

## APPENDIX 3

### Examples from other County Councils of thresholds to trigger a debate at County Council

County Council	Threshold level	% of total population
Kent County Council	12,000 for a countywide matter	0.85%
	1,000 per district for a district specific matter	Approximately 1% of district population (figure simplified)
Cambridgeshire CC	15,130	2.5%
Cornwall CC	5,000	1%
Devon CC	6,000	1%
Dorset CC	1,000	0.25%
Durham CC	5,000	1%
Essex CC	14,000	1%
Gloucestershire CC	5,000	0.85%
Hertfordshire CC	10,000	1%
Lancashire County Council	36,000	3.1%
Norfolk CC	5,000	0.6%
Northamptonshire CC	15,750	2.5%
Nottinghamshire CC	5000	1%
North Yorkshire CC	29,960	5%
	515 to 1605 (to trigger a debate at an Area Committees)	1% of each District.
Wiltshire CC	11,500	2.5%
	400 – 1000 (to trigger a debate at an Area Board)	2.5% of the community area's population