

## Motion 1

Proposed by Councillor Chris Mitchell, seconded by Councillor Cheryl Stungo

The flooding events over the last year have been serious for some homeowners. These are only going to get worse, and the slow support from the Environment Agency and other organisations is concerning. Councillor Mitchell's professional background was as a water engineer, and he has concerns over the risks to Fluvial, Pluvial and Ground water flooding in Three Rivers. We consider that a working party made up of interested Councillors and the relevant staff will help ensure we understand the risks and help push for action for the relevant authorities and provide better advice to residents at risk. We therefore ask the council to;

- i. Agree to set up a flooding working party with cross party members and the relevant staff to meet at an agreed date, to review the flood risks we know in Three Rivers. Then how to best raise the priority of these issues being dealt with by the relevant authorities, mainly the EA, Thames water and Hertfordshire County Council. The working party to report back to this committee.