

Homelessness Prevention Grant Panel Meeting

Minutes of the meeting of

Thursday 4th May 2017 at 9.30am

In the Members Room, East Northamptonshire House

Present:

Councillors: Councillor Glenvil Greenwood Smith (Chair)
Councillor Tony Boto
Councillor Val Carter

Officers Carol Conway, Housing Strategy and Delivery Manager
Louise Bagley, Housing Services Officer

1.0	Apologies
1.1	Apologies had been received from Mike Greenway, Community Partnerships Manager.
2.0	Minutes of meeting of 29th March 2017
2.1	The Minutes of the meeting of 29th March 2017 were agreed as a true record and signed by the Chairman.
3.0	Matters arising
3.1	Officers would hold an initial meeting with East Northamptonshire Community Services in the week commencing 15 th May 2017 to advise them of the Panel's concerns. They will be asked to put forward proposals for improvements for consideration by the Panel at a future meeting.
3.2	Policy and Resources Committee on 24 th April 2017 had approved the Panel's recommendations in respect of the allocation of the Homelessness Prevention Grant Funding for 2017/18 in the sum of £43,994.
4.0	Consideration of future homelessness prevention funding requirements
4.1	The panel considered a draft report to Policy and Resources Committee on the future requirements for Homelessness Prevention Grant Funding. Some amendments were made to the report, the final version of which would be agreed by the Chairman following the meeting and submitted to the P&R Committee meeting on 5 th June.
5.0	Any other business
5.1	There was no other business.
6.0	Date of next meeting
6.1	A future meeting would be arranged to discuss ENCS's improvement proposals

