

Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner – Notice of Decision

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DECISION OR INFORMATION:	Decision
DATE RECEIVED:*	08/02/2024
REF:* (to be inserted by the OPCC)	2024.014

TITLE:	Police Precept 2024-25
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The purpose of this decision is to formally approve the increase to the precept in 2024-25.

The Police and Crime Panel met on the 5 February 2024 to consider the proposed precept for 2024-25. A detailed summary of the Commissioner's proposed Precept and Council Tax Requirement for 2024-25 is set out in the Panel report pack attached, see agenda item 6.



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Police and Crime Panel

The precept increase proposed of £12.96 for a band D property was supported by the Panel. A majority of members who were present at the meeting voted in favour of the proposed increase (13 members voting in support with 1 voting against).

INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (e.g., report or business case)

The government published its approach relating to Council Tax referendum principles for 2024-25 as part of its Spending Review in October 2021. In all three years 2022-23 to 2024-25 PCCs were to be allowed to increase band D bills by as much as £10. In the Provisional Grant Report in December 2023 this was increased from £10 to £13 for 2024-25.

Council Tax Proposal

The Commissioner's proposed Council Tax increase for 2024-25 is £12.96 for a Band D property. This is £282.15 for a Band D property. With this increase, Council Tax provides £4.3m more funding than in 2023-24 (excluding any increase in the tax base).

The Police and Crime Commissioner's council tax is shown in the table below.

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This illustrates the impact of a £12.96, 4.8% increase. The additional cost to some 60% of Nottinghamshire council tax-payers will be 19 pence per week or less.

Council Tax Band	2023/24 Council Tax	£12.96 Annual Increase to Band D	Proposed 2024/25 Council tax	% increase	Pence per week increase
A	£179.46	£8.64	£188.10	4.8%	£0.17
B	£209.37	£10.08	£219.45	4.8%	£0.19
C	£239.28	£11.52	£250.80	4.8%	£0.22
D	£269.19	£12.96	£282.15	4.8%	£0.25
E	£329.01	£15.84	£344.85	4.8%	£0.30
F	£388.83	£18.72	£407.55	4.8%	£0.36
G	£448.65	£21.60	£470.25	4.8%	£0.42
H	£538.38	£25.92	£564.30	4.8%	£0.50

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The precept is one of the final components in finalising the Budget for 2024-25. By approving the precept the budget can be finalised and will be subject to a separate decision record by the end of February 2024.

Signature:
Chief Finance Officer

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Date:

08.02.24

Is any of the supporting information classified as non-public or confidential information?*

Yes

No

If yes, please state under which category from the guidance**

DECISION:

To approve the increase to the precept in 2024-25 by £12.96 per Band D property to £282.15.

OFFICER APPROVAL:

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that the appropriate advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

** See guidance on non-public information

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Signature: Chief Executive	REDACTED
Date:	08.02.24

DECLARATION:	
<p>I confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interests in this decision, and I take the decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner. Any interests are indicated below:</p> <p>For information I am a resident of Nottinghamshire and pay Council Tax. The above request has my approval</p>	
Signature: Nottinghamshire Police & Crime Commissioner	REDACTED
Date:	22/02/2024