# **North Yorkshire County Council**

# **Thirsk & Malton Area Constituency Committee**

## 10 January 2020

# **County Council Budget 2020/21**

Report of the Principal Democratic Services & Scrutiny Officer

### 1.0 Purpose of Report

1.1 To advise of the arrangements for reporting the County Council's budget for 2020/21 at this meeting and to seek the Committee's comments concerning the budget for referral to the Executive.

### 2.0 Background

- 2.1 The local government finance settlement is the annual determination of funding to local government and requires the approval of the House of Commons.
- 2.2 At the time this agenda was published, the local government settlement for 2020/21 had not been announced, and therefore a paper regarding the settlement has not been included in this agenda.

### 3.0 Arrangements

- 3.1 Gary Fielding (the County Council's Corporate Director Strategic Resources) will attend this meeting to give a verbal briefing on the 2020/21 local government settlement and to respond to questions.
- 3.2 The Committee, having received the verbal briefing, is invited to comment on the County Council's budget for 2020/21.

#### 4.0 Recommendation

- 4.1 That the local government settlement, as reported verbally at this meeting, be noted.
- 4.2 That the Committee's comments concerning the County Council's budget for 2020/21 be referred to the County Council's Executive for consideration.

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Background Documents - None

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