INFORMATION ITEM



REPORT OF	MEETING	DATE	ITEM NO
MANAGEMENT TEAM	FINANCE AND DEMOCRACY COMMITTEE	23 JANUARY 2017	8
BUDGET SETTING – REVENUE BUDGET 2017/18 - FIRST DRAFT			

This item is for consideration in the public part of the meeting.

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

The first draft of the revenue budget for 2017/18 has been prepared and is available via the link below. As in previous years, the budget has been prepared on a continuation basis and has been updated to reflect all Committee and Council decisions made to date, the outcome of the budget-rightsizing exercise and all virements.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION: Revenue Budget Book 2017/18 – First Draft

LINK TO INFORMATION

http://www.fylde.gov.uk/council/finance/17.18

WHY IS THIS INFORMATION BEING GIVEN TO THE COMMITTEE?

The provision of a first draft of the 2017/18 Revenue Budget to the Council's Programme Committees is referenced within the Timetable for Developing Budget Proposals 2017/18 report which was approved by the Finance and Democracy Committee at the meeting of 26th September 2016.

This allows members of each Programme Committee to review the draft revenue budget for the services within the Committee's terms of reference and to provide any comments or feedback as appropriate to the committee lead officer, service Director or budget holders.

This first draft does not reflect any changes to fees and charges for 2017/18 as these will be considered by Programme Committees during the January cycle of meetings. Nor does it reflect any revenue growth items or the revenue implications of capital bids. A further budget-rightsizing exercise will be carried out early in 2017 and this first draft will be updated to reflect any changes arising from that piece of work.

The final revenue budget for 2017/18 will include any subsequent decisions made and will be presented to Members for approval at the Council meeting on 2nd March 2017.

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