

AGENDA ITEM NO.10

COUNCIL TAX RESOLUTION

Following Council's approval of a 0% Council Tax increase for 2019/20, the original Council Tax Resolution report at Agenda Item No. 10 needs to be amended to reflect that decision.

The amended Resolution is attached and changes to the original report are highlighted in yellow.

Council is requested to approve the Council Tax Resolution as amended to reflect a 0% Council Tax increase for Fenland District Council for 2019/20.

COUNCIL TAX RESOLUTION

Council Tax 2019/20

Following consideration of the report to this Council on 21 February 2019 and the setting of the Revenue Budget for 2019/20, the Council is required to pass the resolution below to set the Council Tax requirement.

RESOLVED

- (1) it be noted that the Tax Base for the year 2019/20 has been calculated in accordance with the Local Government Finance Act 1992 and associated regulations as follows:
- (a) 29,380 being the amount calculated by the Council as its Council Tax Base for the year, in accordance with regulation 3 of the Local Authorities (Calculation of Council Tax Base) Regulations 1992 (as amended).
- (b) Part of the Council's area

Parish	Tax Base
Benwick	351
Chatteris	3,326
Christchurch	268
Doddington	814
Elm	1,168
Gorefield	387
Leverington	1,100
Manea	808
March	6,505
Newton	237
Parson Drove	448
Tydd St Giles	389
Whittlesey	5,285
Wimblington	756
Wisbech	6,383
Wisbech St Mary	1,155
TOTAL	29,380

being the amounts calculated by the Council, as the amounts of its Council Tax Base for the year for dwellings in those parts of its area to which one or more special items relate, in accordance with regulation 6 of the Regulations.

- (2) The Council calculates that the Council Tax requirement for the Council's own purposes for 2019/20 (excluding Parish precepts) is **£7,652,310**.

- (3) That the following amounts be now calculated by the Council for the year 2019/20 in accordance with Sections 31 to 36 of the Local Government & Finance Act 1992 (as amended):
- (a) £51,875,082 being the aggregate of the amounts which the Council estimates for the items set out in Section 31A(2) (a) to (f) of the Act **[Gross Expenditure including benefits & Town/Parish Precepts]**
 - (b) £42,859,213 being the aggregate of the amounts which the Council estimates for the items set out in Section 31A(3) (a) to (d) of the Act **[Revenue Income including reimbursement of benefits, specific & general grants & use of reserves]**
 - (c) £9,015,869 being the amount by which the aggregate at 3(a) above exceeds the aggregate at 3(b) above, calculated by the Council in accordance with Section 31A(4) of the Act as its Council Tax requirement for the year **[Net Expenditure, including Parish Precepts]**
 - (d) £306.87 being the amount at 3(c) above divided by the Council Tax Base at 1(b) above, in accordance with Section 31B(1) of the Act, **[basic amount of its Council Tax for the year, including Parish precepts]**
 - (e) £1,363,559 being the aggregate amount of all special items referred to in Section 35(1) of the Act **[Parish Precepts]**
 - (f) £260.46 being the amount at 3(d) above less the result given by dividing the amount at 3(e) above by the amount at (1(a) above), calculated by the Council, in accordance with Section 34(2) of the Act, as the basic amount of its Council Tax for the year for dwellings in those parts of its area to which no special item relates
 - (g) Part of the Council's area

Parish	Band D
Benwick	297.08
Chatteris	305.86
Christchurch	308.03
Doddington	323.78
Elm	295.79
Gorefield	304.39
Leverington	308.64
Manea	319.23
March	303.96
Newton	315.31
Parson Drove	303.71
Tydd St Giles	263.03
Whittlesey	292.82
Wimblington	345.86
Wisbech	318.30
Wisbech St Mary	308.52

being the amounts given by adding to the amount at 3(f) above the amounts of the special items relating to dwellings in those parts of the Council's area mentioned above divided in each case by the amount at 1(b) above, calculated by the Council, in accordance with Section 34 (3) of the Act, as the basic amounts of its Council Tax for the year for dwellings in those parts of its area to which one or more special items relate.

(h) Part of the Council's area

Parish of	Valuation Bands							
	A £	B £	C £	D £	E £	F £	G £	H £
Benwick	198.05	231.06	264.07	297.08	363.10	429.12	495.13	594.16
Chatteris	203.91	237.89	271.88	305.86	373.83	441.80	509.77	611.72
Christchurch	205.35	239.58	273.80	308.03	376.48	444.93	513.38	616.06
Doddington	215.85	251.83	287.80	323.78	395.73	467.68	539.63	647.56
Elm	197.19	230.06	262.92	295.79	361.52	427.25	492.98	591.58
Gorefield	202.93	236.75	270.57	304.39	372.03	439.67	507.32	608.78
Leverington	205.76	240.05	274.35	308.64	377.23	445.81	514.40	617.28
Manea	212.82	248.29	283.76	319.23	390.17	461.11	532.05	638.46
March	202.64	236.41	270.19	303.96	371.51	439.05	506.60	607.92
Newton	210.21	245.24	280.28	315.31	385.38	455.45	525.52	630.62
Parson Drove	202.47	236.22	269.96	303.71	371.20	438.69	506.18	607.42
Tydd St Giles	175.35	204.58	233.80	263.03	321.48	379.93	438.38	526.06
Whittlesey	195.21	227.75	260.28	292.82	357.89	422.96	488.03	585.64
Wimblington	230.57	269.00	307.43	345.86	422.72	499.58	576.43	691.72
Wisbech	212.20	247.57	282.93	318.30	389.03	459.77	530.50	636.60
Wisb. St Mary	205.68	239.96	274.24	308.52	377.08	445.64	514.20	617.04

being the amounts given by multiplying the amounts at 3(g) above by the number which, in the proportion set out in Section 5(1) of the Act, is applicable to dwellings listed in a particular valuation band divided by the number which in that proportion is applicable to dwellings listed in valuation band D, calculated by the Council, in accordance with Section 36(1) of the Act, as the amounts to be taken into account for the year in respect of categories of dwellings listed in different valuation bands
[Council Tax relating to the District Council & Parish expenditure]

- (4) it be noted that for the year 2019/20 the major precepting authorities have stated the following amounts in precepts issued to the Council, in accordance with Section 40 of the Local Government Finance Act, 1992, for each of the categories of dwellings shown below:

	Valuation Bands							
Precepting Authority	A £	B £	C £	D £	E £	F £	G £	H £
Cambridgeshire County Council	874.74	1,020.53	1,166.32	1,312.11	1,603.69	1,895.27	2,186.85	2,624.22
Cambridgeshire & Peterborough Fire Authority	47.16	55.02	62.88	70.74	86.46	102.18	117.90	141.48
Police & Crime Commissioner for Cambridgeshire	148.44	173.18	197.92	222.66	272.14	321.62	371.10	445.32
Total	1,070.34	1,248.73	1,427.12	1,605.51	1,962.29	2,319.07	2,675.85	3,211.02

- (5) having calculated the aggregate in each case of the amounts at 3(h) & 4 above, the Council, in accordance with Section 30(2) of the Local Government Finance Act, 1992, hereby sets the following amounts as the amounts of Council Tax for the year 2019/20 for each of the categories of dwellings shown below:

	Valuation Bands							
Parish of	A £	B £	C £	D £	E £	F £	G £	H £
Benwick	1,268.39	1,479.79	1,691.19	1,902.59	2,325.39	2,748.19	3,170.98	3,805.18
Chatteris	1,274.25	1,486.62	1,699.00	1,911.37	2,336.12	2,760.87	3,185.62	3,822.74
Christchurch	1,275.69	1,488.31	1,700.92	1,913.54	2,338.77	2,764.00	3,189.23	3,827.08
Doddington	1,286.19	1,500.56	1,714.92	1,929.29	2,358.02	2,786.75	3,215.48	3,858.58
Elm	1,267.53	1,478.79	1,690.04	1,901.30	2,323.81	2,746.32	3,168.83	3,802.60
Gorefield	1,273.27	1,485.48	1,697.69	1,909.90	2,334.32	2,758.74	3,183.17	3,819.80
Leverington	1,276.10	1,488.78	1,701.47	1,914.15	2,339.52	2,764.88	3,190.25	3,828.30
Manea	1,283.16	1,497.02	1,710.88	1,924.74	2,352.46	2,780.18	3,207.90	3,849.48
March	1,272.98	1,485.14	1,697.31	1,909.47	2,333.80	2,758.12	3,182.45	3,818.94
Newton	1,280.55	1,493.97	1,707.40	1,920.82	2,347.67	2,774.52	3,201.37	3,841.64
Parson Drove	1,272.81	1,484.95	1,697.08	1,909.22	2,333.49	2,757.76	3,182.03	3,818.44
Tydd St Giles	1,245.69	1,453.31	1,660.92	1,868.54	2,283.77	2,699.00	3,114.23	3,737.08
Whittlesey	1,265.55	1,476.48	1,687.40	1,898.33	2,320.18	2,742.03	3,163.88	3,796.66
Wimblington	1,300.91	1,517.73	1,734.55	1,951.37	2,385.01	2,818.65	3,252.28	3,902.74
Wisbech	1,282.54	1,496.30	1,710.05	1,923.81	2,351.32	2,778.84	3,206.35	3,847.62
Wisb. St Mary	1,276.02	1,488.69	1,701.36	1,914.03	2,339.37	2,764.71	3,190.05	3,828.06

- (6) authorise the publication of the amounts
- (7) authorise the appropriate officer to demand the amounts in accordance with the Council Tax (Administration and Enforcement) Regulations 1992
- (8) This Council hereby determines that its relevant basic amount of Council Tax for 2019/20 is not excessive in accordance with Section 52ZB of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, as amended by section 5 of the Localism Act 2011.