Blaby District Council

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The Council at its meeting on 18 November 2025 received and approved recommendations from the Independent Remuneration Panel in respect of its Members Allowances Scheme.

There were no changes to the Basic Allowance, Dependants Carers Allowance, Travel and Subsistence Allowance.

The recommendations of the Panel which were approved by Council are summarised below.

<u>Special Responsibility Allowance – Chairman of Audit and Corporate Governance</u> Committee

That the SRA for the Chairman of Audit and Corporate Governance Committee be increased to £2,500.

Allowances for Members and Substitute Members of Planning Committee

That the allowance for Members and Substitute Members of Planning Committee be increased to £60 (excluding the Chairman and Vice Chairman).

National Joint Council Staff Pay Award (NJC)

That the allowance for all roles be increased annually from 1st April each year thereafter to the national average pay award in line with the National Joint Council Staff Pay Award. The pay award is subject to formal approval and as such it will be applied retrospectively and back dated once agreed.

<u>Special Responsibility Allowance – Leader of Opposition (Minority) Groups</u>

That the previous recommendation from the Panel 'That Opposition Group Leaders be paid a SRA if Group consists of 5 or more Members. (Note - this will remove the SRA for the Green Group Leader)' be withdrawn. The Leader of Opposition (Minority) Group allowance will be paid to all Groups

Copies of the Panel's report can be inspected at the Council Offices, Desford Road, Narborough, LE19 2EP during office hours. Copies are available free of charge.

The report can also be viewed on the Council's website <u>Agenda for Council on Tuesday</u>, 18th November, 2025, 5.30 p.m. - <u>Blaby District Council</u>