

South Somerset District Council

Decisions taken by the South Somerset District Council on Thursday 16 January 2020

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Part A – Items considered in public

A8	Council Tax Support Scheme 2020/21	<p>RESOLVED: That Council confirmed:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. that personal allowances and premiums are uprated in line with those for Housing Benefit;b. that non-dependent deductions are uprated in line with the annual percentage increase in Council Tax;c. that the non-dependent income bands are increased by the same percentage as those applied to the national Council Tax Support scheme for pensioners;d. that the hardship scheme budget be set at £30,000 for the 2020/21 financial year;e. and agreed to note the recommendations of the Scrutiny Task and Finish Group attached at Appendix 1;f. and agreed to note the scheme had been amended to reflect changes to the Prescribed Requirements;g. that the 2020/21 Council Tax Support Scheme attached at Appendix 2 (to follow) is adopted;h. and agreed to note that the proposed Council Tax Support Scheme had been reflected within the overall Council Tax Base;
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		<p align="right">i. that officers investigate a move to an income banded Council Tax Support scheme for the 2021/22 financial year.</p> <p>Reason: To confirm the Council Tax Support Scheme for the 2020/21 financial year.</p> <p align="right"><i>(Voting: unanimous in favour)</i></p>