

**FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**REPORT TO:**           **CORPORATE RESOURCES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY  
COMMITTEE**  
**DATE:**                 **THURSDAY, 16 JANUARY 2014**  
**REPORT BY:**         **HEAD OF FINANCE**  
**SUBJECT:**           **COUNCIL TAX AND BUSINESS RATE POLICIES  
2014-15**

**1.00    PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1.01    To provide Overview & Scrutiny members with details of an annual report on Council Tax and Business Rate Policies proposed for the financial year 2014-15 and to seek any observations to be made to Cabinet.

**2.00    BACKGROUND**

2.01    Each year cabinet is required to re-determine a number of policies associated with the collection and administration of Council Tax and Business Rates.

2.02    Cabinet will be asked to consider and re-approve all existing policies in January 2014.

**3.00    CONSIDERATIONS**

3.01    As part of the considerations to re-approve the existing policies, Overview & Scrutiny members may wish to make observations and comments on the various policies.

**4.00    RECOMENDATIONS**

4.01    Members are asked to note the report and make any observations for consideration by Cabinet which will be reported verbally to Cabinet on 21<sup>st</sup> January 2014.

**5.00    FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

5.01    As set out in the attached report.

**6.00    ANTI POVERTY IMPACT**

6.01    None directly associated with this report.

**7.00 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT**

7.01 None directly associated with this report.

**8.00 EQUALITIES IMPACT**

8.01 None directly associated with this report.

**9.00 PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS**

9.01 None.

**10.00 CONSULTATION REQUIRED**

10.01 None.

**11.00 CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN**

11.01 None.

**12.00 APPENDICES**

12.01 Appendix A – Council Tax and Business Rate Policies Report

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT) 1985  
BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS**

As set out in the report

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