

COUNCIL TAX SUPPORT SCHEME 2025/26

4.0 Overview and Scrutiny Comments

- 4.2 The Panel discussed the Council Tax Support Scheme 2025/26 Report at its meeting on 7th November 2024.
- 4.3 Councillors Kerr and Hassall expressed support for the Scheme and following a question from Councillor Kerr relating to the costs associated with recovering unpaid Council Tax where it was hoped that this would be reduced due to residents no longer being liable for the bill under the new scheme, the Panel heard that the financial impact of the scheme was being tracked against the prediction. The Panel were advised that a more detailed update could be brought once the scheme had been in place for 12 months.
- 4.4 Following the discussion, the Panel were informed that their comments would be added to the Cabinet report in order for an informed decision to be made on the report recommendations.