



NORTHAMPTON
BOROUGH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

30th January 2017

Agenda Status: Public

**Directorate: Revenues & Benefits
(LGSS)**

Report Title	Local Council Tax Support Scheme – 2017/18
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1. Purpose

1.1 That Council approve the proposed amendment to the local Council Tax reduction scheme from an 29% reduction in support in 2016/17 to a 35% reduction in 2017/18

2. Recommendations

2.1 That Council endorse the recommendation contained in the Cabinet report attached no later than the 31st January 2017.

3. Issues and Choices

3.1 Report Background

3.1.1 See Cabinet Report attached

4. Implications (including financial implications)

4.1 Policy

4.1.1 See Cabinet Report attached

4.2 Resources and Risk

4.2.1 See Cabinet Report attached

4.3 Legal

4.3.1 See Cabinet Report attached

4.4 Equality

4.4.1 See Cabinet Report attached

4.5 Other Implications

4.5.1 See Cabinet Report attached

5. Background Papers

5.1 See Cabinet Report attached

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