## Ashford Borough Council – Decisions taken by The Cabinet on 6 December 2018

Minute No	Торіс	Decision			
Minute No 243	Topic Council Tax Base 2019/20	Decision         The report advised that the Council was required to approve the tax base used to calculate the level of Council Tax for 2019/20. The tax base had been calculated at 46,500 Band D properties, an increase of 820 (or 1.8%) on the current year. The Portfolio Holder also directed Members attention to the tabled paper which included the detailed tables from Appendices A-D of the report, taking account of the two new Parish Councils, and he thanked the Senior Accountant for her hard work in undertaking the tax base exercise.         Recommended:         That         (i) the 2019/20 'Net' tax base of 46,500 Band D equivalent properties be agreed.         (ii) the distribution across parished areas of the proposed grant to Parish Council Se agreed to help compensate for the negative impact caused by the Council Tax Support Scheme on Parish Councils' tax bases (see Appendix D of the report totalling £40,900).			
		<ul> <li>(iii) the possibility of further Cabinet and Council decisions being required before the end of January, should any material change in the tax base be required as a consequence of any further relevant funding announcements from Government, be noted.</li> </ul>			

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LOCAL TAX BASE 2018/19	WHOLE AREA	BAND D EQUIVALENT	NEW OCCUPATIONS	0.75% PROVISION	Less discounts Council Tax Support	LOCAL TAX BASE 2019/20
		49,189	1,883	(459)	(4,933)	45,680
	PARISH	10,100	1,000	(100)	(1,000)	10,000
606	Aldington & Bonnington	674	8	(6)	(54)	622
338	Appledore	389	14	(4)	(48)	351
706	Bethersden	785	0	(7)	(55)	723
1,109	Biddenden	1,182	25	(11)	(76)	1,120
144	Bilsington	158	0	(2)	(6)	150
	Boughton Aluph and					
1,042	Eastwell	1,124	0	(11)	(63)	1,050
591	Brabourne	628	0	(6)	(20)	602
161	Brook	160	9	(2)	(1)	166
486	Challock	482	10	(5)	(14)	473
1,283	Charing	1,426	82	(14)	(143)	1,351
754	Chilham	822	8	(8)	(71)	751
92	Crundale (PM)	96	0	(1)	(1)	94
505	Egerton	529	10	(5)	(26)	508
169	Godmersham	179	0	(2)	(5)	172
	Great Chart with					
2,425	Singleton	2,621	150	(26)	(204)	2,541
113	Hastingleigh	121	0	(1)	(3)	117
734	High Halden	807	38	(8)	(58)	779
270	Hothfield	339	18	(3)	(64)	290
108	Kenardington	120	0	(1)	(10)	109
0	Kennington	3,927	0	(40)	0	3,887
4,341	Kingsnorth	4,561	71	(44)	(229)	4,359
129	Little Chart	135	0	(1)	(3)	131
829	Mersham and Sevington	1,088	224	(13)	(44)	1,255
108	Molash	119	0	(1)	(10)	108
100	Newenden	104	0	(1)	(6)	97
585	Orlestone	678	42	(7)	(55)	658
486	Pluckley	516	13	(5)	(35)	489
687	Rolvenden	725	24	(7)	(65)	677
335	Ruckinge	373	0	(4)	(19)	350
539	Shadoxhurst	564	6	(5)	(38)	527
653	Smarden	666	18	(6)	(36)	642
362	Smeeth	393	14	(4)	(32)	371
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0	Newtown	1,482	0	(15)	0	1,467
751	Stanhope	1,043	0	(8)	(242)	793
202	Stone	224	0	(2)	(17)	205
3,593	Tenterden (TC)	3,847	131	(37)	(302)	3,639
172	Warehorne	162	0	(2)	(6)	154
325	Westwell	525	0	(5)	(12)	508
526	Wittersham	586	14	(6)	(46)	548
846	Woodchurch	904	6	(8)	(63)	839
1,028	Wye with Hinxhill	1,130	35	(10)	(117)	1,038
17,447	Unparished Area	13,545	500	(101)	(2,155)	11,789
45,680		49,939	1,470	(455)	(4,454)	46,500