

Last chance to share your views on council tax precept

There's one week left to have your say about how much you are willing to contribute to your local Policing & Fire & Rescue services.

The Staffordshire Commissioner for Police, Fire & Rescue and Crime Ben Adams is required to set the amount local people pay towards Policing and Fire & Rescue services each financial year.

For 2025/26, he is asking residents of Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent to share their views on the following options (based on a Band D property).

Police:

- No increase in precept
- An extra £7 per year (58p extra a month) This is a 2.56% increase
- An extra £14 per year (£1.16 extra a month) This is a 5.12% increase

Fire:

- No increase in precept
- An extra £2.50 per year (21p extra a month) This is a 2.9% increase
- An extra £5 per year (42p extra a month) This is a 5.8% increase

It is now more important than ever that he hears from as many people as possible about what they feel they should pay towards their emergency services.

The consultation runs until 12 January and you can have your say here to help inform the Commissioner's decisions: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/precept2526>



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