

SCHEME OF MEMBERS' ALLOWANCES

STATEMENT CONCERNING IMPLEMENTATION 24 May 2012 to 21 May 2013

The Council decided at its meeting on 11 June 2011 to implement the amount of Basic, Special Responsibility and Co-optees Allowances provided in the scheme as set out below:

Basic Allowance: £3,150 per annum per Councillor plus a supplementary basic allowance of £500 (for first year in office) and £250 (in subsequent years) for Member Connectivity (see Appendix 1).

The amounts set out below show the amounts of Special Responsibility Allowance (SRA) payable during the year:

DUTY	ANNUAL AMOUNT OF SRA
Leader	£7,875
Cabinet members (9)	£6,300 each
Chairman of District Development Control Committee	£2,362
Chairmen of Area Plans Sub-Committees (3)	£2,362 each
Chairman of Overview and Scrutiny Committee	£3,150
Chairmen of Housing Appeals and Review, Complaints and Staff Appeals Panels	£ 110 each (per meeting held)
Chairmen of Licensing Sub Committee (6)	£2,362 divided between the 6 Chairmen
Chairman of Audit and Governance Committee	£2,150
Chairmen of Standing Scrutiny Panels	£2,150 each
The amounts payable during the year for independent members are:	
Chairman of the Standards Committee (until 30 June 2012)	£1,000
Co-opted members other than the Chairman of the Standards Committee	£ 500

In addition the Council has resolved to pay the sum of £500 per annum to the three Independent Members of the Remuneration and Parish Remuneration Panels equivalent to the co-optees allowance.

A copy of the full scheme is available on request from Democratic Services, Civic Offices, Epping.