

Council, police, fire, parish, town or community precepts and other levies

| | 2025-26 | | | 2024-25 | | | Band D Council Tax Increase(+ve)/Reduction(-ve) |
|---|-----------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------------------|---|
| | Tax Base | Precept £ | Council Tax Band D(*) £ | Tax Base | Precept £ | Council Tax Band D(*) £ | |
| Isle of Wight Council | 57,697.1 | 115,607,679 | 2,003.70 | 54,407.3 | 103,830,347 | 1,908.39 | 5.0% |
| Police & Crime Commissioner for Hampshire | 57,697.1 | 15,893,243 | 275.46 | 54,407.3 | 14,225,333 | 261.46 | 5.4% |
| Hampshire & Isle of Wight Fire & Rescue Authority | 57,697.1 | 5,068,113 | 87.84 | 54,407.3 | 4,507,101 | 82.84 | 6.0% |
| Parish/Town/Community Council | | | | | | | |
| Arreton | 396.6 | 19,500 | 49.17 | 381.6 | 18,000 | 47.17 | 4.2% |
| Bembridge | 2,321.1 | 262,398 | 113.05 | 2,077.6 | 245,561 | 118.19 | -4.3% |
| Brading | 795.1 | 83,270 | 104.73 | 777.9 | 81,725 | 105.06 | -0.3% |
| Brighthstone | 940.4 | 49,635 | 52.78 | 865.7 | 46,670 | 53.91 | -2.1% |
| Calbourne, Newtown & Porchfield | 415.1 | 20,000 | 48.18 | 380.9 | 21,290 | 55.89 | -13.8% |
| Chale | 269.1 | 18,500 | 68.75 | 251.2 | 17,787 | 70.81 | -2.9% |
| Chillerton & Gatcombe | 189.4 | 17,118 | 90.38 | 183.9 | 13,650 | 74.23 | 21.8% |
| Cowes | 4,514.3 | 531,214 | 117.67 | 4,225.3 | 355,900 | 84.23 | 39.7% |
| East Cowes | 2,804.7 | 430,457 | 153.48 | 2,694.9 | 371,950 | 138.02 | 11.2% |
| Fishbourne | 452.7 | 17,000 | 37.55 | 421.4 | 17,000 | 40.34 | -6.9% |
| Freshwater | 2,801.5 | 557,362 | 198.95 | 2,530.8 | 512,004 | 202.31 | -1.7% |
| Godshill | 616.3 | 47,640 | 77.30 | 582.1 | 47,300 | 81.26 | -4.9% |
| Gurnard | 1,032.3 | 61,605 | 59.68 | 912.2 | 60,186 | 65.98 | -9.5% |
| Havenstreet & Ashe | 391.7 | 20,568 | 52.51 | 373.5 | 18,881 | 50.55 | 3.9% |
| Lake | 1,746.5 | 289,582 | 165.81 | 1,682.1 | 275,093 | 163.54 | 1.4% |
| Nettlestone & Seaview | 2,180.1 | 125,183 | 57.42 | 1,773.3 | 121,614 | 68.58 | -16.3% |
| Newchurch | 1,140.0 | 21,500 | 18.86 | 1,109.6 | 21,500 | 19.38 | -2.7% |
| Newport & Carisbrooke | 8,380.6 | 840,346 | 100.27 | 8,224.1 | 784,765 | 95.42 | 5.1% |
| Niton & Whitwell | 1,048.0 | 53,721 | 51.26 | 975.2 | 53,721 | 55.09 | -7.0% |
| Northwood | 885.5 | 37,000 | 41.78 | 858.5 | 35,000 | 40.77 | 2.5% |
| Rookley | 268.2 | 13,300 | 49.59 | 267.0 | 9,000 | 33.71 | 47.1% |
| Ryde | 8,488.3 | 1,567,325 | 184.65 | 8,259.8 | 1,494,826 | 180.98 | 2.0% |
| Sandown | 2,600.5 | 625,332 | 240.47 | 2,465.0 | 573,852 | 232.80 | 3.3% |
| Shalfleet | 815.9 | 51,517 | 63.14 | 756.0 | 51,517 | 68.14 | -7.3% |
| Shanklin | 3,795.7 | 425,000 | 111.97 | 3,607.1 | 360,000 | 99.80 | 12.2% |
| Shorwell | 342.5 | 18,480 | 53.96 | 322.3 | 17,600 | 54.61 | -1.2% |
| St Helens | 626.8 | 43,424 | 69.28 | 569.5 | 38,245 | 67.16 | 3.2% |
| Totland | 1,504.8 | 230,000 | 152.84 | 1,372.5 | 230,000 | 167.58 | -8.8% |
| Ventnor | 2,860.6 | 599,033 | 209.41 | 2,559.0 | 475,717 | 185.90 | 12.6% |
| Whippingham | 422.8 | 18,000 | 42.57 | 413.0 | 18,000 | 43.58 | -2.3% |
| Wootton Bridge | 1,440.9 | 96,000 | 66.63 | 1,412.1 | 92,000 | 65.15 | 2.3% |
| Wroxall | 620.5 | 28,235 | 45.50 | 598.8 | 25,035 | 41.81 | 8.8% |
| Yarmouth | 588.6 | 71,250 | 121.05 | 523.4 | 71,250 | 136.13 | -11.1% |
| Totals (Parish/Town/Community Council) | 57,697.1 | 7,290,495 | 126.36 | 54,407.3 | 6,576,640 | 120.88 | 4.5% |

* The Council Tax Band D is calculated as the Precept divided by the Tax Base.

The council is required to show costs in this table as they affect band D council taxpayers.

In accordance with government guidelines we are required to detail parish or town council precepts exceeding £140,000. This is shown in the table below:-

| Parish/Town/Community Council | 2025-26 | | | 2024-25 | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | Gross Spend £ | Income £ | Reserve movement £ | Precept requirement £ | Precept requirement £ |
| Bembridge | 247,398 | -20,000 | 35,000 | 262,398 | 245,561 |
| Cowes | 531,214 | 0 | 0 | 531,214 | 355,900 |
| East Cowes | 570,807 | -90,350 | -50,000 | 430,457 | 371,950 |
| Freshwater | 770,248 | -2,500 | -210,386 | 557,362 | 512,004 |
| Lake | 344,677 | -4,325 | -50,770 | 289,582 | 275,093 |
| Newport | 840,346 | 0 | 0 | 840,346 | 784,765 |
| Ryde | 1,782,037 | -217,313 | 2,600 | 1,567,325 | 1,494,826 |
| Sandown | 742,351 | -87,997 | -29,022 | 625,332 | 573,852 |
| Shanklin | 456,316 | 0 | -31,316 | 425,000 | 360,000 |
| Totland | 265,150 | -33,353 | -1,798 | 230,000 | 230,000 |
| Ventnor | 745,895 | -151,862 | 5,000 | 599,033 | 475,717 |

Please note: commentary by individual parish or town councils in respect of their budget for 2025/26 is provided in appropriate communications such as newsletters or websites.

The council is required to pay a levy to the organisations shown below. Further information on the functions and budgets is available on the respective organisations' websites.

| | 2025-26 | 2024-25 |
|---|--------------------|---------|
| | amount levied £ | |
| Southern Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority Levy | 129,499 | 121,345 |
| Flood and Coastal Erosion Risk Management Levy (Environment Agency) | 49,649 | 46,169 |