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Policy & Finance Committee

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Revenues and Benefits Assessment Service**

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Ein Cyf / Our Ref: **SP/CLW**

Eich Cyf / Your Ref:

Dyddiad / Date: **07/12/2021**

Annwyl/Dear Mrs Evans

**PRAESEPTAU CYNGHORAU TREF /
CYMUNED 2022/2023**

**TOWN / COMMUNITY COUNCIL
PRECEPTS 2022/2023**

Rwy'n ysgrifennu atoch ynglŷn â'r ddau fater isod:

I am writing to you in relation to the two following issues:

GOFYNIAD PRAESEPT 2022/2023

1 PRECEPT REQUIREMENT 2022/2023

Bydd unrhyw braesept yr ydych yn ei gyflwyno yn cael ei godi ar Drethdalwyr y Cyngor yn eich ardal chi yn unig, a bydd yn cael ei gyfrifo drwy gyfeirio at sylfaen Treth y Cyngor a fynegir yn nhermau anheddau sy'n cyfateb i Fand D. Mae hyn wedi ei gyfrifo ar sail cyfanswm yr eiddo sydd ym mhob band yn y Rhestr Brisiant, gan ystyried nifer amcangyfrifedig y disgowntiau, yr eithriadau, y gostyngiadau i bobl ag anableddau a'r colledion wrth gasglu'r Dreth. Er enghraifft, petai eich gwariant net yn £2,000 a'ch sylfaen treth yn 1,000 yna byddai Treth y Cyngor i'ch dibenion chi o £2.00 y flwyddyn yn ychwanegol ar eiddo Band D eich ardal chi. Byddai hyn yn gostwng i £1.33 ar eiddo Band A ac yn cynyddu ar raddfa lithro i £4.67 ar gyfer eiddo ym Mand I.

Any precept you issue will only be levied against the Council Taxpayers in your area, the effect of which will be calculated by reference to Council Tax base expressed in terms of Band D equivalent dwellings. This has been calculated on the basis of the total number of properties in each band in the Valuation List taking into account the estimated numbers of discounts, exemptions, reductions for disabilities and losses on collection. For example, if your net expenditure was £2,000 and your tax base was 1,000 then there would be a Council Tax for your own purposes of £2.00 per annum on Band D properties in your area. This would be reduced to £1.33 on Band A properties increasing on a sliding scale to £4.67 for Band I properties.

Mae'r Cyngor wedi cadarnhau mai 4,951.92 yw sylfaen Treth y Cyngor ar gyfer eich ardal chi.

The Council have confirmed that the Council Tax base for your area is 4,951.02.

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Etholiadau Cyngorau Tref a Chymuned 2022

Fel y gwyddoch bydd yr etholiadau nesaf yn cael eu cynnal ar 5 Mai 2022 (ar yr un diwrnod ag etholiadau'r Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol).

Mae'n bwysig bod eich Cyngor yn ymwybodol o, ac yn ystyried yr etholiadau wrth osod y praesept. Bydd angen i'r Cyngor sicrhau bod digon o arian i dalu cost i lawn yr etholiadau (os digwydd bod etholiadau'r Cyngor Cymuned yn cael eu cynnal ar eu pen eu hunain oherwydd bod Rhanbarth Etholiadol perthnasol y Fwrdeistref Sirol heb ei hymhladd), pa un a yw'r etholiad yn un a ymleddir ai peidio.

I roi rhywfaint o arweiniad i chi ar osod y praesept mae **costau amcangyfrifedig** yr etholiadau wedi'u nodi isod. Nid yw'r rhain yn ffigyrau terfynol am nad yw costau papurau pleidleisio, hurio gorsafoedd pleidleisio, ffioedd cyfrif a phapurach yn hysbys ar hyn o bryd. Fodd bynnag maent yn seiliedig ar is-etholiadau lleol diweddar. Os bydd y sedd berthnasol ar y Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol yn un a ymleddir, bydd rhai costau'n cael eu rhannu rhwng y Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol a'ch Cyngor chi felly bydd y gost i'ch Cyngor chi yn llai.

Cost amcangyfrifedig fesul Cymuned neu Ward Cymunedol:

Etholiadau a Ymleddir

Hyd at 1,000 o etholwyr £2500
Hyd at 2,000 o etholwyr £4000
Hyd at 3,000 o etholwyr £4500
Hyd at 4,000 o etholwyr £5000
Dros 4,000 o etholwyr £5500

Cofiwch nad rhain yw'r ffigyrau pendant. Mae'n bosibl y gallai'r costau hyn gynyddu o ganlyniad i'r pandemig Covid, yn arbennig os bydd cynnydd yn nifer y pleidleisiau post neu ffioedd hurio gorsafoedd pleidleisio.

Gallai'r gost derfynol fod y uwch neu'n is yn dibynnu ar y trefniadau mewn ardal benodol.

Town and Community Council Elections 2022

As you are aware the next scheduled elections are due to be held on 5 May 2022 (on the same day as the County Borough Council elections).

It is important that your Council is aware of and considers these elections when setting its precept. The Council will need to ensure that there are sufficient funds to cover the full cost of the elections (in the event that the Community Council elections are held on their own should the relevant County Borough Council Electoral Division be uncontested), whether the election is contested or not.

To give you some guidance on setting the precept the **estimated costs** of the elections are set out below. These are not definitive, as the following costs are unknown at this stage - ballot papers, hire charges for the polling station, count fees and stationery. They are however based on recent by-elections. Should the relevant seat on the County Borough Council be contested, some costs will be shared between the County Borough Council and your Council, thus the cost to your Council will be less.

Estimated cost per Community or Community Ward.

Contested Elections

Up to 1,000 electors £ £2500
Up to 2,000 electors £ £4000
Up to 3,000 electors £ £4500
Up to 4,000 electors £ £5000
Over 4,000 electors £ £5500

Please bear in mind that these are not actual figures. It is possible that these costs may increase as a result of the Covid pandemic, particularly if there is an increase in the number of postal voters or polling station hire fees.

The final cost may be lower or higher depending on the arrangements in a particular area.

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Clerk Abergele Town Council

From: Haf Lewis <haf.lewis@conwy.nwalescls.com>
Sent: 08 December 2021 09:25
To: 'ATC Clerk'; 'info@colwyn-tc.gov.uk'; 'towncouncil@llandudno.gov.uk'; 'ecrhoslan@yahoo.com'; 'glanconwycommunityclerk@gmail.com'; 'clercllanrwst@outlook.com'
Subject: Disabled Parking Places Order
Attachments: Notice1.doc

Annwyl Clerc

Amgaeaf gopi o'r Rhybudd mewn perthynas â'r cynnig uchod, sydd i ymddangos yn y wasg ac ar wefan y Cyngor ar 8 Rhagfyr 2021.

Rheswm y Cyngor dros wneud y Gorchymyn arfaethedig yw hwyluso parcio ar gyfer preswylwyr ag anabledd a deiliaid bathodyn anabledd.

Byddwn yn ddiolchgar i wybod os oes gennych unrhyw sylwadau i'r cynnig hwn neu os y dymunwch wrthwynebu'n ffurfiol i'r Gorchymyn arfaethedig. Os na chlywaf gennych erbyn 5 Ionawr 2022, cymeraf na fydd gennych unrhyw sylwadau na gwrthwynebiadau i'r Gorchymyn.

Dear Clerk

I enclose a copy of a Notice in respect of the above proposal, which is to appear in the Press and the Council website on 8 December 2021.

The Council's reason for making the proposed Order is to facilitate ease of parking for disabled residents and disabled badge holders

I should be obliged to know whether you have any observations concerning this proposal or if you wish to formally object to the proposed Order. If I do not hear from you by 5 January 2022, I will assume that you have no observation or objections to make.

Diolch

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Gwasanaethau Cyfreithiol / Legal Services
Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol CONWY County Borough Council
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[Sefyllfa Bresennol Gwasanaethau'r Cyngor](#) | [Council Services Current Situation](#)

Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn y Gymraeg a'r Saesneg fel ei gilydd. Ni fydd gohebiaeth yn yr un iaith na'r llall yn arwain at unrhyw oedi. We welcome correspondence in both Welsh and English. We will respond to correspondence

The County Borough of Conwy (Disabled Person's Parking Places)
(No.1) Order 2021

The Conwy County Borough Council proposes to make an Order under Sections 1, 2 and 4 and Part IV of Schedule 9, of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be

1. To designate the lengths of road specified in Schedule 1 as a Disabled Person's Parking Place for the exclusive use of vehicles displaying a valid Disabled Person's Badge and a Residents Permit.
2. To designate the lengths of road specified in Schedule 2 as a Disabled Person's Parking Place for the exclusive use of vehicles displaying a valid Disabled Person's Badge.
3. To revoke the restrictions specified in Schedules 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7.

Exceptions will be provided in the proposed Order to permit waiting for the purposes of works of maintenance, repair and the like. A copy of the Order together with a map showing the lengths of road to which the Order relates and a statement of the Council's reasons for proposing to make the Order may be examined on the Council website. Requests for paper copy documents can be made by contacting 01492 575337.

Objections to the proposed Order, together with the grounds on which they are made should be sent in writing to the Traffic Section, Environment Roads and Facilities, PO Box 1 Conwy LL30 9GN or to traffic@conwy.gov.uk by 5 January 2022.

Schedule 1

(Disabled resident permit holders only)

15 Park Way, Rhos on Sea	East side: from a point 15 metres south of its end point for a distance of 2.4 metres in a southerly direction.
28 Ddol Ddu, Old Colwyn	East side: from a point 3 metres west of the end point of the cul-de-sac for a distance of 3 metres in an easterly direction.
1 Cadwgan Road, Old Colwyn	North side: from a point 31 metres east of its junction with Princes Road for a distance of 6.6 metres in an easterly direction.
25 Gloddaeth Street, Llandudno	South east side: from a point 28 metres west of its junction with Clifton Road for a distance of 6.6 metres in a westerly direction.
6 Llwyn Morfa, Abergele	West side; from a point 70 metres north of its junction with Rhuddlan Road for a distance of 6.6 metres in a southerly direction
2 Cadwgan Avenue, Old Colwyn	West side; from a point 26 metres south of its junction with Abergele Road for a distance of 6.6 metres in a northerly direction
26 Erskine Road, Colwyn Bay	East side: from a point 22 metres south-west of its junction with Belgrave Road for a distance of 6.6 metres in a south westerly direction.
41 Grange Road,	North east side: from a point 88 metres north-west of its junction

Info Abergele Town Council

From: Nesta Jones <nesta@urdd.org>
Sent: 24 November 2021 16:55
To: Nesta Jones
Subject: Llythyr i Cyngor Cymunedau a Threfi - Letter to Town and Community Councils
Attachments: Urdd Saesneg 31-3-20 FINAL - PUBLIC - Signed.pdf; Letter - to Town and Councils of Wales- Saes.docx; LI - i Cyngorau eraill - Cym - 24.11.21.docx; Urdd Cymraeg 31-3-20 TERFYNOL - PUBLIC - Signed.pdf

Annwyl Glerc

Amgaeaf lythyr i chwi yn yr atodiad oddi wrth Eisteddfod yr Urdd fydd yn ymweld a Dinbych yn ystod mis Mai 2022 pryd y byddwn gobeithio yn cynnal Eisteddfod mewn cae unwaith eto, a llythyr yw hwn yn gofyn tybed a fyddech yn fodlon cyfrannu yn ariannol os gwelwch yn dda.

Amgaeaf hefyd gopi o gyfrifon terfynol 2019 – 2020 yr Urdd atoch.

Mawr obeithiaf y byddwch fel cyngor yn ein cefnogi unwaith eto.

Llawer iawn o ddiolch i chwi am eich cefnogaeth a'ch diddordeb yng ngwaith yr Urdd

Dear Clerk

I attach a letter to you in the attachment from the Urdd National Eisteddfod which will be visiting Denbigh during May 2022 when we hope to hold an Eisteddfod again.

I also enclose a copy of the final accounts for 2019 - 2020.

I sincerely hope that you as a council will support us again.

Many thanks for your support and interest in the work of the Urdd.

Nesta Jones
Urdd Gobaith Cymru

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Ar y we: www.urdd.cymru/eisteddfod
Meddylwch am yr amgylchedd - oes angen argraffu'r e-bost yma?





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1922 - 2022

November 2021

To: Town and Community Councils of Wales

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Dear Clerk and Members

Denbighshire National Urdd Gobaith Cymru National Eisteddfod 2022

As you may be aware, the Urdd Eisteddfod will be visiting Denbighshire in May 2022. Unfortunately, the Urdd has had to delay the Eisteddfod the last two years due to the restrictions of COVID-19.

The Urdd Eisteddfod is dependent on the generous donations of Town and Community Councils in the local area who could contribute to the County's children and young people's arts provision.

The Denbighshire Urdd Eisteddfod will attract 90,000 visitors and 55,000 competitors. To run a successful Festival, we rely on the support of individuals, organizations and organizations locally and throughout Wales. Without the local support practically and financially, we will not be able to run the festival. The Eisteddfod in Denbighshire in 2022 will cost over £ 1.8million.

Despite the cost of hosting the Eisteddfod, the cultural, artistic, and economic benefits to the area that invites the festival are great, it also provides a significant boost to the Welsh language in the area. Research by Arad Research 2018 shows that hosting the Urdd Eisteddfod brings a boost.

Many of you will have contributed during the last financial year but the situation has now changed with the intention of holding an Eisteddfod on an open field in Denbigh with lots of new and innovative ideas. As a result of all the developments, we would appreciate if you could considering making a financial contribution before the end of this financial year towards the National Eisteddfod Centenary in Denbighshire 2022.

I would like to thank you in advance for considering this and that you will be supportive to the Eisteddfod.

If you would like further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Siân Eirian

Director of the Eisteddfod and Arts

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Llywodraeth Cymru
Welsh Government

Clerks of Community and Town Councils,
Directors of Finance,
County and County Borough Councils

24 November 2021

Dear Clerk,

**Appropriate Sum under Section 137(4)(a) of the Local Government Act 1972 -
Section 137 Expenditure Limit for 2022-23**

This is to notify you that the appropriate sum for the purposes of section 137(4)(a) of the Local Government Act 1972 (the 1972 Act) for Community and Town Councils in Wales for the financial year 2022-23 is £8.82.

Section 137(1) of the 1972 Act permits each Community or Town Council to incur expenditure for purposes for which it has no other specific powers if the Council considers that the expenditure is in the interests of, and will bring direct benefit to, the area or any part of it, or all or some of its inhabitants, providing that the benefit is commensurate with the expenditure incurred. Community and Town Councils are also permitted under section 137(3) to incur expenditure for certain charitable and other purposes. The maximum expenditure that can be incurred under both section 137(1) and (3) for the financial year 2022-23 will be £8.82 per elector.

For the financial year 2022-23, the appropriate sum for the purposes of section 137(4)(a) is calculated by applying the formula set out in Schedule 12B to the 1972 Act.

The Retail Prices Index increased by 4.8% between September 2020 and September 2021. This means that, by application of the formula, the appropriate sum for the financial year 2022-23 increases from £8.41 to £8.82 per elector.

For clarity, the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021 includes provision which enables 'eligible community councils' to exercise the General Power of Competence. The power for Community and Town Councils to exercise the General Power of Competence will come into force on 5 May 2022. Statutory guidance will be issued to provide clarity on the two powers (the general power of competence and the power under s.137 of the 1972 Act) and how they will apply. Community and town councils exercising the General Power of Competence would not be subject to an expenditure limit. For all other Community and Town Councils the limit set out in this letter will apply.