

Lockington Parish Council

Precept & Budget Notice 2023/24

Summary of Precept

Every financial year, Lockington Parish Council must produce a projected budget for the coming year.

From this the Parish Council asks East Riding of Yorkshire Council to place a charge on every ratepayer within the Parish Council boundary.

This income covers the Parish Council's expenditure and running costs and is called the **Precept**.

The amount each household pays is based on the Council Tax band in which their property falls, details of which are listed below.

Band	2022/23	2023/24	Annual cost increase per household
Band A	£12.83	£13.10	£0.27
Band B	£14.97	£15.28	£0.31
Band C	£17.11	£17.46	£0.35
Band D	£19.25	£19.65	£0.40
Band E	£23.53	£24.01	£0.48
Band F	£27.81	£28.38	£0.57
Band G	£32.08	£32.75	£0.75
Band H	£38.50	£39.30	£0.80

Parish Council Ethos

Actively engage with the residents of Lockington to achieve a better understand their needs and requirements, enabling the Parish Council to improve the quality of life and the environment.

Key Responsibilities of the Parish Council

- ❖ To provide a democratic, representational voice for the community of Lockington.
- ❖ To preserve the unique identity of Lockington and promote its heritage.
- ❖ Providing and maintaining services for the Parishioners of Lockington (Street Furniture, Defibrillator, Bus Shelter, Salt Bins etc).
- ❖ Influencing and shaping the long-term development policy for the Parish, and as part of the planning process, commenting on planning applications within the Parish boundary.
- ❖ Working to bring about improvements through local projects, lobbying other service providers and working in partnership with other Parishes, local authorities, and agencies (ERYC, EA, etc).
- ❖ Engage with and support ERYC to maintain and enhance Lockington's Conservation Area status.
- ❖ Deciding how much income to raise through the Precept to deliver the Council's services. Manage the ongoing Budget to ensure that sufficient contingencies are held in both Earmarked and General Reserves.
- ❖ To ensure that the resources available to the Parish Council are used to the most effective manner possible, and to the greatest benefit to the village.

BUDGET BREAKDOWN 2023/24

Budget Line	2022/23	2023/24	Comments
Clerk's Salary	(£1,250)	(£1,320)	No Salary Taken Transferred to Projects
ERNLLCA	£350	£385	Local Councils Association
Insurance	£550	£605	Liability cover
Audit	£315	£347	Internal Audit Fee
Miscellaneous	£400	£350	Miscellaneous
Street Furniture	£450	£315	Procure/Maintain
Administration	£340	£655	Including Gazette
Election Cost	£500	£550	Only if required
Grants & Donations	£200	£220	LGA Section 137 requirement
Projects	£1,550	£1,605	Community Green
Total	£4,655	£5,032	Maximum Spend
Precept	£4,935	£5,034	Rate Payer Levy
Total Income	£4,935	£5,034	Total Income
Total Funds	£14,257	£16,981	Date of Issue (Dol)
General Reserve Fund	£0	£5,000	Emergency Fund
Business Reserve Fund	£9,000	£9,450	Projects
Available Funds	£5,257	£2,531	Balance (Dol)

If you wish to discuss any item in the Precept Notice, please do not hesitate to contact any member of Parish Council, or the Clerk @ [email: lpcclerk@outlook.com](mailto:lpcclerk@outlook.com)
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