SCHEDULE I

Members Allowances

Amounts payable from May, 2020

Note: The Basic Allowance, Special Responsibility Allowances, Co-optees' Allowance and Independent Persons Allowance are to be indexed to the annual percentage salary increase for Local Government staff (at spinal point 49) to be implemented from the start of the municipal year rather than the financial year for which it is applicable.

Basic Allowance

Payable annually to each Councillor

£5,134

Special Responsibility Allowances

The following are specified as the special responsibilities in respect of which Special Responsibility Allowances are payable annually and the amounts of those allowances: -

Leader of the Council	£12,835	
Deputy Leader	£8,344	
Cabinet Members (Portfolio Holders):	£7,336	
Chairs of Scrutiny Panels:	£4,040	
Chairs of Regulatory and Other Committees:		
Licensing	£2,692	
 Planning Applications 	£4,771	
Audit & Standards	£2,692	
Leader of the Political Group, which is not the controlling	£2,692	
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Group, or if there are more than two Political Groups, the Leader of the larger or largest of the Groups other than the controlling Group. In the event of there being two Political Groups other than the controlling Group, of equal size, the allowance shall be split equally between the Leaders of those two Groups.

All Members - Allowance for Use of Telephone	£383
Statutory Co-opted Members (Standards) (plus travel, etc.)	£237
Co-opted Members (Scrutiny) (plus travel, etc)	£237
Independent Persons* – per half day session (no longer than four hours)	£30.83

^{*} This payment is made for:

i. Attending a meeting of Audit & Standards Committee or any Sub-Committee of Audit & Standards Committee

ii. Attending a meeting where the Chair of the Audit & Standards Committee or Monitoring Officer is present.