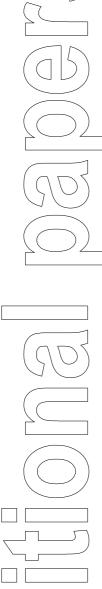
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## Annual Meeting of the Council

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### 14. Members' Allowances

To receive a report on expenses and allowances paid to Members during the financial year 2008/09 under the Local Authorities (Members' Allowances) (England) Regulations 2003.

(Report attached)

Chief Executive (Pages 14 - 15)

(No Specific Ward Relevance)



# Council

Meeting

No specific Ward Relevance 18 May 2009

(Report of Chief Executive)

MEMBERS'

**ALLOWANCES** 

Forename	Surname	Date	Basic All	Add Allow	Travel Exp	Grand Total
Peter	Anderson		3099.16	1583.22	122.00	4804.38
Kathleen	Banks		3099.16	1073.30	477.52	4649.98
Iris	Beech	Left 04-May-08	416.66	58.32	476.80	951.78
Kieth	Boyd-Carpenter	Left 10-Feb-09	2830.91	0	57.60	2888.51
Michael	Braley		3099.16	6126.62	198.72	9424.50
Juliet	Brunner		3099.16	1250.00	132.80	4481.96
Michael	Chalk		3099.16	3648.30	0	6747.46
Greg	Chance	Left 04-May-08	416.66	333.32	0	749.98
Brandon	Clayton		3099.16	1283.32	94.60	4477.08
Anita	Clayton		2682.50	0	112.80	2795.30
Jack	Cookson		3099.16	99.96	0	3199.12
Dorothy	Dudley	Left 04-May-08	416.66	0	14.80	431.46
David	Enderby		3099.16	0	72.00	3171.16
Arjamand	Farooqui	Left 07-Feb-09	2414.25	0	7.60	2421.85
John	Field		3099.16	1073.30	0	4172.46
Andrew	Fry		3099.16	249.98	0	3349.14
Carole	Gandy		3099.16	7544.98	152.40	10796.54
Malcolm	Hall		3099.16	2191.68	122.40	5413.24
William	Hartnett		3099.16	2275.02	378.46	5752.64
Nigel	Hicks		3099.16	250.00	160.40	3509.56
Pattie	Hill	Left 04-May-08	416.66	0	15.64	432.30
David	Hunt		3099.16	41.66	139.84	3280.66
Robin	King		3099.16	283.67	4.80	3387.63
Wanda	King		3099.16	0	2.40	3101.56
Colin	MacMillan		3099.16	1500.00	0	4599.16
Philip	Mould		3099.16	2442.52	0	5541.68
William	Norton		2682.50	858.30	0	3540.80
Betty	Passingham	Left 27-May-08	650.30	0	22.40	672.70
Jane (Jinny)	Pearce		2682.50	0	129.60	2812.10
Brenda	Quinney	Joined 21-Jul-08	2146.00	0	0	2416.00
Mark	Shurmer		3099.16	333.32	77.20	3509.68
David	Smith		3099.16	1423.55	0	4522.71
Debbie	Taylor		3099.16	858.30	0	3957.46
Diane	Thomas		3099.16	858.30	9.60	3967.06
Grand Total			89036.28	37640.94	2982.38	129659.60

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