

"Pride in the Community"

Council tax bills have arrived and as with normal protocol the Parish Council use this medium to explain about the precept charges.

A Parish Council can raise a local tax (the precept) which is collected via the Council Tax and paid to us by Trafford Council. The precept is paid by every household and varies in accordance to your property band in the same way as the Council Tax.

At the Parish Council meeting of 11th December 2024, the Parish Council RESOLVED that there will be NO increase to the 2025/2026 Parish precept charge. Trafford Council were informed of this decision.

The precept bandings for 2025-2026 are as follows:

Band A	43.37
Band B	50.59
Band C	57.82
Band D	65.05
Band E	79.51
Band F	93.96
Band G	108.42
Band H	130.10

The existing Community Improvement operatives' team will continue to make a presence in our community and strive to carry out improvements where needed in the village. The established levels of service will continue to be maintained and grow with each passing year. However, it is important to note that the Parish Community Improvement operatives are a '**top up**' service that works alongside Trafford Council, Amey/One Trafford, L & Q Group and Your Housing Group under the M31 project and the Ward Cllrs. We will continue to be a 'helping hand' in our community.

The Environmental Committee Cllrs have designed a budget that will be solely allocated to areas and up & coming events within our Community.

Fly tipped rubbish is defined as 'dumped rubbish on a site that is not licenced to accept waste, the waste may include general household rubbish larger household items, ie. mattresses, fridges, garden refuse or commercial waste.' It is an offence that can lead to a fine or imprisonment and will be reported to the Trafford Council Environmental Improvement Officers who will actively try to find evidence of people fly tipping and will act against those individuals. If you see this offence being committed in our community, please report online via the Trafford Council or the Your Housing Group portal. It is the homeowner's responsibility to ensure that the waste carrier they appoint to remove their rubbish is a licensed waste carrier.

www.trafford.gov.uk/residents/report-it.aspx or www.yourhousinggroup.co.uk/contct-us/

2024/25 Parish Council meetings:

Are held on the second Wednesday of each month at 6pm at The Rainbow Café, Healthy Living Centre, Central Road, Partington.

Disclaimer: dates may have to be rescheduled so please consult the website for more information on meeting dates.

www.partingtonparishcouncil.gov.uk

All parishioners are welcome.

Please use the space below to leave your comments and return them to the Parish Council, details below.

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Comments:

The Parish Council office, which is situated at the Community Centre, 99 Central Road, Partington, M31 4FL.

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Details of all your local councillors are available from the office.