

Council Tax in Somerset

| Year    | England Including parish precepts |          | Somerset CC |      | Mendip DC |       |     |      | Sedgemoor DC |      |     |      | South Somerset DC |      |     |      | Somerset West & Taunton DC |     |     |       | Taunton Deane BC |      |     |      | West Somerset DC |      |     |     |
|---------|-----------------------------------|----------|-------------|------|-----------|-------|-----|------|--------------|------|-----|------|-------------------|------|-----|------|----------------------------|-----|-----|-------|------------------|------|-----|------|------------------|------|-----|-----|
|         | £                                 | % change | £           | %    | £         | %     | £   | %    | £            | %    | £   | %    | £                 | %    | £   | %    | £                          | %   | £   | %     | £                | %    | £   | %    | £                | %    | £   | %   |
| 1993-94 | 568                               | [z]      | 464         | [z]  | 78        | [z]   | [z] | [z]  | 80           | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | 96                | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | [z]                        | [z] | 33  | [z]   | [z]              | [z]  | 51  | [z]  | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z] |
| 1994-95 | 580                               | 2.1      | 488         | 5.3  | 100       | 29.0  | [z] | [z]  | 90           | 12.7 | [z] | [z]  | 100               | 4.7  | [z] | [z]  | [z]                        | [z] | 29  | -10.4 | [z]              | [z]  | 97  | 91.1 | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z] |
| 1995-96 | 609                               | 5.0      | 462         | -5.3 | 87        | -13.5 | [z] | [z]  | 90           | 0.0  | [z] | [z]  | 113               | 12.4 | [z] | [z]  | [z]                        | [z] | 30  | 3.9   | [z]              | [z]  | 99  | 2.3  | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z] |
| 1996-97 | 646                               | 6.1      | 486         | 5.1  | 108       | 24.4  | 85  | [z]  | 94           | 4.0  | 80  | [z]  | 109               | -3.2 | 84  | [z]  | [z]                        | [z] | 71  | 132.1 | 66               | [z]  | 105 | 5.6  | 81               | [z]  | [z] | [z] |
| 1997-98 | 688                               | 6.5      | 506         | 4    | 108       | 0.3   | 84  | -1.3 | 99           | 6.0  | 86  | 6.4  | 112               | 2.8  | 86  | 2.3  | [z]                        | [z] | 75  | 6.7   | 70               | 6.0  | 103 | -1.5 | 77               | -5.6 | [z] | [z] |
| 1998-99 | 747                               | 8.6      | 554         | 9.4  | 118       | 8.8   | 92  | 9.2  | 101          | 1.8  | 87  | 1.2  | 121               | 8.5  | 94  | 9.4  | [z]                        | [z] | 93  | 24.1  | 88               | 25.2 | 119 | 15.4 | 89               | 15.6 | [z] | [z] |
| 1999-00 | 798                               | 6.8      | 594         | 7.3  | 124       | 5.3   | 96  | 4.5  | 106          | 4.5  | 90  | 4.2  | 126               | 4.0  | 98  | 4.5  | [z]                        | [z] | 97  | 4.1   | 91               | 3.5  | 121 | 2.2  | 93               | 4.5  | [z] | [z] |
| 2000-01 | 847                               | 6.1      | 636         | 6.9  | 129       | 4.2   | 100 | 4.5  | 110          | 4.0  | 94  | 4.1  | 133               | 5.7  | 102 | 4.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 99  | 1.5   | 92               | 1.5  | 129 | 6.0  | 97               | 4.7  | [z] | [z] |
| 2001-02 | 901                               | 6.4      | 679         | 6.9  | 135       | 4.5   | 103 | 3.5  | 113          | 2.8  | 96  | 2.5  | 139               | 4.2  | 105 | 3.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 105 | 6.1   | 98               | 5.9  | 134 | 4.2  | 100              | 2.9  | [z] | [z] |
| 2002-03 | 976                               | 8.2      | 767         | 12.9 | 147       | 9.1   | 114 | 10.0 | 118          | 4.9  | 101 | 4.6  | 144               | 3.8  | 108 | 3.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 115 | 9.5   | 108              | 10.0 | 138 | 3.1  | 102              | 2.3  | [z] | [z] |
| 2003-04 | 1,102                             | 12.9     | 858         | 11.9 | 155       | 5.5   | 118 | 3.4  | 123          | 3.8  | 104 | 3.8  | 157               | 8.6  | 118 | 9.2  | [z]                        | [z] | 118 | 2.5   | 110              | 2.4  | 143 | 3.3  | 105              | 3.0  | [z] | [z] |
| 2004-05 | 1,167                             | 5.9      | 907         | 5.7  | 160       | 2.9   | 122 | 3.9  | 127          | 3.4  | 106 | 1.5  | 168               | 7.1  | 124 | 5.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 125 | 6.5   | 117              | 6.5  | 145 | 1.3  | 108              | 2.8  | [z] | [z] |
| 2005-06 | 1,214                             | 4.1      | 939         | 3.5  | 165       | 3.0   | 126 | 3.0  | 141          | 11.2 | 119 | 11.8 | 174               | 3.4  | 128 | 3.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 131 | 4.4   | 123              | 4.5  | 150 | 3.7  | 111              | 3.0  | [z] | [z] |
| 2006-07 | 1,268                             | 4.5      | 986         | 5.0  | 170       | 3.3   | 129 | 2.9  | 143          | 1.2  | 115 | -3.3 | 181               | 4.2  | 132 | 3.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 135 | 3.1   | 126              | 3.0  | 154 | 2.7  | 114              | 2.4  | [z] | [z] |
| 2007-08 | 1,321                             | 4.2      | 963         | -2.3 | 183       | 7.9   | 137 | 5.8  | 148          | 3.6  | 119 | 4.2  | 187               | 3.5  | 136 | 3.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 138 | 2.3   | 129              | 2.0  | 160 | 3.9  | 117              | 2.8  | [z] | [z] |
| 2008-09 | 1,373                             | 3.9      | 1,000       | 3.8  | 189       | 2.8   | 142 | 3.4  | 160          | 7.8  | 121 | 1.6  | 197               | 5.1  | 142 | 4.9  | [z]                        | [z] | 142 | 3.0   | 133              | 3.0  | 169 | 5.6  | 123              | 5.0  | [z] | [z] |
| 2009-10 | 1,414                             | 3.0      | 1,027       | 2.7  | 194       | 2.7   | 146 | 3.0  | 165          | 3.6  | 127 | 4.8  | 205               | 4.3  | 148 | 3.7  | [z]                        | [z] | 143 | 0.5   | 133              | 0.0  | 176 | 4.4  | 129              | 4.9  | [z] | [z] |
| 2010-11 | 1,439                             | 1.8      | 1,027       | 0.0  | 197       | 1.5   | 149 | 1.8  | 173          | 4.4  | 131 | 3.0  | 211               | 2.8  | 151 | 2.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 147 | 2.9   | 136              | 2.8  | 181 | 2.8  | 133              | 3.0  | [z] | [z] |
| 2011-12 | 1,439                             | 0.0      | 1,027       | 0.0  | 199       | 0.9   | 148 | -0.2 | 178          | 3.2  | 131 | -0.3 | 214               | 1.4  | 151 | 0.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 148 | 0.6   | 136              | 0.0  | 186 | 2.3  | 133              | 0.0  | [z] | [z] |
| 2012-13 | 1,444                             | 0.3      | 1,027       | 0.0  | 204       | 2.8   | 148 | -0.0 | 179          | 0.5  | 131 | 0.0  | 217               | 1.2  | 151 | 0.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 148 | 0.3   | 136              | -0.0 | 190 | 2.3  | 133              | 0.0  | [z] | [z] |
| 2013-14 | 1,456                             | 0.8      | 1,027       | 0.0  | 215       | 5.2   | 148 | -0.2 | 185          | 3.2  | 135 | 3.4  | 220               | 1.5  | 151 | 0.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 149 | 0.7   | 136              | -0.0 | 198 | 4.2  | 138              | 3.7  | [z] | [z] |
| 2014-15 | 1,468                             | 0.8      | 1,027       | 0.0  | 215       | 0.3   | 148 | -0.1 | 188          | 1.9  | 138 | 2.0  | 223               | 1.2  | 151 | 0.0  | [z]                        | [z] | 152 | 2.2   | 139              | 2.0  | 199 | 0.7  | 138              | 0.0  | [z] | [z] |
| 2015-16 | 1,484                             | 1.1      | 1,027       | 0.0  | 216       | 0.1   | 147 | -0.3 | 192          | 1.8  | 141 | 2.0  | 221               | -0.7 | 148 | -2.0 | [z]                        | [z] | 153 | 0.3   | 139              | 0.0  | 205 | 3.2  | 141              | 2.0  | [z] | [z] |
| 2016-17 | 1,530                             | 3.1      | 1,082       | 5.3  | 227       | 5.3   | 152 | 2.9  | 198          | 3.3  | 146 | 3.6  | 230               | 4.1  | 152 | 3.2  | [z]                        | [z] | 162 | 6.1   | 146              | 4.8  | 214 | 4.4  | 147              | 4.8  | [z] | [z] |
| 2017-18 | 1,591                             | 4.0      | 1,125       | 4.0  | 236       | 3.9   | 154 | 1.9  | 207          | 4.4  | 152 | 4.7  | 242               | 5.3  | 157 | 3.3  | [z]                        | [z] | 168 | 3.9   | 151              | 3.4  | 221 | 3.1  | 152              | 3.4  | [z] | [z] |
| 2018-19 | 1,671                             | 5.1      | 1,192       | 6.0  | 247       | 4.7   | 159 | 3.2  | 214          | 3.5  | 157 | 3.3  | 250               | 3.1  | 162 | 3.2  | [z]                        | [z] | 174 | 3.6   | 156              | 3.3  | 229 | 3.6  | 157              | 3.3  | [z] | [z] |
| 2019-20 | 1,750                             | 4.7      | 1,240       | 4.0  | 256       | 3.5   | 163 | 2.5  | 221          | 3.4  | 162 | 3.2  | 258               | 3.4  | 167 | 2.8  | 197                        | [z] | 160 | [z]   | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z] |
| 2020-21 | 1,818                             | 3.9      | 1,289       | 4.0  | 277       | 8.3   | 168 | 3.1  | 231          | 4.3  | 167 | 3.1  | 269               | 4.3  | 172 | 3.0  | 208                        | 5.8 | 165 | 2.9   | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z] |
| 2021-22 | 1,898                             | 4.4      | 1,354       | 5.0  | 289       | 4.6   | 173 | 3.0  | 243          | 5.4  | 172 | 3.0  | 277               | 3.0  | 177 | 2.9  | 215                        | 3.1 | 170 | 3.0   | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z] |
| 2022-23 | 1,966                             | 3.5      | 1,394       | 3.0  | 308       | 6.5   | 178 | 2.9  | 251          | 3.2  | 177 | 2.9  | 290               | 4.5  | 182 | 2.8  | 222                        | 3.5 | 175 | 2.9   | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z] |
| 2023-24 | 2,065                             | 5.1      | [z]         | [z]  | [z]       | [z]   | [z] | [z]  | [z]          | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | [z]               | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | [z]                        | [z] | [z] | [z]   | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z]  | [z]              | [z]  | [z] | [z] |

Background on controls

1993/94 to 1997/98 - Council Tax Capping

1997/98 - Somerset CC Capped

1998/99 to 2004/05 - Reserve powers to limit council tax increases

2005/06 - 8 Council capped (Sedgemoor made an error with Special expense)

2012/13 Council tax - local referendum introduced

Council Tax freeze grant 2011/12 to 2015/16