

Council Tax Support – Consultation Options

Option	Number of working age claimants affected (out of total of 3,749)	Total amount saved	Saving to Redditch (including parish)	Average annual increase	Average weekly increase	Administration benefit?
Introduce minimum council tax support of £5 per week. Currently no minimum support amount	2,000	£112,000	£16,000	£259	£5	Yes
Introduce minimum council tax support of £10 per week	2,150	£115,000	£22,000	£518	£10	Yes
Restrict all council tax support to Band D equivalent amounts		£8,000	£1,000			No
Introduce minimum payment of 20% council tax for all working age claimants. Only 80% of council tax liability assessed for council tax support	4,600	£449,000	£63,000	£50	£1	No
Introduce minimum payment of 10% council tax for all working age claimants. Only 90% of council tax liability assess for council tax support	4,600	£225,000	£31,000	£100	£2	No
Withdraw all Council Tax exemption for short term empty property (Class C) Currently 50% for 6 months (excluding new developments)		£134,000	£18,000			No