

**Complaint under the Kings Hill Parish Council Code of Conduct regarding Kings Hill Parish Councillor Tony Petty – Decision of the Joint Standards Panel of 29<sup>th</sup> April 2021**

On 29<sup>th</sup> April 2021, the Hearing Panel of the Tonbridge and Malling Joint Standards Committee (“the Panel”) considered a report of an independent investigation into the alleged conduct of Kings Hill Parish Councillor Tony Petty.

The Panel found that Cllr Petty had breached the Kings Hill Parish Council Code of Conduct by conducting himself towards the complainant in a manner which was disrespectful, and which was intended to bully and intimidate the complainant.

The Panel recommended that Kings Hill Parish Council be informed of this decision, and a formal letter would be sent to Councillor Petty setting out the decision which had been made.