



ADUR & WORTHING
COUNCILS

**Adur Executive Member
for Resources
Worthing Executive Member
for Resources**
Ref. No: JAW/002/18-19
Date of Decision: 13 July 2018

If you have any questions about this decision please contact Democratic Services on 01903 221006 or email democratic.services@adur-worthing.gov.uk

Record of Decision: 2018/19 local schemes for Business Rates Discretionary Relief			
Decision taken by: Worthing Executive Member for Resources and Adur Executive Member for Resources			
Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests: WBC Executive Member for Resources: I hereby confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interest in this item. ADC Executive Member for Resources: I hereby confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interest in this item.			
Decision: The Executive Members have: 1) Noted the content of this report; and 2) Determined whether the percentage reductions detailed in paragraph 4.8 should be applied in respect of 2018/19			
Key Decision: No			
Reason for Decision: WBC Executive Member for Resources - Following the decisions of the Full Councils on 14 and 19 December 2017, delegated authority was given to the Executive Members for Resources to determine the percentage reductions for the respective local schemes for Business Rates Discretionary Relief in respect of 2018/19. ADC Executive Member for Resources - The reduction of 21% for Adur 2018-19 year for reasons stated in the report.			
Alternative Options Considered: None			
Other Matters Considered:			
Legal Advice and Issues	x	Financial Advice and Issues	x
Sustainability Issues	x	Equality Issues	x

Community Safety Issues	x	Human Rights Issues	x
Reputation	x	Risk Assessment	x
Health & Safety Issues	x		
Consultation: This report was published on the Council's website on 8 June 2018. The following consultation responses were noted by the decision maker: None			
Background Papers: Local Government Finance Act 1988 Local Government Act 2003 Letter from the Department for Communities and Local Government dated 28 April 2017 Business Rates Information Letter (2/2017) Business Rates Information Letter (4/2017) De Minimis Regulations (1407/2013) Joint Strategic Committee report 5 December 2017 (agenda item 8)			
Contact Officer: Paul Tonking Head of Revenues & Benefits 01903 221290 paul.tonking@adur-worthing.gov.uk			
Call-in: The call-in deadline for this decision will be 5:00pm on Friday 20 July 2018.			

Signed:



Date: 13 July 2018

Name: Councillor Angus Dunn

Signed:



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Name: Councillor Elizabeth Sparkes

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