

Annual Uprating of the Members Allowances Scheme

The County Council agreed the Members Allowances Scheme for 2021-2025 on 4 November 2021. This included agreement to an annual indexation formula. The annual increase under this formula is the average of two figures. The first is the percentage awarded to staff awarded 'Successful' in the Total Contribution Pay scheme and will apply to the same year as the staff award – this figure is 3%. The second is the average of the increases arising in sectors covered by 8 national public sector pay review bodies – this figure is 1%.

The average figure is 2% and therefore this will be the increase to the Basic Allowance, Special Responsibility Allowances, and Dependents' Carers' Allowance in 2022-23.