Budget Addendum: Government Funding changes following receipt of the Final Settlement.

The Final Settlement allocation was published on 6 February 2023. The consultation changed our funding slightly in three places but with no overall net effect. £1k was added to the Rural Services delivery grant, an additional £3k in the services grant for contingency and a £4k reduction when the Funding Guarantee was recalculated to account for any additional grant funding within Core Spending Power for local authorities. The three changes are highlighted below in blue.

2023/24		2022/23
£000		£000
13,513	Net expenditure	12,188
-	Contribution to / (from) general reserves	596
13,513		12,784
(12)	Rural grant	(11)
(139)	Revenue Support Grant	-
(83)	<u>Less</u> service grant / Council tax support grant	(141)
-	Add payment for CTS £150 scheme	120
(824)	New homes bonus	(2,097)
824	<u>Less</u> contribution to new homes bonus reserve	2,097
(2,891)	Funding Guarantee (*) / Lower tier grant	(1,518)
2,895	<u>Less</u> contribution to earmarked reserve	1,518
(2,129)	Business Rates retention scheme baseline	(2,052)
11,154	Expenditure to be financed from District Council Tax	10,700
(337)	Less funding by Special Charge taxpayers	(323)
10,816	Expenditure to be funded from District Council Tax	10,377
64,792.5	Estimated band D equivalent properties	64,021.5
£166.94	Council Tax at band D	£162.09
£3.21	Cost per week at band D	£3.12

Table 3 – Council Tax for 2023/24. Minor rounding errors may apply. (*) note £50k of Funding Guarantee grant awarded taken into net revenue expenditure to fund painting of Horsham Town centre street furniture in revenue budget.

Note: (income shown in brackets).