

APPENDIX 2

Member comments:-

Cllr Peter Lloyd-Jones

If one ignored the current financial position of the Council, then there would seem to be an argument for a small increase in the basic allowance. The existing basic allowance is almost exactly 90% of the average.

I appreciate that 90% is considered by the panel to be acceptable, but should we not be aiming for 100%?

Maybe this is not the right time!

I have otherwise no comments. The two proposed increases are clearly fully justified.