HINCKLEY AND BOSWORTH BOROUGH COUNCIL

SCRUTINY COMMISSION

<u>11 AUGUST 2016 AT 6.30 PM</u>

PRESENT: Mr MR Lay - Chairman Mrs R Camamile – Vice-Chairman

Mr DC Bill MBE, Mr SL Bray, Mr WJ Crooks, Mrs J Richards, Mr BE Sutton, Mr P Wallace, Mr R Ward, Mr HG Williams and Ms BM Witherford (for Mr KWP Lynch)

Also in attendance: Councillor J Kirby, Councillor C Ladkin, Councillor M Nickerson and Councillor SL Rooney

Officers in attendance: Steve Atkinson, Bill Cullen, Edwina Grant, Simon D Jones, Julie Kenny, Rebecca Owen and Nic Thomas

106 APOLOGIES AND SUBSTITUTIONS

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Councillor Lynch with the substitution of Councillor Witherford authorised in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 4.

108 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No interests were declared at this stage.

114 GARDEN WASTE COLLECTION SERVICE 2017/18

Members received a report which sought support for setting the charge for the garden waste service for 2017/18 and, for those paying by direct debit, for 2018/19. Councillor Bray stated that he could not support the report as he didn't agree with the imposition of a charge at all, and, along with three other members, stood to request voting on the recommendation be recorded. The vote was taken as follows:

Councillors Camamile, Richards, Sutton, Wallace, Ward and Williams voted FOR the recommendation (6);

Councillors Bray, Crooks, Bill, Lay and Witherford voted AGAINST the recommendation (5).

It was therefore

RESOLVED -

- (i) the Executive be RECOMMENDED to approve the charge for the garden waste service for 2017/18 at £24;
- the Executive be RECOMMENDED to approve the charge for those paying for the garden waste service by direct debit at £24 for 2018/19.

(The Meeting closed at 9.05 pm)