

**KETTERING BOROUGH
RURAL FORUM**

Thursday 4th February 2016 at 7.00pm
Council Chamber,
Kettering Borough Council offices,
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A G E N D A

1. Introductions
2. Apologies (*please telephone any apologies to David Pope on 01536 535661*)
3. Declarations of Interest*
 - Disclosable Pecuniary Interests
 - Personal Interests
4. Minutes of the meeting held on 26th November 2015 to be approved and signed by the Chair (*attached*)
5. Matters arising from the Minutes:-

Item	Status	Next meeting
Streetlighting	Ongoing	June 2016
Core Spatial Strategy Inspector Visit – Feedback	-	June 2016
Solar PV Farms	Ongoing	June 2016
Police Statistics	Ongoing	June 2016
Truck Stops	Clarification to be sought	TBC

6. The Chair to ask any members of the public present if they want to speak on any items on the agenda.

Main Agenda Items

7. Budget Proposals 2016/17 Mark Dickenson
To provide the forum with an update on the Budget Proposals for 2016/17 and the preparation for the Medium Term.

8. Community Grants Scheme Guy Holloway
To update the forum on the KBC Grants Scheme in 2014/15 and 2015/16

9. Fly-tipping
To provide the forum with details of offences and processes in relation to fly-tipping

Information Items

10. Improved Communication Channels (*verbal*) Lisa Hyde

11. Police Statistics (***attached***)
Report from Northamptonshire Police on crime in period January 2014 – December 2015

12. Future agenda items (*see item 5*)
Please let us know if there are any issues you wish to raise as future agenda items.

13. Any Other Business

14. Dates of Future Meetings & suggested venues :- 23rd June 2016 (Provisional)

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