

POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

RECRUITMENT OF CO-OPTED INDEPENDENT MEMBER

Following two rounds of advertising this vacancy only four applications were received.

Interviews were scheduled for 21st May. One applicant could not attend so three candidates were interviewed by the recruitment panel consisting of Cllrs Britton, Ford and Hutton.

The process was monitored by our Scrutiny Officer, Emma Dove.

Five set questions were weighted and marked with a sixth mark for more general questioning following the set questions.

Our separate markings produced identical rankings with a clear top scorer.

The recruitment panel recommends that Chris Henwood of Poulshot, Devizes be appointed.

Chris served 31 years in the RAF finishing with the rank of Group Captain.

We feel that he is well placed to make an important contribution to the work of the Police and Crime Panel and recommends that the Panel endorses his appointment at its next meeting on June 11th.

Richard Britton
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