

**WRITTEN STATEMENT OF A NON-KEY DECISION  
CABINET**

<b>ITEM:</b>	<b>PROVISIONAL 2010/11 LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE SETTLEMENT</b>
Members Present:	Councillors: RJ Phillips (Leader), LO Barnett, AJM Blackshaw, H Bramer, JA Hyde, JG Jarvis, PD Price, DB Wilcox.
Date of Decision:	18 December 2009
Exempt:	No
Confidential	No
Urgency/Special Urgency: (As defined in Constitution)	No
Purpose:	To report on the provisional 2010/11 Local Government Finance Settlement and confirm the process leading to the setting of council tax at full council on 5 March 2009.
<b>Decision:</b>	<b>THAT Cabinet</b>  <b>(a) notes the 2010/11 settlement; and</b>  <b>(b) agrees the timetable for setting the Council Tax.</b>
Reasons for the Decision:	The provisional settlement outlines the level of central government funding to be received by the Council. This is one of the significant elements of the overall funding of services.
Options Considered:	There are no alternative options as the amount represents an allocation from central government.
Declaration of Interest:	

**COUNCILLOR RJ PHILLIPS:** ..... **Date:** 18 December 2009  
**LEADER OF THE COUNCIL**