

Resources and Governance Scrutiny Committee

Date: Thursday, 7 September 2023

Time: 10.00 am

Venue: Council Antechamber, Level 2, Town Hall Extension

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Councillors - Simcock (Chair), Andrews, Brickell, Connolly, Davies, Evans, Kilpatrick, Kirkpatrick, Lanchbury, Rowles and Wheeler

Second Supplementary Agenda

Changes to Council Tax Support Scheme from April 2024
 A revised version of appendix 1 is enclosed.

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Appendix 1

These examples show how much a household on CTS currently have to pay towards their Council Tax and how much they will have to pay next year assuming an increase in CTS of 2.5% and an increase in their Council Tax bill.

Example 1

Current Situation

Single person living in a Band A property. They are entitled to 25% off their bill because they live on their own. Their only income is Employment and Support Allowance. Their Council Tax bill before Council Tax Support is awarded is £984.75. The Council Tax Support award is £812.42, this leaves them with £172.33 to pay themselves.

Proposed 2.5% CTS increase with a 2.99% Council Tax increase Their Council Tax bill before Council Tax Support is awarded is £1,014.19. The Council Tax Support award is £862.06, this leaves them with £152.13 to pay themselves.

Proposed 2.5% CTS increase with 4.99% Council Tax increase Their Council Tax bill before Council Tax Support is awarded is £1,033.89. The Council Tax Support award is £878.8, this leaves them with £155.08 to pay themselves.

Example 2

Current Situation

Couple living in a Band B property. Their only income Universal Credit and Child Benefit. Their Council Tax bill before Council Tax Support is awarded is £1,531.83. The Council Tax Support award is £1,263.76, this leaves them with £268.07 to pay themselves.

Proposed 2.5% CTS increase with a 2.99% Council Tax increase Their Council Tax bill before Council tax Support is awarded is £1,577.63. The Council Tax Support award is £1,340.99, this leaves them with £236.64 to pay themselves.

Proposed 2.5% CTS increase with 4.99% Council Tax increase Their Council Tax bill before Council Tax Support is awarded is £1,608.27. The Council Tax Support award is £1,367,03, this leaves them with £241.24 to pay themselves.

