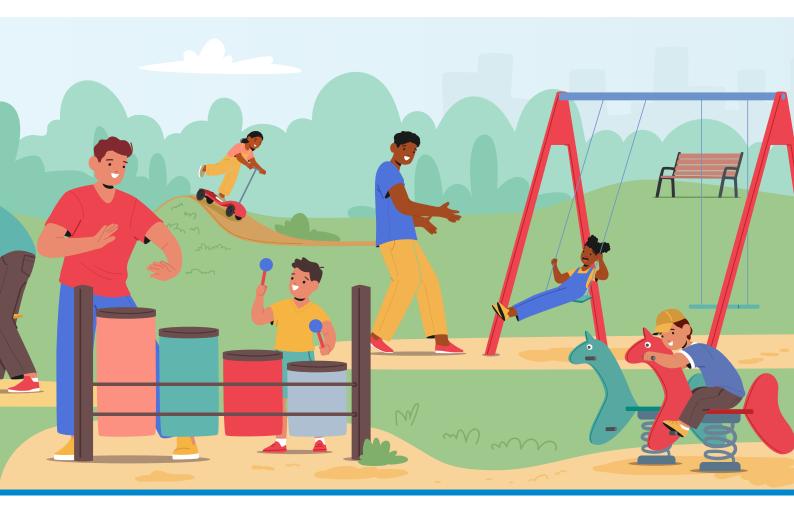


## **Council Tax 2025/26**

How your Council Tax is spent



## Council charges for 2025/26

This table shows the total amount of Council Tax payable for properties within each area of the District. The charge includes the West Sussex County Council, the Sussex Police and Crime Commissioner and where applicable Parish Council or Special charge elements.

**For example:** A Band D property in Southwater will pay a total charge of £2,353.77. Of this amount £1,800.54 is due to West Sussex County Council, £266.91 goes to the Sussex Police and Crime Commissioner, £111.37 passes to the Parish Council. Horsham District Council retains only £174.95.

Parish/area	Band A (£)	Band B (£)	Band C (£)	Band D (£)	Band E (£)	Band F (£)	Band G (£)	Band H (£)
Amberley	1,576.26	1,838.98	2,101.68	2,364.40	2,889.82	3,415.25	3,940.66	4,728.79
Ashington	1,571.62	1,833.57	2,095.50	2,357.44	2,881.32	3,405.20	3,929.07	4,714.88
Ashurst	1,560.74	1,820.87	2,080.99	2,341.12	2,861.37	3,381.63	3,901.86	4,682.24
Billingshurst	1,572.80	1,834.94	2,097.06	2,359.20	2,883.47	3,407.74	3,932.00	4,718.40
Bramber	1,558.00	1,817.67	2,077.33	2,337.00	2,856.34	3,375.68	3,895.00	4,674.01
Broadbridge Heath	1,547.34	1,805.24	2,063.13	2,321.02	2,836.80	3,352.59	3,868.37	4,642.04
Coldwaltham	1,521.94	1,775.61	2,029.26	2,282.92	2,790.24	3,297.56	3,804.87	4,565.84
Colgate	1,506.51	1,757.60	2,008.68	2,259.77	2,761.94	3,264.12	3,766.28	4,519.54
Cowfold	1,558.13	1,817.82	2,077.50	2,337.20	2,856.57	3,375.96	3,895.33	4,674.40
Henfield	1,586.00	1,850.34	2,114.66	2,379.00	2,907.67	3,436.34	3,965.00	4,758.00
Itchingfield	1,551.02	1,809.53	2,068.03	2,326.54	2,843.54	3,360.56	3,877.56	4,653.07
Lower Beeding	1,541.26	1,798.14	2,055.01	2,311.89	2,825.65	3,339.41	3,853.15	4,623.79
North Horsham	1,524.75	1,778.88	2,033.00	2,287.13	2,795.38	3,303.63	3,811.87	4,574.25
Nuthurst	1,529.51	1,784.44	2,039.35	2,294.27	2,804.11	3,313.96	3,823.79	4,588.55
Parham	1,532.53	1,787.95	2,043.37	2,298.79	2,809.63	3,320.49	3,831.32	4,597.59
Pulborough	1,571.76	1,833.73	2,095.68	2,357.65	2,881.57	3,405.50	3,929.41	4,715.29
Rudgwick	1,550.96	1,809.46	2,067.95	2,326.45	2,843.43	3,360.43	3,877.41	4,652.89
Rusper	1,540.80	1,797.60	2,054.40	2,311.20	2,824.80	3,338.41	3,852.00	4,622.40
Shermanbury	1,550.68	1,809.13	2,067.58	2,326.03	2,842.92	3,359.82	3,876.71	4,652.05
Shipley	1,538.36	1,794.76	2,051.14	2,307.54	2,820.33	3,333.12	3,845.90	4,615.09
Slinfold	1,545.85	1,803.50	2,061.14	2,318.78	2,834.07	3,349.36	3,864.64	4,637.57
Southwater	1,569.17	1,830.71	2,092.23	2,353.77	2,876.82	3,399.89	3,922.94	4,707.53
Steyning	1,605.88	1,873.53	2,141.17	2,408.82	2,944.11	3,479.41	4,014.70	4,817.64
Storrington & Sullington	1,557.81	1,817.45	2,077.08	2,336.72	2,855.99	3,375.27	3,894.52	4,673.43
Thakeham	1,538.27	1,794.65	2,051.02	2,307.41	2,820.16	3,332.93	3,845.67	4,614.81
Upper Beeding	1,608.13	1,876.16	2,144.17	2,412.20	2,948.25	3,484.30	4,020.33	4,824.40
Warnham	1,557.87	1,817.52	2,077.16	2,336.81	2,856.11	3,375.41	3,894.69	4,673.63
Washington	1,523.03	1,776.87	2,030.70	2,284.54	2,792.22	3,299.90	3,807.57	4,569.09
West Chiltington	1,543.70	1,800.99	2,058.27	2,315.56	2,830.13	3,344.71	3,859.27	4,631.12
West Grinstead	1,536.52	1,792.61	2,048.70	2,304.79	2,816.96	3,329.15	3,841.31	4,609.58
Wiston	1,520.87	1,774.35	2,027.82	2,281.31	2,788.26	3,295.23	3,802.17	4,562.61
Woodmancote	1,536.80	1,792.94	2,049.07	2,305.21	2,817.48	3,329.76	3,842.02	4,610.42
Horsham Town – Special charge	1,521.99	1,775.66	2,029.32	2,282.99	2,790.32	3,297.66	3,804.98	4,565.98

## Financial information for residents

The table below shows the costs of providing Council services and the sources of income, including Housing Benefit grants and payments, which are taken into account when calculating the Council Tax requirements.

	£m
Gross Service Expenditure	48.827
Housing Benefits Expenditure	15.050
Housing Benefits Income	(15.300)
Less Service Income	(32.797)
Net Expenditure Budget*	15.780
Contribution from general reserves	(0.944)
Services grant	(0.661)
Business Rates Retention Scheme	(2.236)
Council Tax Requirement	11.939
Less funded by Special Charge taxpayers	(0.499)
District Council Tax Requirement	11.440

Average Band D	2025/26 £	2024/25 £	Increase %
Horsham District Council excluding parishes and unparished	174.95	170.28	2.74
Police and Crime Commissioner	266.91	252.91	5.54
West Sussex County Council	1,800.54	1,714.95	4.99

## Parish Council budget requirements

Details of expenditure for Parish Councils where gross expenditure and precept exceed £200,000.

	2025/26			2024/25			
Parish	Gross Expenditure** £	Gross Income** £	Precept £	Gross Expenditure** £	Gross Income** £	Precept £	
Billingshurst	675,648	141,832	533,816	644,931	131,921	513,010	
Henfield	437,355	64,135	373,220	406,085	57,400	348,685	
North Horsham	647,537	246,000	401,537	621,975	241,728	380,247	
Pulborough	350,888	51,760	299,128	334,635	42,175	292,460	
Southwater	707,328	164,800	542,528	662,124	149,700	512,424	
Steyning	567,320	139,150	428,170	528,075	123,750	404,325	
Storrington & Sullington	383,872	67,372	316,500	389,510	89,604	299,906	
Upper Beeding	256,070	11,170	244,900	246,995	13,370	233,625	

<sup>\*</sup> Details of the 2025/26 Budget can be found here.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Including movements in/out of reserves where applicable.

