

KIDLINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Minutes of the Meeting of the Policy and Finance Committee held at Exeter Hall, Oxford Road, Kidlington on Thursday 15 January 2020 at 6.30pm

PRESENT: Cllr David Betts (Chair), Cllr Alan Graham, Cllr Conrad Copeland, Cllr Ian Middleton, Cllr David Robey, Cllr Katherine Tyson, Cllr Neil Prestidge

IN ATTENDANCE: Rachel Faulkner, Clerk to the Council and Alyson Bateman, Finance Manager

APOLOGIES: None

19/PF64 **Declarations of Interest:** None declared.

19/PF65 The minutes of the meeting held on 11 December 2019 were signed as a correct record.

19/PF66 The committee discussed two options for the budget for 2020/21 and **RECOMMENDED** the budget be set at £716,715 which, with a slightly reduced tax base, represents a 2.9% increase on the previous year.

The committee **RECOMMENDED** that the interest received from the CCLA Property Fund be reinvested to build up reserves for future projects. This will be reviewed annually.

The meeting closed at 7.10pm