

**Agenda Item 3, Revenue Budget 2013/14**

**Liberal Democrat Group Notice of Motion**

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**Adjourned Council Meeting**

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**Objection to budget:**

This Council objects to the new proposed policy on the allocation of Community Alarms and the budget reduction, which has not been fully thought through. In particular, no consideration has been given to the effects that this proposal will have on elderly people who live on their own and have an accident.

Both the ensuing costs of additional care and the fact that their lives may potential be at risk, will far outweigh the proposed savings of £30,000. In addition this will become a service only for the better off and this is socially unacceptable.

Proposer: Councillor Pountney

Seconder: Councillor Faulkner (A)