

**APPENDIX B3
PRECAUTIONARY ITEMS**

These are items of expenditure over which there is some doubt as to whether they would occur, but if they did, the Council would be required to meet them. If the spending need does arise on any item, delegated authority has been given to the Finance and Staffing Portfolio Holder and the Chief Finance Officer to approve such expenditure (to be met from reserves), up to the level indicated for the relevant year:

Precautionary Items approved for 2011/12	Total Approved £	Used in 2011/12 to Jan 2012 £
Awarded Watercourses - emergency works	15,000	0
Footway Lighting	10,000	0
Contaminated Land - remedial works	82,000	0
Clearance of Private Sewers	6,000	0
National Assistance Burials Act	5,000	0
District Emergencies	50,000	0
Homelessness - additional accommodation	120,000	0
Environmental Health Legal Costs	10,000	0
Planning Appeals and Inquiries	50,000	0
Standards Budget	68,720	0
District Elections - By-election costs	4,000	0
ICT Development (capital)	50,000	0
Total	470,720	0

Precautionary Items for 2012/13	Total £
Awarded Watercourses - emergency works	15,000
Footway Lighting	10,000
Contaminated Land - remedial works	82,000
Clearance of Private Sewers	6,000
National Assistance Burials Act	5,000
District Emergencies	50,000
Environmental Health Legal Costs	10,000
Homelessness - additional accommodation	140,000
Planning Appeals and Inquiries	50,000
Standards Budget	63,000
District Elections - By-election costs	4,000
Neighbourhood Planning	30,000
Total	465,000