

MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISION OF THE COUNCIL

Decision Made: 21 October 2015

COUNCIL TAX SUPPORT SCHEME 2016/2017

Issue for Decision

To consider the council tax support scheme to be adopted from 1st April 2016.

Decision Made

- 1) That having noted the potential impact on claimants including those with disabilities, carers and other working age groups, the Committee recommends to Council that the Council Tax Reduction Scheme be maintained from 1st April 2016 at its current level;
- 2) That the Director of Environment and Shared Services be given delegated authority to make such technical changes as are necessary to maintain the effective operation of the scheme; and
- 3) That the Council contributes towards the planned county wide review of the scheme and alternative schemes to be implemented for 2017/18 and request a further report on progress of the review in March 2016.

Should you wish to refer this decision to Council, please submit a Decision Referral Form, signed by five Councillors, to the Head of Finance and Resources by: 30 October 2015
