stephen Mold'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Stephen Mold  
Northamptonshire Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner  
16<sup>th</sup> February 2023