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Dear Mrs Zammett,

Petition: Wanstead Police Station - Retained in current role and upgraded

Further to previous correspondence concerning your petition regarding the above issue. I write to confirm that Council received details of this matter at its meeting on 20th September 2012.

In the light of this information, Council resolved as follows:-

**Resolved:** That in recognition of the crucial role our local Police Stations play in the community, and the widespread concern that several namely Chadwell, Wanstead and Woodford may be earmarked for closure under the current Metropolitan Police property review, this Council resolves:

- to support residents' campaigns in Wanstead and elsewhere to keep Police Stations open;
- to ask the Chief Executive to write to the Mayor of London, the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police, and the Redbridge Borough Commander, to outline our opposition to the potential closure of local police stations, and to invite them to meet with concerned residents.'

We will keep you updated of progress of this issue.

Yours sincerely,

For Borough Solicitor and Secretary **Petitions Officer**