

STATUTORY & OTHER NECESSARY COUNCIL TAX
RESOLUTIONS FOR 2023/24

1. That it be noted that at its meeting on 20th December 2022 the Council calculated interim amounts, subsequently modified as follows, for the year 2023/24 in accordance with the regulations made under Section 33(5) of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.

65,815 being the amount calculated in accordance with Regulation 3 of the Local Authorities (Calculation of Council Tax Base) Wales Regulations 1995, as its Council Tax base for the year, broken down into the following Town/Community areas :-

Argoed	2,547.81
Bagillt	1,470.89
Broughton & Bretton	2,760.78
Brynford	482.42
Buckley	6,744.92
Caerwys	650.69
Cilcain	751.83
Connahs Quay	6,218.73
Flint	5,041.16
Gwernaffield & Pantymwyn	1,032.13
Gwernymynydd	590.74
Halkyn	1,363.63
Hawarden	6,390.19
Higher Kinnerton	893.72
Holywell	3,403.23
Hope	1,853.48
Leeswood	857.00
Llanasa	2,023.97
Llanfynydd	892.45
Mold	4,508.13
Mostyn	716.22
Nannerch	286.96
Nercwys	304.71
Northop	1,584.76
Northop Hall	842.98
Penyffordd	2,220.75
Queensferry	712.04
Saltney	1,953.65
Sealand	1,458.01
Shotton	2,202.35
Trelawnyd & Gwaenysgor	425.04
Treuddyn	763.80
Whitford	1,178.07
Ysceifiog	687.76
TOTAL TAX BASE	65,815.00

Being the amounts calculated in accordance with regulation 6 of the Regulations as the amounts of its Council Tax base for the year for dwelling in those parts of its area to which special items relate.

2. That the following amounts be now calculated by the Council for the year 2023/24 in accordance with Sections 32 to 36 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 and Alteration of Requisite Calculations (Wales) Regulations 2013 :-
 - (a) Aggregate of the amounts which the Council estimates for the items set out in Section 32 (2) (a)-(d) (including Community Council precepts totalling £3,421,107) £473,492,433
 - (b) Aggregate of the amounts which the Council estimates for items set out in Section 32 (3) (a) and 32 (3) (c). £118,198,465
 - (c) Amount by which the aggregate at 2(a) above exceeds the aggregate at 2(b) above calculated in accordance with Section 32 (4) as the budget requirement for the year. £355,293,968
 - (d) Aggregate of the sums which the Council estimates will be payable for the year into its Council Fund in respect of redistributed Non-Domestic Rates, Revenue Support Grant or Additional Grant. £251,746,527
 - (e) The amount at 2(c) above less the amount at 2(d) above, all divided by the amount at section 1 above, calculated in accordance with Section 33 (1) as the basic amount of Council Tax for the year. £1,573.31
 - (f) Aggregate amount of all special items referred to in Section 34 (1). £3,421,107
 - (g) Amount at 2(e) above less the result given by dividing the amount at 2(f) above by the amount at section 1 above calculated by the Council, in accordance with Section 34 (2) of the Act, as the basic amount of Council Tax for the year for dwellings in those parts of the area to which no special items relate. £1,521.33
 - (h) The amounts given by adding to the amount at 2(g) above the amounts of special items relating to dwellings in those part of the Council's area mentioned below, divided in each case by the amount at 1(b) above, calculated in accordance with Section 34(3) as the basic amounts of its Council Tax for the year for dwellings in those parts of the area to which special items relate. £0.00

**FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL CHARGES (BAND D) 2023/24
(Including Community/Town Councils)**

	£
Argoed	1553.01
Bagillt	1552.41
Broughton & Bretton	1568.90
Brynford	1585.95
Buckley	1571.19
Caerwys	1584.72
Cilcain	1561.90
Connahs Quay	1583.72
Flint	1569.80
Gwernaffield & Pantymwyn	1555.24
Gwernymynydd	1552.73
Halkyn	1558.00
Hawarden	1568.89
Higher Kinnerton	1561.65
Holywell	1602.14
Hope	1587.58
Leeswood	1603.01
Llanasa	1554.09
Llanfynydd	1559.56
Mold	1588.87
Mostyn	1568.80
Nannerch	1574.33
Nercwys	1585.33
Northop	1545.63
Northop Hall	1560.35
Penyffordd	1575.15
Queensferry	1574.70
Saltney	1564.30
Sealand	1563.85
Shotton	1602.11
Trelawnyd & Gwaenysgor	1583.16
Treuddyn	1571.08
Whitford	1571.41
Ysceifiog	1566.07

- (i) The amounts given by multiplying the amounts at 2(h) above by the number which in the proportion set out in Section 5(1) of the Act is applicable to dwellings listed in a particular valuation band divided by the number which in that proportion is applicable to dwellings listed in valuation band D calculated in accordance with Section 36(1) of the Act as the amounts to be taken into account for the year in respect of categories of dwellings listed in different valuation bands.

Area	VALUATION BANDS								
	A £	B £	C £	D £	E £	F £	G £	H £	I £
Argoed	1035.34	1207.90	1380.45	1553.01	1898.12	2243.24	2588.35	3106.02	3623.69
Bagillt	1034.94	1207.43	1379.92	1552.41	1897.39	2242.37	2587.35	3104.82	3622.29
Broughton & Bretton	1045.93	1220.26	1394.57	1568.90	1917.54	2266.19	2614.83	3137.80	3660.77
Brynford	1057.30	1233.52	1409.73	1585.95	1938.38	2290.82	2643.25	3171.90	3700.55
Buckley	1047.46	1222.04	1396.61	1571.19	1920.34	2269.50	2618.65	3142.38	3666.11
Caerwys	1056.48	1232.56	1408.64	1584.72	1936.88	2289.04	2641.20	3169.44	3697.68
Cilcain	1041.27	1214.81	1388.35	1561.90	1908.99	2256.08	2603.17	3123.80	3644.43
Connahs Quay	1055.81	1231.79	1407.75	1583.72	1935.65	2287.60	2639.53	3167.44	3695.35
Flint	1046.53	1220.96	1395.37	1569.80	1918.64	2267.49	2616.33	3139.60	3662.87
Gwernaffield & Pantymwyn	1036.83	1209.63	1382.43	1555.24	1900.85	2246.46	2592.07	3110.48	3628.89
Gwernymynydd	1035.15	1207.68	1380.20	1552.73	1897.78	2242.84	2587.88	3105.46	3623.04
Halkyn	1038.67	1211.78	1384.89	1558.00	1904.22	2250.45	2596.67	3116.00	3635.33
Hawarden	1045.93	1220.25	1394.57	1568.89	1917.53	2266.18	2614.82	3137.78	3660.74
Higher Kinnerton	1041.10	1214.62	1388.13	1561.65	1908.68	2255.72	2602.75	3123.30	3643.85
Holywell	1068.09	1246.11	1424.12	1602.14	1958.17	2314.21	2670.23	3204.28	3738.33
Hope	1058.39	1234.79	1411.18	1587.58	1940.37	2293.17	2645.97	3175.16	3704.35
Leeswood	1068.67	1246.79	1424.89	1603.01	1959.23	2315.46	2671.68	3206.02	3740.36
Llanasa	1036.06	1208.74	1381.41	1554.09	1899.44	2244.80	2590.15	3108.18	3626.21
Llanfynydd	1039.71	1212.99	1386.27	1559.56	1906.13	2252.70	2599.27	3119.12	3638.97
Mold	1059.25	1235.79	1412.33	1588.87	1941.95	2295.04	2648.12	3177.74	3707.36
Mostyn	1045.87	1220.18	1394.49	1568.80	1917.42	2266.05	2614.67	3137.60	3660.53
Nannerch	1049.55	1224.48	1399.40	1574.33	1924.18	2274.04	2623.88	3148.66	3673.44
Nercwys	1056.89	1233.04	1409.18	1585.33	1937.62	2289.92	2642.22	3170.66	3699.10
Northop	1030.42	1202.16	1373.89	1545.63	1889.10	2232.58	2576.05	3091.26	3606.47
Northop Hall	1040.23	1213.61	1386.97	1560.35	1907.09	2253.84	2600.58	3120.70	3640.82
Penyffordd	1050.10	1225.12	1400.13	1575.15	1925.18	2275.22	2625.25	3150.30	3675.35
Queensferry	1049.80	1224.77	1399.73	1574.70	1924.63	2274.57	2624.50	3149.40	3674.30
Saltney	1042.87	1216.68	1390.49	1564.30	1911.92	2259.55	2607.17	3128.60	3650.03
Sealand	1042.57	1216.33	1390.09	1563.85	1911.37	2258.90	2606.42	3127.70	3648.98
Shotton	1068.07	1246.09	1424.09	1602.11	1958.13	2314.16	2670.18	3204.22	3738.26
Trelawnyd & Gwaenysgor	1055.44	1231.35	1407.25	1583.16	1934.97	2286.79	2638.60	3166.32	3694.04
Treuddyn	1047.39	1221.95	1396.51	1571.08	1920.21	2269.34	2618.47	3142.16	3665.85
Whitford	1047.61	1222.21	1396.81	1571.41	1920.61	2269.82	2619.02	3142.82	3666.62
Ysceifiog	1044.05	1218.06	1392.06	1566.07	1914.08	2262.10	2610.12	3132.14	3654.16

3. That it be noted that for the year 2023/24 the Police and Crime Panel for North Wales have stated the following amounts in precepts issued to the Council, amounting to a total precept of £21,922,318 in accordance with Section 40 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, for each of the categories of dwellings shown below :-

Council Tax	Valuation Bands								
	A £	B £	C £	D £	E £	F £	G £	H £	I £
	222.06	259.07	296.08	333.09	407.11	481.13	555.15	666.18	777.21

4. Having calculated the aggregate in each case of the amounts at 2(i) and 3 above, the Council in accordance with Section 30(2) of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 hereby sets the following amounts as the amounts of Council Tax for the year 2023/24 for each of the categories of dwellings shown below:

Area	VALUATION BANDS								
	A £	B £	C £	D £	E £	F £	G £	H £	I £
Argoed	1257.40	1466.97	1676.53	1886.10	2305.23	2724.37	3143.50	3772.20	4400.90
Bagillt	1257.00	1466.50	1676.00	1885.50	2304.50	2723.50	3142.50	3771.00	4399.50
Broughton & Bretton	1267.99	1479.33	1690.65	1901.99	2324.65	2747.32	3169.98	3803.98	4437.98
Brynford	1279.36	1492.59	1705.81	1919.04	2345.49	2771.95	3198.40	3838.08	4477.76
Buckley	1269.52	1481.11	1692.69	1904.28	2327.45	2750.63	3173.80	3808.56	4443.32
Caerwys	1278.54	1491.63	1704.72	1917.81	2343.99	2770.17	3196.35	3835.62	4474.89
Cilcain	1263.33	1473.88	1684.43	1894.99	2316.10	2737.21	3158.32	3789.98	4421.64
Connahs Quay	1277.87	1490.86	1703.83	1916.81	2342.76	2768.73	3194.68	3833.62	4472.56
Flint	1268.59	1480.03	1691.45	1902.89	2325.75	2748.62	3171.48	3805.78	4440.08
Gwernaffield & Pantymwyn	1258.89	1468.70	1678.51	1888.33	2307.96	2727.59	3147.22	3776.66	4406.10
Gwernymynydd	1257.21	1466.75	1676.28	1885.82	2304.89	2723.97	3143.03	3771.64	4400.25
Halkyn	1260.73	1470.85	1680.97	1891.09	2311.33	2731.58	3151.82	3782.18	4412.54
Hawarden	1267.99	1479.32	1690.65	1901.98	2324.64	2747.31	3169.97	3803.96	4437.95
Higher Kinnerton	1263.16	1473.69	1684.21	1894.74	2315.79	2736.85	3157.90	3789.48	4421.06
Holywell	1290.15	1505.18	1720.20	1935.23	2365.28	2795.34	3225.38	3870.46	4515.54
Hope	1280.45	1493.86	1707.26	1920.67	2347.48	2774.30	3201.12	3841.34	4481.56
Leeswood	1290.73	1505.86	1720.97	1936.10	2366.34	2796.59	3226.83	3872.20	4517.57
Llanasa	1258.12	1467.81	1677.49	1887.18	2306.55	2725.93	3145.30	3774.36	4403.42
Llanfynydd	1261.77	1472.06	1682.35	1892.65	2313.24	2733.83	3154.42	3785.30	4416.18
Mold	1281.31	1494.86	1708.41	1921.96	2349.06	2776.17	3203.27	3843.92	4484.57
Mostyn	1267.93	1479.25	1690.57	1901.89	2324.53	2747.18	3169.82	3803.78	4437.74
Nannerch	1271.61	1483.55	1695.48	1907.42	2331.29	2755.17	3179.03	3814.84	4450.65
Nercwys	1278.95	1492.11	1705.26	1918.42	2344.73	2771.05	3197.37	3836.84	4476.31
Northop	1252.48	1461.23	1669.97	1878.72	2296.21	2713.71	3131.20	3757.44	4383.68
Northop Hall	1262.29	1472.68	1683.05	1893.44	2314.20	2734.97	3155.73	3786.88	4418.03
Penyffordd	1272.16	1484.19	1696.21	1908.24	2332.29	2756.35	3180.40	3816.48	4452.56
Queensferry	1271.86	1483.84	1695.81	1907.79	2331.74	2755.70	3179.65	3815.58	4451.51
Saltney	1264.93	1475.75	1686.57	1897.39	2319.03	2740.68	3162.32	3794.78	4427.24
Sealand	1264.63	1475.40	1686.17	1896.94	2318.48	2740.03	3161.57	3793.88	4426.19
Shotton	1290.13	1505.16	1720.17	1935.20	2365.24	2795.29	3225.33	3870.40	4515.47
Trelawnyd & Gwaenysgor	1277.50	1490.42	1703.33	1916.25	2342.08	2767.92	3193.75	3832.50	4471.25
Treuddyn	1269.45	1481.02	1692.59	1904.17	2327.32	2750.47	3173.62	3808.34	4443.06
Whitford	1269.67	1481.28	1692.89	1904.50	2327.72	2750.95	3174.17	3809.00	4443.83
Ysceifiog	1266.11	1477.13	1688.14	1899.16	2321.19	2743.23	3165.27	3798.32	4431.37

5. In line with the existing policy of the Council, that for 2023/24, in accordance with Section 12 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 (as amended by Section 75 of the Local Government Act 2003 and the Council Tax (Prescribed Classes of Dwellings) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2004, no discounts shall be granted to second homes subject to Council Tax which are unoccupied and furnished, (defined as Prescribed Classes A and B) and long term empty and unfurnished properties (defined as Prescribed Class C)
6. In accordance with section 12a and 12b of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, as inserted by section 139 of the Housing Act 2014, by virtue of a determination made at Council on 13th December 2022, the Council Tax Premium scheme will continue to apply from 1st April 2023. Therefore, from 1st April 2023, unless there are exceptions to be applied in line with The Council Tax (Exceptions to Higher Amounts) (Wales) Regulations 2015, Council Tax shall be charged at a premium rate of 100% above the standard rate of Council Tax for those dwellings that are defined as 'second homes'. A Council Tax premium of 75% will also apply to those dwellings defined as 'long term empty' which have been empty for a continuous period of one year.
7. Authorisations - Council Tax
 - a) That the holders of the posts of Revenues & Procurement Manager, Team Manager for Council Tax and Business Rates Assessment, Team Manager for Collection and Enforcement, Lead Revenues Officer, Revenue Officers, Civil Enforcement Officers, be authorised under Section 223 of the Local Government Act 1972 to issue legal proceedings and to appear on behalf of the County Council at the hearing of any legal proceedings in the Magistrates Court by way of an application for the issue of a Liability Order in respect of unpaid Council Taxes and penalties under Part VI of the Council Tax (Administration and Enforcement) Regulations 1992; to require financial information to make an Attachment of Earnings Order; to levy the appropriate amount by taking control of goods and sale of goods; and to exercise all other enforcement powers of the County Council under the Council Tax (Administration and Enforcements) Regulations 1992 and any subsequent amendments of such Regulations.
8. Authorisations - National Non-Domestic Rates
 - a) That the holders of the posts of Revenues & Procurement Manager, Team Manager for Council Tax and Business Rates Assessment, Team Manager for Collection and Enforcement, Lead Revenues Officer, Revenue Officers, Civil Enforcement Officers be authorised under Section 223 of the Local Government Act 1972 to issue legal proceedings in the Magistrates Courts by way of application for the issue of a liability order in respect of unpaid rates; by way of an application for the issue of a warrant of commitment and to exercise all other powers of enforcement of the County Council under the Non-Domestic (Collection and Enforcement) (Local Lists) Regulations 1989 and any amendment thereto.
9. That notices of the making of the said Council Taxes for 2023/24, signed by the Council's Corporate Finance Manager/Section 151 officer, be given by advertisement in the local press under Section 38(2) of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.