



Freedom of Information Request FOI 26 67

Mobilisations and attendances Ramsbury, names of MPs invited to public consultation and council tax query

Query and Response:

I was advised by your colleague to request by the FOI act the following details-

1. *All incidents Ramsbury Fire engine has been involved in from the start date of the study for the consultation.*

Please find attached the number of mobilisations and incidents attended by the Ramsbury appliance between 1 April 2019 and 28 February 2026.

2. *The names of the 15 MP's invited to the meeting in Salisbury regarding this situation.*

The following MPs were invited to the public meeting in Salisbury on 26 February 2026:

**Dr Roz Savage MP
Heidi Alexander MP
Jessica Toale MP
Lloyd Hatton MP
Sir Christopher Chope OBE MP
Tom Hayes MP
Vikki Slade MP
Will Stone MP
Simon Hoare MP
Dr Andrew Murrison MP
Neil Duncan-Jordan MP
Edward Morello MP
Danny Kruger MP
Dr Brian Matthew MP
John Glen MP**

3. *Am I right in understanding that the Government is the body that has put the ceiling of £5 you can receive from the council tax nationwide.*

Yes, it is central Government that set the maximum amount that the Council Tax (Band D) can be increased by without the need to hold a referendum.

Further information about this source of funding is available via the Government website:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/final-local-government-finance-settlement-england-2026-2027-to-2028-2029>



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One third of the way down there is a link to 'Referendums relating to Council Tax increases (Principles) (England) Report 2026 to 2027.

More information about how we are funded and our budget can be found on our website:

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Information accurate on the date provided: 26 March 2026