PUBLIC NOTICE: COUNCIL TAX INCREASE 2019-20

On 23 January 2019, following much consideration and discussion, Croxdale and Hett Parish Council agreed to increase its Precept from £11,500.00 to £13,500.00, resulting in an increase of £2,000 (16.99%) and equivalent Band D charge of £45.03 (compared to £38.49 in 2018/19).

Please see detailed breakdown below of the various Council Tax Bandings and what the % increase actually means in monetary value. For example, if you live in a Band D property, the 16.99% results in an increase of £6.54.

	Precept	Band A	Band B	Band C	Band D	Band E	Band F	Band G	Band H
2018/19	11,500	25.66	29.94	34.21	38.49	47.04	55.60	64.15	76.98
2019/20	13,500	30.02	35.02	40.03	45.03	55.04	65.04	75.05	90.06
Council Tax Increase Per Band 2019/20	2,000	4.36	5.09	5.81	6.54	7.99	9.45	10.90	13.08
% Change		16.99%	16.99%	16.99%	16.99%	16.99%	16.99%	16.99%	16.99%

In comparison to other local Town / Parishes, please see their Band D charges below for your information:

Brancepeth	£71.40				
Brandon & Byshottles	£40.08				
Coxhoe	£95.14				
Spennymoor	£219.71				

The increase is to ensure there are sufficient funds in 2019/20 on reflection of careful forward planning for budget pressures and use of reserves that the Parish Council has identified.

If you require any further information, or have any questions, please contact the Parish Clerk in writing at croxdalehettpc@gmail.com

Croxdale and Hett Parish Council Dated: 27 February 2019