

Stratford Town Newsletter - 31 December 2018

Local News

06/01/19 - Stratford Town Newsletter Monday 17th December 2018 - Saturday 5th January 2019

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Enjoy.



<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/article/55750/Stratford-Town-Newsletter-Monday-17th-December-2018---Saturday-5th-January-2019>

Community Messages

06/01/19 - Community information, Stratford Town

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03/01/19 - Views sought from businesses on plans to recruit more police officers

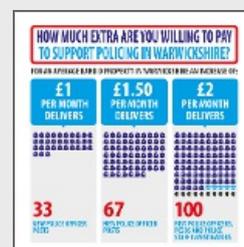
Warwickshire's Police and Crime Commissioner Philip Seccombe wants to hear the views of local businesses on plans to increase the number of police officers, community support officers and police staff investigators by up to 100. The investment in new officers - made possible through an increase to the portion of Council Tax which pays for policing - would help Warwickshire Police meet rising demand and provide a better service to local communities.

Under the proposals, achieving the maximum number of new officers would require an increase of £2 per month for an average Band D council tax payer, but could deliver 85 new police officer posts, five new police community support officers and an additional 10 police staff investigators.

As well as these additional officers, the extra funding would also ensure that much-needed investments could continue to be made into modernising police IT and estates to ensure they are efficient and effective, enabling Warwickshire Police to deliver an improved service to the public.

Options for increases of £1.50 per month and £1 per month at Band D are also being consulted upon, but these would see fewer new officers posts created and no new PCSOs or police investigators appointed.

The Commissioner wants to hear your views on these proposals and has launched an online consultation to gain feedback from as wide a range of communities as possible.



You can give your feedback online at <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/WarksPrecept19-20> . The survey will be open until Thursday, January 24, 2019.

Or give your views in person:

In addition, the Commissioner is also holding a special event for businesses to give their feedback on the proposals. It will be held at 2pm on Thursday 10 January at the Northgate House Conference Centre in Warwick. Anyone interested in attending should contact the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner on 01926 412322 or email opcc@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk.

<https://www.warwickshire.police.uk/article/55690/Views-sought-from-businesses-on-plans-to-recruit-more-police-officers>

03/01/19 - Have you had your say on the police precept for 2019/20 yet?

Warwickshire Police and Crime Commissioner Philip Seccombe wants to hear your thoughts on three options he is putting forward to boost the numbers of police officers in the county.

The PCC is proposing to use a rise in the Police Precept (the portion of Council Tax which pays for policing) to recruit up to 100 new officers, community support officers and crime investigators. This will help Warwickshire Police meet rising demand and provide a better, more visible service to local communities.

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The proposals come as part of the draft budget for the 2019/20 financial year and would allow for officer numbers to be boosted and deliver improved capacity for urban and rural policing. This will build on last year's police precept investment which provided funding for 50 frontline police officer posts.

Help shape the future of policing in Warwickshire by giving your feedback on the plans and encouraging friends and family to do the same.

The survey is open until January 24, so don't delay in giving us your views.

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