

**TO: ADULT SOCIAL CARE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL
19th OCTOBER 2016**

**LOCAL COUNCIL TAX DISCOUNT SCHEME
Director of Adult Social Care, Health and Housing**

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To offer the Overview and Scrutiny Panel an opportunity to discuss the proposed changed model for the Local Council Tax Discount Scheme.

2 RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 **That the panel considers the proposed model for the Local Council Tax Discount Scheme and provides comments.**

3 REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 At its meeting on the 27th September 2016 the Executive agreed the proposed Local Council Tax Discount Scheme at Appendix A as a basis for consultation

4 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 4.1 The Local Council Tax Discount Scheme report to Executive is attached at Appendix A.
- 4.2 Consultation will take place via the Council's consultation portal, direct mailshot to customers in receipt of council tax reduction, email to all households on the Council's Abrisas system and via posters at the Time Square reception office. Consultation will also take place with the precept authorities such as the Parish Council's and Thames Valley Police and Berkshire Fire and Rescue.

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