Summary of Public Consultation Responses

The following table summarises the responses from the public consultation. There were a total of 54 responses to the public consultation; 3 of those were in response to postal surveys issued and 51 were on-line responses via the link on the website. The consultation ran for a period of 8 weeks (from 10 September 2018 to 9 November 2018). Of the total 54 respondents 5 indicated that they were currently in receipt of Council Tax Support (1 receiving full, 100% Council Tax Support and 4 receiving partial Council Tax Support) and 35 indicated that they were not in receipt of any Council Tax Support. 2 were answering on behalf of an organisation.

| | Overall Consultation Responses | | | Therefore, the majority views are: |
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| Statement within Consultation Survey | Agree | Neither | Disagree | Overall |
| We're considering introducing income bands so that we can apply a flat rate percentage discount to each banding | 67.71% | 11.76% | 23.53% | Agree |
| To calculate a person's weekly income we currently include all child maintenance payments received. Do you think this income should be excluded when we calculate a person's weekly income? | 47.06% | 5.88% | 47.06% | Agree/Disagree However, by adding a weighting of 30% in respect of the CAB response the majority response would be :- 77.06% agree and 17.06% disagree |

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