



## **South Wales Police and Crime Panel**

### **REPORT ON THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR SOUTH WALES' PROPOSED PRECEPT FOR 2018/19**

#### **Background**

This report is made in accordance with the South Wales Police and Crime Panel's ("SWPCP") statutory duty contained in, Schedule 5, Paragraph 3(2) of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 ("the Act"). The Panel must make a report to the Police and Crime Commissioner on the proposed precept.

#### **Review of Proposed Precept for 2018/19**

The Police and Crime Commissioner for South Wales notified the SWPCP on the 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2018 of the Precept Proposal for 2018/19

The SWPCP met on Tuesday the 30<sup>th</sup> January 2018 to review the Precept and to report on the proposed precept. A copy of the report detailing the proposed Precept is available to view on the SWPCP pages on the Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Council website.

[Link to Precept Report](#)

#### **Report**

*The SWPCP considered the precept proposal and resolved to:-*

*Approve the proposed Precept of £113,598,846 which is £233.52 (for a Band D property) for 2018/19 and a 7 % or £15.28 per annum increase.*

The Panel made the following recommendation:-

Although the Precept was not vetoed, the Panel did consider the 7% proposal to be high. In addition the Panel recommended that any financial savings made during the financial year 2018/19 should not come from front line policing.

30<sup>th</sup> January 2018