

Agenda Item 13, Revenue Budget Proposal 2012/2013

Liberal Democrat Group Amendment

Adjourned Council Meeting

8 February 2012

Proposed Amendment:

This Council objects to the increasing of £5,000 to the Chairman's budget, as outlined in the budget proposal.

At a time when everybody has had to tighten their belts and make economies, it appears indefensible that this Council is without any real consultation preparing to spend £5000 on unexplained expenditure.

Only at the last Council meeting we were told that "now was not the right time to increase allowance to Councillors", but in this area there seems to have been an exception.

At a time of austerity, all unnecessary expenditure should be rejected

Proposer: Councillor Pountney
Secunder: Councillor Baldrey