

SHIMPLING PARISH COUNCIL SECTION 137 PAYMENTS									
		2014/15	2015/16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	Dates of meetings on which donations proposed and agreed	
Amount included within precept request		200	200						
Payments made for the period under consideration									
SARS	13/3/15	50.00							
Age UK	13/3/15	50.00							
Magpas	13/3/15	50.00							
British Red Cross	13/3/15	50.00							
PCC for war memorial			200						
Balance		0	0						
Written Requests for Donations for 2015/16:									
Total number of electors as at 1st December 2015 = 346									
Hence 346 x £7.36 = £2546.56 to spend on S137 Donations									
The Local Government Act 1972									
Section 137 (Summary) : The power to provide things not otherwise authorised for the benefit of some or all of it's parishioners									
Section 137: allows the parish council to incur expenditure which, in it's opinion, is in the interests of, and will bring direct benefit to their area or any part of it, or to all or some of it's inhabitants. The benefit must be commensurate with the expenditure.									
Section 137: also permits contributions to any charitable body or work in the UK, any body providing any public service in the UK, otherwise than for gain or any fund related to a public appeal made by the Lord Mayor of London or the Chairman of a district or county council, or committee of which these are members.									
<i>Note:</i>	<i>A power is something that the parish council can choose to do but it is not compulsory.</i>								
<i>Note:</i>	<i>Expenditure is up to the total of money allowed per elector on the Register of Electors in any <u>one</u> financial year in accordance with Schedule 12B of the Act.</i>								
<i>Note:</i>	<i>Need resolution to authorize expenditure.</i>								