

Council Tax and Budget Information 2020/21

Council Tax

South Norfolk Council has set a budget which funds the services provided by the District and which increases the level of Council Tax to £155.00 per year for a Band D property. South Norfolk Council also sends out Council Tax bills on behalf of other bodies – Norfolk County Council, Norfolk Police and Crime Commissioner and Parish/Town Councils and has no control over the level of Council Tax set by these bodies.

The Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government has made an offer to adult social care authorities, which in Norfolk is the County Council.

The offer is the option of an adult social care authority being able to charge a “precept” of up to 3% on its council tax for the financial year beginning in 2016 without holding a referendum, to assist the authority in meeting expenditure on adult social care. Subject to the annual approval of the House of Commons, the Secretary of State intends to offer the option of charging this “precept” at an appropriate level in each financial year up to and including the financial year 2020/21.

In relation to the financial year beginning in 2019 the Secretary of State has determined (and the House of Commons has approved) a referendum principle of 6% (comprising 3% for expenditure on adult social care and 3% for other expenditure), for adult social care authorities. These authorities may therefore set council tax up to this percentage in 2020 without holding a referendum.

Norfolk County Council is the adult social care authority for Norfolk and the increase in its Council Tax for 2020/21 includes 2% for adult social care expenditure. For more information please visit

<http://www.norfolk.gov.uk/counciltax>

Average Council Tax bill in 2020/21

Band D Equivalent Charge per annum	2019/20	2020/21
Norfolk County Council (excluding Adult Social Care Precept)	£1,266.19	£1,293.30
Adult Social Care Precept to Norfolk County Council	£96.05	£123.21
<i>Subtotal - Charge from Norfolk County Council</i>	<i>£1,362.24</i>	<i>£1,416.51</i>
Police and Crime Commissioner for Norfolk	£253.08	£263.07
South Norfolk Council	£150.00	£155.00
Parish/Town Council (average)	£78.19	£82.60
Special Expenses (Street Lighting)	£0.22	£0.22
Grand Total	£1,843.73	£1,917.40

Council Tax bills will vary depending on which Parish/Town you live in (see Pages 5 to 7). For a Band D property they will range from £1,834.58 to £2,037.31.

Bills for properties in other bands will vary in accordance with the relevant proportions of Band D values as shown below.

Band	Range of Values	Charge in relation to Band D
A	Up to £40,000	6/9ths
B	£40,001 - £52,000	7/9ths
C	£52,001 - £68,000	8/9ths
D	£68,001 - £88,000	9/9ths
E	£88,001 - £120,000	11/9ths
F	£120,001 - £160,000	13/9ths
G	£160,000 - £320,000	15/9ths
H	More than £320,000	18/9ths

This is based on Valuations as at 1st April 1991.

What you will pay for South Norfolk Council's services

South Norfolk Council's share of your Council Tax bill is 8.5%. Depending on the band your property is in, the amount you will pay that goes towards funding South Norfolk Council's services is as set out below:

Band	Per Year	Per Week
A	£103.33	£1.99
B	£120.56	£2.32
C	£137.78	£2.65
D	£155.00	£2.98
E	£189.44	£3.64
F	£223.89	£4.30
G	£258.33	£4.97
H	£310.00	£5.96

How your money is spent on local services

The Council's Budget

The Council spends the amounts shown below on services for the benefit of the people of South Norfolk.

	2020/21		
	Gross Cost	Income	Net Cost
	£000s	£000s	£000s
Expenditure and Income Attributable to Services	56,061	-42,306	13,755
Investment income/payable	192	-1,541	-1,349
Transfers to/(from) Earmarked Reserves	2,445	0	2,445
Transfers to/(from) General Fund Balance	1,837	0	1,837
Grand Total	60,535	-43,847	16,688

How the Council's Budget is funded

The Council receives funding from business rates, Council Tax and a bonus for every new home built in the District from central government:

How Net Expenditure is Funded	2020/21
	£'000
New Homes Bonus	4,522
Business Rates	4,410
Council Tax Payers:	
- South Norfolk Council (SNC)	7,745
- SNC - Street Lighting	11
Total Funding	16,688

Parishes/Towns with precepts over £140,000:

Parish/Town	Precept	Precept
	2019/20	2020/21
	£'000	£'000
Costessey Town Council. The Costessey Parish Centre, Longwater Lane, Old Costessey, Norwich, Norfolk, NR8 5AH. Telephone: 01603 742958		
Gross expenditure	801	821
Less income and use of Balances	-164	-162
Net Expenditure (Precept on South Norfolk Council)	637	659
Cringleford Parish Council. The Willows Centre, 1-13 Willowcroft Way, Cringleford, Norwich, Norfolk, NR4 7JJ. Telephone: 01603 250198		
Gross expenditure	568	560
Less income and use of Balances	-273	-259

Net Expenditure (Precept on South Norfolk Council)	295	301
Diss Town Council. 11/12 Market Hill, Diss, Norfolk, IP22 4JZ. Telephone: 01379 643848		
Gross expenditure	643	676
Less income and use of Balances	94	115
Net Expenditure (Precept on South Norfolk Council)	549	561
Hethersett Parish Council. The Village Hall, Back Lane, Hethersett, NR9 3JJ. Telephone 01603 810915		
Gross expenditure	0	158
Less income and use of Balances	0	0
Net Expenditure (Precept on South Norfolk Council)	0	158
Long Stratton Parish Council. The Street, Long Stratton, Norfolk, NR15 2AH. Telephone: 01508 530524		
Gross expenditure	149	219
Less income and use of Balances	-2	-44
Net Expenditure (Precept on South Norfolk Council)	147	175
Poringland Parish Council. Community Centre, Overtons Way, Poringland, Norfolk, NR14 7WB. Telephone 01508 492182		
Gross expenditure	271	294
Less income and use of Balances	-110	-118
Net Expenditure (Precept on South Norfolk Council)	161	176
Redenhall with Harleston Council. C/o Leisure Centre, Wilderness Lane, Harleston, IP20 9DD. Telephone: 01379 854519		
Gross expenditure	605	570
Less income and use of Balances	-278	-235
Net Expenditure (Precept on South Norfolk Council)	327	335
Wymondham Town Council. 14 Middleton Street, Wymondham, Norfolk, NR18 0AD. Telephone: 01953 603302		
Gross expenditure	548	593
Less income and use of Balances	-56	-56
Net Expenditure (Precept on South Norfolk Council)	492	537

Special Expenses (Street Lighting)

South Norfolk Council also provides footway lighting (which is classed as “special expenses”) in the following parishes/towns: Costessey, Gillingham and Loddon. In other parishes/towns this is the responsibility of the Parish/Town Council. Council tax for special expenses in the parishes/towns listed above is:

Parish/Town Council:	Costessey	Gillingham	Loddon
Council Tax Band	Amount payable	Amount payable	Amount payable
A	£0.59	£5.91	£2.69
B	£0.69	£6.90	£3.13
C	£0.79	£7.88	£3.58
D	£0.89	£8.87	£4.03
E	£1.09	£10.84	£4.93
F	£1.29	£12.81	£5.82
G	£1.48	£14.78	£6.72
H	£1.78	£17.74	£8.06

Parish Precepts

The charts below show Parish and Town Council Precepts and Council Tax amounts for Band D (Numbers in brackets indicate joint parishes).

	2019/20		2020/21	
	Precept	Band D	Precept	Band D
Alburgh	£6,000.00	£37.03	£6,000.00	£36.81
Aldeby	£8,250.00	£50.92	£8,620.02	£53.21
Alpington (1)	£5,362.00	£26.81	£7,931.50	£27.35
Ashby	£3,025.82	£24.60	£3,116.59	£25.13
Ashwellthorpe & Fundenhall	£9,041.00	£28.97	£9,719.00	£29.54
Aslacton	£2,062.50	£12.50	£2,025.00	£12.50
Barford (2)	£7,273.00	£38.27	£9,300.00	£38.27
Barnham Broom	£8,362.00	£38.00	£9,461.00	£43.20
Bawburgh	£6,500.00	£30.95	£6,500.00	£31.25
Bedingham	£900.00	£9.37	£900.00	£9.28
Bergh Apton	£4,158.00	£21.00	£4,242.00	£21.00
Bracon Ash & Hethel	£6,115.20	£33.60	£6,298.66	£34.42
Bramerton	£11,892.00	£66.43	£14,351.00	£79.73
Brandon Parva, Coston, Runhall & Welborne	£3,946.00	£27.78	£4,055.00	£27.77
Bressingham & Fersfield	£7,650.00	£22.23	£7,650.00	£22.05
Brockdish	£11,480.00	£44.15	£12,672.00	£48.18
Brooke	£13,543.00	£25.03	£16,663.32	£31.38
Broome	£3,647.00	£19.29	£5,700.00	£30.00
Bunwell	£12,638.61	£32.49	£12,800.00	£32.90
Burgh St.Peter (3)	£4,029.00	£35.03	£6,500.00	£40.88
Burston & Shimpling	£11,173.00	£54.50	£11,711.00	£55.50
Caistor & Bixley	£7,149.00	£40.16	£7,730.00	£42.24
Carleton Rode	£2,000.00	£6.99	£4,305.00	£15.00
Carleton St.Peter	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Chedgrave	£25,243.53	£65.91	£25,731.53	£67.36
Claxton	£4,335.36	£45.16	£4,535.44	£46.28
Colney	£1,730.00	£28.83	£1,873.95	£28.83
Costessey	£636,576.00	£117.94	£659,751.00	£120.90
Cringleford	£294,741.00	£157.69	£300,636.00	£160.85
Denton	£3,926.00	£24.84	£4,000.00	£25.00
Deopham & Hackford	£5,485.00	£26.49	£7,423.00	£35.52
Dickleburgh & Rushall	£35,748.00	£69.82	£36,795.00	£69.82
Diss	£548,985.00	£202.72	£560,548.00	£202.73
Ditchingham	£28,000.00	£44.80	£30,000.00	£48.08
Earsham	£14,635.00	£53.21	£15,430.00	£53.21
East Carleton (4)	£3,307.12	£25.44	£6,000.89	£26.20

	2019/20		2020/21	
	Precept	Band D	Precept	Band D
Easton	£18,757.00	£38.75	£19,138.00	£39.79
Ellingham (5)	£12,336.00	£60.47	£20,500.00	£58.74
Flordon	£4,732.00	£47.79	£5,000.00	£49.02
Forncett	£12,000.00	£26.90	£12,000.00	£26.85
Framingham Earl	£8,438.00	£18.42	£9,413.00	£21.20
Framingham Pigot	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Geldeston	£6,565.00	£38.61	£6,840.00	£40.24
Gillingham	£6,700.00	£27.45	£6,700.00	£27.02
Gissing	£5,300.00	£49.53	£5,944.00	£56.08
Great Melton	£700.00	£10.93	£800.00	£12.31
Great Moulton	£6,000.00	£21.20	£7,000.00	£24.73
Haddiscoe	£4,914.00	£25.86	£5,110.00	£27.18
Hales (6)	£5,558.00	£34.31	£9,005.00	£36.02
Heckingham (see 6)	£2,882.26	£34.31	£0.00	£36.02
Hedenham	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Hellington (7)	£813.00	£28.02	£10,500.00	£30.43
Hempnall	£17,650.00	£39.39	£17,850.00	£39.40
Hethersett	£114,000.00	£48.86	£157,960.00	£65.65
Heywood	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Hingham	£67,000.00	£72.04	£77,000.00	£81.65
Holverston	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Howe	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Keswick & Intwood	£5,799.00	£28.28	£6,000.00	£28.99
Ketteringham (see 4)	£2,519.00	£25.44	£0.00	£26.20
Kimberley & Carleton Forehoe	£1,999.96	£32.25	£2,300.00	£36.51
Kirby Bedon	£1,000.00	£14.28	£1,000.00	£13.89
Kirby Cane (see 5)	£8,164.00	£60.47	£0.00	£58.74
Kirstead	£600.00	£5.88	£1,000.00	£10.00
Langley with Hardley	£6,237.61	£45.53	£6,308.55	£46.73
Little Melton	£22,971.00	£57.57	£23,621.00	£58.47
Loddon	£79,955.00	£81.00	£129,476.00	£129.48
Long Stratton	£147,259.52	£105.56	£174,804.00	£122.76
Marlingford & Colton	£7,850.00	£49.06	£8,060.00	£50.69
Morley	£9,070.00	£45.35	£9,657.00	£47.57
Morningthorpe & Fritton	£2,750.00	£24.77	£3,000.00	£27.52
Mulbarton	£51,574.30	£39.22	£50,225.10	£37.65
Mundham	£1,044.00	£16.31	£1,578.00	£24.28
Needham	£4,000.00	£30.30	£4,000.00	£30.30
Newton Flotman	£12,216.98	£26.73	£12,461.32	£27.27
Norton Subcourse	£2,410.00	£23.39	£2,526.12	£23.39
Poringland	£161,235.54	£85.90	£175,938.41	£89.58
Pulham Market	£26,380.07	£68.51	£26,908.00	£69.89
Pulham St.Mary	£24,108.98	£71.54	£24,809.80	£72.97
Raveningham	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Redenhall with Harleston	£327,143.00	£194.96	£334,947.00	£198.66

	2019/20		2020/21	
	Precept	Band D	Precept	Band D
Rockland St.Mary (see 7)	£8,687.00	£28.02	£0.00	£30.43
Roydon	£24,100.00	£28.55	£25,000.00	£29.55
Saxlingham Nethergate	£11,807.69	£39.75	£12,084.00	£39.75
Scole	£23,400.00	£48.24	£24,515.00	£50.13
Seething	£3,845.40	£24.65	£3,894.70	£24.65
Shelfanger	£4,500.00	£27.77	£4,590.00	£28.16
Shelton & Hardwick	£1,000.00	£9.09	£1,030.00	£9.36
Shotesham	£6,300.00	£25.81	£6,530.00	£26.33
Sisland	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Spooner Row	£24,044.80	£88.40	£20,297.80	£71.22
Starston	£6,552.00	£46.80	£6,716.00	£47.97
Stockton	£0.00	£0.00	£300.00	£12.00
Stoke Holy Cross	£28,000.00	£38.99	£41,073.00	£56.50
Surlingham	£7,348.00	£24.33	£7,639.00	£25.55
Swainsthorpe	£6,422.00	£44.59	£6,550.00	£46.45
Swardeston	£5,824.00	£21.73	£5,873.62	£22.16
Tacolneston	£10,075.00	£33.25	£18,000.00	£59.60
Tasburgh	£21,753.82	£52.92	£21,700.82	£52.93
Tharston & Hapton	£21,876.00	£56.96	£23,000.00	£59.13
Thurlton	£6,750.00	£24.10	£7,088.00	£24.36
Thurton	£7,426.00	£35.87	£9,283.00	£45.06
Thwaite	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Tibenham	£4,107.00	£22.20	£4,196.00	£22.20
Tivetshall	£9,800.00	£45.16	£10,450.00	£47.50
Toft Monks	£3,355.04	£23.13	£3,522.00	£24.29
Topcroft	£2,600.00	£24.76	£2,800.00	£26.67
Trowse with Newton	£67,006.00	£210.71	£47,500.00	£128.73
Wacton	£17,000.00	£124.08	£17,510.00	£126.88
Wheatacre (see 3)	£1,471.00	£35.03	£0.00	£40.88
Wicklewood	£5,000.00	£12.50	£11,000.00	£27.57
Winfarthing	£3,944.15	£20.65	£4,044.09	£21.06
Woodton	£9,260.00	£51.16	£10,445.00	£58.35
Wortwell	£24,348.00	£115.94	£24,761.00	£117.35
Wrampingham (see 2)	£1,952.00	£38.27	£0.00	£38.27
Wreningham	£8,611.00	£38.78	£8,740.00	£38.50
Wymondham	£492,565.00	£88.40	£536,838.00	£91.94
Yelverton (see 1)	£2,037.56	£26.81	£0.00	£27.35