

# **REVENUE BUDGET 2023/24**

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| BUDGET 2023/24                                  |                   |                   |                                     |
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| CONSOLIDATED SUMMARY                            | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget<br>2023/24 | Variance on<br>Prior Year<br>Budget |
| INCOME  |                   |                   |                                     |
| Civic, Corporate, Promotion and staff           | £18,874           | £21,187           | £2,313                              |
| Community Engagement                            | £4,400            |                   | -£1,100                             |
| Operational Services                            | £30,614           |                   | £10,097                             |
| Customer Services (HelpPoint/Econ Dev)          | £3,280            |                   | £1,750                              |
| Finance and Administration                      | £48,650           | £63,898           | £15,248                             |
| TOTAL INCOME                                    | £105,818          | £134,126          | £28,308                             |
| EXPENDITURE                                     |                   |                   |                                     |
| Civic, Corporate (Exclds Beehive Fund)          | £656,499          | £733,374          | £76,875                             |
| Staff and Member                                | £2,500            | £4,500            | £2,000                              |
| Community Engagement                            | £49,031           | £54,050           | £5,019                              |
| Operational Services                            | £90,859           | £86,049           | -£4,810                             |
| Customer Services (HelpPoint)                   | £1,675            | £2,413            | £738                                |
| Finance and Administration                      | £134,664          | £159,574          | £24,910                             |
| TOTAL BASE EXPENDITURE                          | £935,228          | £1,039,959        | £104,730                            |
| Community Buildings Reserve (transfers to/from) | £104,209          | £60,000           | -£44,209                            |
| PRECEPT/NET BUDGETED EXPENDITURE                | £933,618          | £965,833          | £32,214                             |
| Tax Base  | 12395.7           | 12623.9           | 228.2<br>1.84%                      |
| Band D  | £75.32            | £76.51            | £1.19                               |
|   |                   |                   | 1.6%                                |

| PRECEPT  | Tax Base          |                   |  | BAND D   |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|--|--|
| 2023/24  | 12,623.90         |                   | £965,833                                 | £76.51   |
| 2022/23  | 12,395.70         |                   | £933,618                                 | £75.32   |
| Increase in Precept                                    | 228.20            | 1.8%              | £32,215                                  | £1.19  |
|  |                   |                   |  | 1.6%   |
| MADE UP OF:  | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget<br>2023/24 | Movemen<br>t on prior<br>year<br>2022/23 |  |
| Income Movements                                       |                   |                   | 2022/20                                  |  |
| About Town Income                                      | £4,400            | £3,300            | -£1,100                                  | Challenging times to generate advertising revenues               |
| Burial Ground Income                                   | £30,000           | £34,000           | £4,000                                   | Pattern shows an increase in revenue would be appropriate        |
| Council Chamber/SMR hire                               | £6,900            | £10,010           | £3,110                                   | Successful hiring out of rooms and Audiolodgy renewal            |
| Interest on Balances                                   | £250              | £9,638            | £9,388                                   | Improving Rates  |
| MSDC-Partnership Environmental improvements            | £0                | £7,500            | £7,500                                   | Contract Extension to be confirmed. Should be consdiered a risk  |
| Partnership Contributions - help point - MSDC          | £18,874           | £21,187           | £2,313                                   | Inflationery increase - Should be considered a Risk              |
| WSCC roundabout/Shield Bed income                      | £16,700           | £16,751           | £51                                      | Contract Extension confirmed                                     |
| WSCC Graffiti contract                                 | £0                | £2,046            | £2,046                                   | Contract Extension confirmed                                     |
| Balance of movements on all other budget items         | £28,694           | £29,694           | £1,000                                   | Net decrease in other income                                     |
| Total Income   | £105,818          | £134,126          | £28,308                                  | Increase in Income   |
| Expenditure Movements                                  |                   |                   |  |  |
| About Town   | £16,031           | £21,300           | £5,269                                   | Rising paper costs, 3rd party editor                             |
| Audit Fee/ Miscellaneous / Bank charges                | £23,874           | £25,374           | £1,500                                   | Additional income provision                                      |
| Burial Ground  | £16,600           | £18,900           | £2,300                                   | Pattern likely to show increased budget expenditure, see income. |
| Christmas Lights                                       | £9,250            | £10,300           | £1,050                                   | New connection by Iceland  |
| Election Fund contribution 3003                        | £1,500            | £3,000            | £1,500                                   | To meet target £20k Fund for Local Elections May 23              |
| Fuel - Van   | £3,125            | £4,500            | £1,375                                   | Fuel prices  |
| Legion building - running costs (excl loan repayments) | £5,000            | £2,500            | -£2,500                                  | Demolition of RBL building, change of use, Wild Flower beds etc  |
| Maintenance - external contractors                     | £5,000            | £1,000            | -£4,000                                  | Change to in-house   |
| Members' Allowances                                    | £20,279           | £23,259           | £2,980                                   | 2 additional Councillors   |
| Repairs & Renewals Fund contribution                   | £8,000            | £6,000            | -£2,000                                  | Enough in Fund   |
| Salaries / Oncosts                                     | £650,899          | £728,774          | £77,875                                  | COL rise in 22/23 + 23/24, Addl employee, contractual increments |
| Subscriptions  | £4,850            | £6,900            | £2,050                                   | Addl subscriptions - Parish online                               |
| Technology   | £8,000            | £9,250            | £1,250                                   | Increased prices, addl subscriptions                             |
| Training Fund Contribution                             | £2,000            | £4,000            | £2,000                                   | training   |
| Utilities - 96 Church Walk                             | £7,232            | £19,394           | £12,162                                  | Contract renewals for Electric and Gas                           |
| Balance of movements on all other budget items         | £153,588          | £155,508          | £1,920                                   | Net decrease in other items                                      |
| Base Budget Costs                                      | £935,228          | £1,039,959        | £104,729                                 | Increase in base costs   |
| Community Building & Capital Projects contribution     | £104,209          | £60,000           | -£44,209                                 |  |
| Precept (Net Budget Expenditure)                       | £933,619          | £965,833          | £32,214                                  | Net increase in Precept  |
|  |                   |                   |  |  |

BUDGET 2023/24 - VARIANCE ANALYSIS +/- £1,000

## CIVIC, CORPORATE, PROMOTION AND STAFF

|                |  | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget<br>2023/24 | Variance<br>On Prior<br>year<br>budget |
|----------------|--|-------------------|-------------------|--|
| INCOME         |  |                   |                   |  |
| 8570           | Partnership Contributions - help point - MSDC                    | £18,874           | £21,187           | £2,313                                 |
|                |  |                   |                   | £0                                     |
| TOTAL II       | NCOME  | £18,874           | £21,187           | £2,313                                 |
| EXPEND<br>8023 | TURE Civic Events  | £750              | 0750              |  |
|                |  |                   | £750              | £0                                     |
| 5005           | Conferences/seminars   | £250              | £250              | £0                                     |
| 5016<br>6002   | Consultants/Legal fund contribution (3018)  Economic Development | £1,000            | £1,000            | £0                                     |
| 4506           | Members Conferences  | £1,000<br>£350    | £1,000<br>£350    | £0                                     |
| 5004           |  | £350              | £350<br>£750      | £0                                     |
| 5010           | Miscellaneous Staffing Issues Public relations                   | £750              |                   | the second                             |
| 6007           | Community Building Reserve Fund Contribution                     | £104,209          | £500<br>£60,000   | £0<br>-£44,209                         |
| 9601           | Salaries / oncosts (all staff)                                   | £650,899          | £728,774          | £77,875                                |
|                | Town Twinning fund contrbn 3047                                  | £1,000            | £0                | -£1,000                                |
|                |  |                   |                   | £0                                     |
|                |  |                   |                   | £0                                     |
|                |  |                   |                   |  |
| TOTAL E        | XPENDITURE   | £760,708          | £793,374          | £32,666                                |
| NET POS        | ITION  | -£741,834         | -£772,187         | -£30,353                               |

### STAFF & MEMBER

| Code | Description                     | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget<br>2023/24 | Variance<br>On Prior<br>year<br>budget |
|------|---------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--|
| 4505 | Members Courses                 | £500              | £500              | £0                                     |
| 5003 | Training Fund Contribution 3008 | £2,000            | £4,000            | £2,000                                 |
|      |                                 | £2,500            | £4,500            | £2,000                                 |

| BUD      | GET 2023/24   |                   |                   | _                                      |
|----------|---|-------------------|-------------------|--|
| Commu    | ınity Engagement  |                   |                   |  |
| Code     | Description   | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget<br>2023/24 | Variance<br>On Prior<br>year<br>budget |
|          |   |                   |                   |  |
| 5071     | AT July   | £1,800            | £1,000            | -£800                                  |
| 5073     | AT November   | £1,800            | £1,500            | -£300                                  |
| 5074     | AT March  | £800              | £800              | £0                                     |
| 5076     | AT subscription   | £0                | £0                | £0                                     |
|          |   |                   |                   | £C                                     |
| TOTAL II | NCOME   | £4,400            | £3,300            | -£1,100                                |
| EXPEND   | ITURE   |                   |                   |  |
| 5011     | AT July   | £5,350            | £7,100            | £1,750                                 |
| 5013     | AT November   | £5,350            | £7,100            | £1,750                                 |
| 5014     | AT March  | £5,331            | £7,100            | £1,769                                 |
| 8010     | Burgess Hill Bonfire Society                                | £1,800            | £1,800            | £0                                     |
| 8006     | Burgess Hill In Bloom Sub - Cttee.                          | £500              | £500              | £0                                     |
| 8008     | Community Development                                       | £500              | £500              | £0                                     |
|          | Grants/Donations Fund contribution - major/minor/Green 3010 | £12,000           | £12,000           | £0                                     |
| 8004     | Holiday Activities  | £1,000            | £0                | -£1,000                                |
| 8013     | Remembrance/Armistic Day/Holocaust                          | £2,000            | £1,750            | -£250                                  |
| 8021     | Town Events fund Contrbn (3067)                             | £15,200           | £16,200           | £1,000                                 |
| TOTAL E  | XPENDITURE  | £49,031           | £54,050           | £5,019                                 |

NET POSITION

-£44,631

-£50,750

-£6,119

#### Customer Service (HelpPoint)

#### Code

|          | Description                                  | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget 2023/24    | Variance on budget |
|----------|--|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| INCOME   |  |                   |                   |                    |
| HP       | HP,Shop,Tourism,Commission (NET Position)    | £1,280            | £1,780            | £500               |
| 8582     | Council Chamber/SMR hire                     | £2,000            | £3,250            | £1,250             |
| TOTAL IN | ICOME  | £3,280            | £5,030            | £1,750             |
| EXPEND   | TURE   |                   |                   |                    |
| Code     | Description                                  | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget<br>2023/24 | Var                |
| 5518     | Council Chamber/SMR hire-caretaking/catering | £175              | £813              | £638               |
| 8502     | Help Point Miscellaneous                     | £750              | £750              | £0                 |
| 8501     | Uniforms: HP                                 | £750              | £850              | £100               |
| TOTAL E  | XPENDITURE                                   | £1,675            | £2,413            | £738               |
| NET POS  | ITION  | £1,605            | £2,618            | £1,013             |

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#### **Operational Services**

#### Code

| INCOME   | Description   | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget 2023/24 | Variance on budget |
|----------|---|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|
| 7070     | Allotment rents income                              | £7,250            | £8,500         | £1,250             |
| 7072     | M.S.D.C Street Nameplates                           | £5,164            | £5,164         |                    |
| 7071     | MSDC-Partnership Environmental improvements         | £0                |                |                    |
| 7078     | Other income/Sidney West planting/grass             | £1,500            |                |                    |
| 7074     | WSCC roundabout/Shield Bed income                   | £16,700           | 35000000       | £51                |
| 7071     | WSCC Graffiti contract                              | £0                |                |                    |
| TOTAL IN | COME  | £30,614           | £40,711        | £10,097            |
| EXPENDI  | TIDE  |                   | - 10,111       | 2.0,007            |
| Code     | Description   | Budget 22/23      | Budget 23/24   | Var                |
|          | 35551,p.1511  | Budget 22/25      | Duaget 25/24   | vai                |
| 7012     | Allotment Rentals                                   | £800              | £900           | £100               |
| 7020     | Allotment Site Costs Improvements/Maint             | £2,000            | £2,000         | £0                 |
| 7011     | Allotments water                                    | £1,750            | £2,500         | £750               |
| 6003     | CCTV  | £1,750            | £1,750         | £0                 |
| 6004     | Christmas Lights                                    | £9,250            | £10,300        | £1,050             |
| 5510     | Cleaning contracts - office                         | £12,000           | £12,720        | £720               |
| 9003     | Council Van   | £10,100           | £9,000         | -£1,100            |
| 7005     | Dog Initiatives                                     | £3,000            | £3,520         | £520               |
| 9004     | Fuel - Van  | £3,125            | £4,500         | £1,375             |
| 7026     | Graffiti Material                                   | £750              | £750           | £0                 |
| 7015     | Lighting - Maintenance & supply                     | £6,250            | £7,000         | £750               |
| 7009     | Maintenance Contract - grounds                      | £5,000            | £1,000         | -£4,000            |
| 5511     | Maintenance Contracts - internal                    | £3,250            | £3,445         | £195               |
| 9007     | Mobile Maint -new equipment                         | £2,320            | £1,750         | -£570              |
| 7028     | Planting  | £1,250            | £1,500         | £250               |
| 9008     | Protective clothing                                 | £1,000            | £1,000         | £0                 |
| 9501     | Repairs & Renewals Fund contribution                | £8,000            | £6,000         | -£2,000            |
| 5506     | Legion building - running costs (excl loan repaymen | £5,000            | £2,500         | -£2,500            |
| 7001     | Site Improvements                                   | £3,000            | £3,000         | £0                 |
| 9005     | Storage (external)                                  | £1,350            | £1,500         | £150               |
| 7018     | Street Nameplates                                   | £5,164            | £5,164         | £0                 |
| 7029     | Traveller costs                                     | £500              | £500           | £0                 |
| 7003     | Tree Surgery Fund Contribution (3025)               | £600              | £600           | £0                 |
| 7002     | Tree Survey   | £0                | £0             | £0                 |
| 7024     | Waste management/tipping                            | £1,150            | £1,150         | £0                 |
| 9001     | Workshop  | £2,500            | £2,000         | -£500              |
|          |   |                   |                |                    |

 TOTAL EXPENDITURE
 £90,859
 £86,049
 -£4,810

 NET POSITION
 -£60,245
 -£45,338
 £14,907

### FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

| Code                      | Description                             | Budget<br>2022/23 | Budget<br>2023/24 | Variance |
|---------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|----------|
| INCOME                    |   |                   |                   |          |
| 5580                      | Room Lettings (Excl CC & smr)           | £4,900            | £6,760            | £1,860   |
| 5070                      | Interest on Balances                    | £250              | £9,638            | £9,388   |
| 6571                      | Burial Ground Income                    | £30,000           | £34,000           | £4,000   |
| 7076                      | Other income - finance (net)            | £0                | £0                | £0       |
| 5573                      | Sidney West - management charge         | £13,500           | £13,500           | £0       |
| TOTAL INCOME              |   | £48,650           | £63,898           | £15,248  |
| <b>EXPENDIT</b>           | URE                                     |                   |                   |          |
| 5001                      | Audit Fee/ Miscellaneous / Bank charges | £23,874           | £25,374           | £1,500   |
| 5019                      | Bad Debts/provsn for Doubtful debts     | £400              | £400              | £0       |
| 6504                      | Burial ground grave digging/maintenance | £16,600           | £18,900           | £2,300   |
| 4501                      | Caretaking Services                     | £450              | £450              | £(       |
| 7512                      | Technology                              | £8,000            | £9,250            | £1,250   |
| 4502                      | Election Fund contribution 3003         | £1,500            | £3,000            | £1,500   |
| 5017                      | Health & Safety                         | £500              | £250              | -£250    |
| 5007                      | Hospitality                             | £500              | £500              | £0       |
| 7502                      | Insurances                              | £8,530            | £7,800            | -£730    |
| 5508                      | Legion Building Loan Repayments         | £16,274           | £16,052           | -£222    |
| 4507                      | Members Allowances                      | £20,279           | £23,259           | £2,980   |
| 4504                      | Members Travel & Subsistence            | £200              | £200              | £0       |
| 7516                      | Mid Sx. Asspc. Of Town Councils         | £400              | £400              | £0       |
| 7510                      | Office Equipment                        | £500              | £500              | £0       |
| 7504                      | Office recycling                        | £200              | £200              | £0       |
| 7506                      | Office Supplies                         | £1,100            | £1,100            | £0       |
| 7508                      | Postages                                | £1,250            | £1,250            | £C       |
| 7509                      | Printing                                | £2,750            | £3,500            | £750     |
| 7507                      | Publications                            | £100              | £100              | £0       |
| 5517                      | Non-Domestic Rates 96 CW                | £9,400            | £10,180           | £780     |
| 5020                      | Streamline charges                      | £375              | £375              | £0       |
| 7511                      | Subscriptions                           | £4,850            | £6,900            | £2,050   |
| 7505                      | Telephone & Communications              | £8,150            | £8,890            | £740     |
| 7513                      | Toner cartridges                        | £500              | £500              | £0       |
| 7514                      | Travel & Subsistence                    | £750              | £850              | £100     |
| tilities - 96 Church Walk | Utilities - 96 Church Walk              | £7,232            | £19,394           | £12,162  |
| 9997                      | Release unrequired provisions           |                   |                   | £0       |
| TOTAL EXPE                | NDITURE                                 | £134,664          | £159,574          | £24,910  |
| NET POSITIO               | N                                       | -£86,014          | -£95,676          | -£9,662  |

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