TONBRIDGE & MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF OFFICER DECISION

| Decision Taken By: Director of Finance & Transformation | Decision No: |
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| | DFT 22-035 |
| Delegated Authority (under which decision taken): | |
| Authority delegated to the Director of Finance and Transformation under Part 3 of the Constitution and set out in the Scheme of Functions delegated to Officers. | |
| Decision Type: | Non-Key |
| Date of Decision: | 5 December 2022 |

Decision(s) and Reason(s)

COUNCIL TAX TAXBASE 2023/24

The Council is required to set its tax base for the forthcoming financial year, and notify it to the major precepting authorities, during the period 1 December to 31 January. Delegated authority is granted to Director of Finance and Transformation as the s151 officer to set the taxbase and notify accordingly.

The taxbase for 2023/24 has been set. This shows that there are 52,706.29 Band D equivalent properties within the Borough, compared to 52,246.97 in 2022/23. This represents an increase of approx. 0.9% in the overall tax base for the Borough.

Annexes 1 and 2 set out the detail of the taxbase calculations. Major and local precepting authorities have been notified accordingly

Reason: The Director of Finance and Transformation, in the role as S151 officer, has authority to set the taxbase for the forthcoming financial year 2023/24 based on data as at 1 December 2022.

Details of any Alternatives Considered:

N/A

Reason(s) why rejected:

Conflicts of Interest/Dispensations Granted:

There were no conflicts of interest declared or dispensations granted by or to any Member who was consulted in respect of this decision.

Background Papers (if any):

Annexes 1 and 2

Signed: Director of Finance and
TransformationS SheltonDate of publication:15 December 2022

This decision will come into force immediately as 'call in' does not apply as authority has been delegated to the Director of Finance and Transformation as s151 officer.