

## COUNCIL

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## COUNCIL TAX 2016 / 2017

## Council Tax 2016/2017

Following Minute No 90 of the Council of 16 February 2016, determining the level of net spending for the General Fund Revenue Budget and Transfer to Working Balances for 2016/17; the Council is recommended to make a Council Tax for 2016/17 by formally approving the following resolution:-

- 1 It be noted that under the power delegated to the Council's Section 151 Officer, the Council calculated the Council Tax Base 2016/17
  - (a) for the whole Council area as 27,148.87 [Item T in the formula in Section 31B of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, as amended (the "Act")]; and
  - (b) for dwellings in those parts of its area to which a Parish precept relates as shown below

<b>Parish</b>	<b>Tax Base</b>
Brereton and Ravenhill	1,794.28
Bridgtown	454.22
Brindley Heath	221.01
Cannock Wood	398.25
Heath Hayes / Wimblebury	3,951.66
Hednesford	4,664.60
Norton Canes	2,027.74
Rugeley	5,117.21
<b>Unparished</b>	
Cannock	8,519.90
	<u><b>27,148.87</b></u>

- 2 That the Council Tax requirement for the Council's own purposes for 2016/17 (excluding Parish precepts) is calculated at £5,561,989.00
- 3 That the following amounts are calculated for the year 2016/17 in accordance with Sections 31 to 36 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992:
  - (a) £47,718,138.75 being the aggregate of the amounts which the Council estimates for the items set out in Section 31A (2) of the Act taking into account all precepts issued to it by Parish Councils.

- (b) £41,557,256.00 being the aggregate of the amounts which the Council estimates for the items set out in Section 31A (3) of the Act.
- (c) £6,160,882.75 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. (Item R in the formula in Section 31B of the Act).
- (d) £226.93 being the amount at 3(c) above (Item R), all divided by Item T (1(a) above), calculated by the Council, in accordance with Section 31B of the Act, as the basic amount of its Council Tax for the year (including Parish precepts).
- (e) £598,893.75 being the aggregate amount of all special items (Parish precepts) referred to in Section 34(1) of the Act.
- (f) £204.87 being the amount at 3(d) above less the result given by dividing the amount at 3(e) above by Item T (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 Parish precept relates.
- (g) For the following parts of the Council's Area

	<b>£.p</b>
Brereton and Ravenhill	233.33
Bridgtown	217.14
Brindley Heath	221.83
Cannock Wood	231.11
Heath Hayes and Wimblebury	220.79
Hednesford	228.94
Norton Canes	236.18
Rugeley	261.42

being the amounts given by adding to the amount at 3(f) above the amounts of the special item or 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) For the following parts of the Council's area

	<b>Disabled Band A</b>	<b>Band A</b>	<b>Band B</b>	<b>Band C</b>	<b>Band D</b>	<b>Band E</b>	<b>Band F</b>	<b>Band G</b>	<b>Band H</b>
	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>
Brereton & Ravenhill	129.63	155.55	181.48	207.40	233.33	285.18	337.03	388.88	466.66
Bridgtown	120.63	144.76	168.89	193.01	217.14	265.39	313.65	361.90	434.28
Brindley Heath	123.24	147.89	172.53	197.18	221.83	271.13	320.42	369.72	443.66
Cannock Wood	128.39	154.07	179.75	205.43	231.11	282.47	333.83	385.18	462.22
Heath Hayes & Wimblebury	122.66	147.19	171.73	196.26	220.79	269.85	318.92	367.98	441.58
Hednesford	127.19	152.63	178.06	203.50	228.94	279.82	330.69	381.57	457.88
Norton Canes	131.21	157.45	183.70	209.94	236.18	288.66	341.15	393.63	472.36
Rugeley	145.23	174.28	203.33	232.37	261.42	319.51	377.61	435.70	522.84
Unparished	113.82	136.58	159.34	182.11	204.87	250.40	295.92	341.45	409.74

Being the amounts given by multiplying the amounts at (3)(f) and (3)(g) above by the number by 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.

- 4 To note that the County Council, the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner and the Fire Authority have issued precepts to the Council in accordance with Section 40 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 for each category of dwellings in the Council's area as indicated in the table below.

#### **Valuation Bands**

	<b>Band A</b>	<b>Band B</b>	<b>Band C</b>	<b>Band D</b>	<b>Band E</b>	<b>Band F</b>	<b>Band G</b>	<b>Band H</b>
	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>
Staffordshire County Council	725.77	846.73	967.69	1,088.65	1,330.57	1,572.49	1,814.42	2,177.30
Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner	118.41	138.14	157.88	177.61	217.08	256.55	296.02	355.22
Stoke-on-Trent and Staffs Fire Authority	46.89	54.70	62.52	70.33	85.96	101.59	117.22	140.66

- 5 That the Council, in accordance with Sections 30 and 36 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, hereby sets the aggregate amounts shown in the table below as the amounts of Council Tax for 2016/17 for each part of its area and for each of the categories of dwellings.

	<b>Disabled Band A</b>	<b>Band A</b>	<b>Band B</b>	<b>Band C</b>	<b>Band D</b>	<b>Band E</b>	<b>Band F</b>	<b>Band G</b>	<b>Band H</b>
	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>	<b>£ p</b>
Brereton & Ravenhill	872.18	1046.62	1221.05	1395.49	1569.92	1918.79	2267.66	2616.54	3139.84
Bridgtown	863.18	1035.83	1208.46	1381.10	1553.73	1899.00	2244.28	2589.56	3107.46
Brindley Heath	865.79	1038.96	1212.10	1385.27	1558.42	1904.74	2251.05	2597.38	3116.84
Cannock Wood	870.94	1045.14	1219.32	1393.52	1567.70	1916.08	2264.46	2612.84	3135.40
Heath Hayes & Wimblebury	865.21	1038.26	1211.30	1384.35	1557.38	1903.46	2249.55	2595.64	3114.76
Hednesford	869.74	1043.70	1217.63	1391.59	1565.53	1913.43	2261.32	2609.23	3131.06
Norton Canes	873.76	1048.52	1223.27	1398.03	1572.77	1922.27	2271.78	2621.29	3145.54
Rugeley	887.78	1065.35	1242.90	1420.46	1598.01	1953.12	2308.24	2663.36	3196.02
Unparished	856.37	1027.65	1198.91	1370.20	1541.46	1884.01	2226.55	2569.11	3082.92

- 6 That it is determined in accordance with Section 52ZB of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 that the Council's basic amount of Council Tax for 2016/17 is not excessive in accordance with the principles determined by the Secretary of State under Section 52ZC of that Act.