

1. KBC have set another balanced budget, at the end of this budget we will have frozen the borough part of council tax for 10 years in a row. You will notice however your NCC part of your council tax bill has gone up along with the Police & Fire part of the bill.

2. We are heading into Unitary and this is new territory for all of us as we are working on the abolishment of KBC and NCC along with the rest of the local authorities in Northants and forming 2 new authorities instead of the 8. This work will be ongoing for a while and we are still at the moment waiting for the government to officially announce this is going to happen.

3. The GTAA is still going on and we should know shortly what the allocation numbers need to be to give us some chance in protecting communities going forward with unauthorised / temporary encampments. This has not been good for Braybrooke over the years but having a new assessment that is up to date might go some way in giving strength to the local authority in appeals.

If anyone wants to email me / call me about something specific then I would be happy to talk through any issue.