

Appendix 4

Proposed 2018/19 scheme changes for other Devon Authorities

All are based on their current 2017/18 local schemes with the uprate of Personal Allowances, Premiums and Non Dependant deductions in line with national welfare benefits .

East Devon District Council

That the policy be updated to include “The authority may use information provided by the DWP and HMRC for the purposes of Council Tax Reduction, council tax liability, billing, administration and enforcement”

Currently in consultation regarding:

Fixed period averages for Universal Credit claims.

Disregarding Bereavement Support payments

Disregarding charitable emergency payments

Exeter City Council

There are no other changes.

Mid Devon District Council

There are no other changes.

North Devon District Council

That the policy be updated to include “The authority may use information provided by the DWP and HMRC for the purposes of Council Tax Reduction, council tax liability, billing, administration and enforcement”

South Hams District Council & West Devon District Council

That the policy be updated to include “The authority may use information provided by the DWP and HMRC for the purposes of Council Tax Reduction, council tax liability, billing, administration and enforcement”

Teignbridge District Council

That the policy be updated to include “The authority may use information provided by the DWP and HMRC for the purposes of Council Tax Reduction, council tax liability, billing, administration and enforcement”

Torrige District Council

That the policy be updated to include “The authority may use information provided by the DWP and HMRC for the purposes of Council Tax Reduction, council tax liability, billing, administration and enforcement”

Plymouth City Council

That the policy be updated to include “The authority may use information provided by the DWP and HMRC for the purposes of Council Tax Reduction, council tax liability, billing, administration and enforcement”