



BRADFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

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The Precept is the request made by Bradfield Parish Council to Tendring District Council (precepting authority) for its part of the annual council tax charged on each residential property in the town to fund the activities and services provided by the Council.

The amount to be collected from residents in 2025/26 to spend on local services and facilities, will be £71,500. This sets the Bradfield proportion of the annual council tax for a Band D property as £143.92, which represents a 0.4% increase on the current financial year (2024-25) and equates to £2.76 per week.

In the hope to reduce the impact on residents of soaring costs impacted by inflation such as utility prices and a significant rise in operational costs, internal cost cutting measures remain for the Council to keep its levels of funding in those areas that support the community.

The Parish Council will monitor the budget throughout the financial year to ensure it continues to provide best value whilst continuing to deliver the necessary amenities within the village, such as the Village Hall, Cemetery, Street Lighting and Recreation Ground.

<u>Funding Area</u>	<u>Income</u> £	<u>Expenditure</u> £
Precept	71,500	
Grants and Donations	1000	
Solar Farm	5,200	
Operational	11,300	
Street Lighting		8,000
Recreation Ground and Play Area		7,000
Maintenance: Grass Cutting, Hedge Cutting, etc		25,300
Resources: Operational and Administration		39,820
Projects: VE Day 80, National Events, village projects		25,200
<u>Ear Marked Reserves (EMR)</u>		
War Memorial	26,133	
Village Gates (to be renamed)	1,482	
Solar Farm Income	7,652	
New Cemetery land	60	
New Bin Cemetery	33	
<u>TOTAL</u>	124,360	105,320