

Record of Officer Decision

Final Council Tax Support Scheme 2025/2026

Decision Taker and Date Decision Taken:

Director of Finance on 12 December 2024

Summary of Matter or Issue Requiring Decision:

At the Council meeting held on 5 December 2024 the Council approved the changes to the Council Tax Support Scheme for 2025/2026 and gave delegated authority to the Director of Finance to increase all income bands by the September 2024 Consumer Price Index rate of 1.7% (Minute 69/12/24 refers). Background papers and minutes can be viewed at:

[Agenda for Council on Thursday, 5 December 2024, 5.30 pm](#)

The Director of Finance has now made the changes to the Scheme as attached at Appendix 1 to this Record of Decision.

Decision Taken:

That the Council Tax Support Scheme 2025/2026 attached at Appendix 1 to this Record of Decision be approved.

Summary of Reason(s) for Decision Taken:

To implement the decision of the Council from 5 December 2024 to update all income bands by the September 2024 Consumer Price Index rate of 1.7% for the Council Tax Support Scheme.

Summary of Alternatives or Options considered and rejected and Background Papers:

None

Details of any conflict of interest and dispensation granted to the Officer taking the decision or by any Member of the Council in delegating responsibility for any specific express delegation:

None

Implementation:

This decision will come into force and may be implemented immediately.

A copy of this decision and any supporting documentation considered by the Officer taking this decision may also be available for inspection by the public at the Council's officers or posted upon payment of any copying and postage charges. Any member of the public wishing to take up either of these options is asked to please ring (01803) 207087 or email governance.support@torbay.gov.uk

Signed: _____ Date: 12 December 2024
Director of Finance

