

## STRATTON ST MARGARET PARISH COUNCIL

### Agenda Item 16

<b>Meeting</b>	Full Council
<b>Date</b>	Tuesday 14 May 2019
<b>Report Title</b>	<b>Councillors Allowance</b>
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The Council is required to agree if it wishes for elected members to receive a yearly allowance which is paid monthly in accordance with the Local Authorities (Members' Allowances) (England) Regulations 2003.

Attached is a recommendation from Swindon Borough Council's Remuneration Panel. The Parish Council can follow these recommendations or agree its own allowance or decide not to take an allowance.

Co-opted Councillors are not eligible for an allowance, however they can be reimbursed for travel outside of the Parish and printing costs, ink etc.

All Councillors receive the same annual amount with exception of the Chairman who receives a higher amount allowance. Allowances are taxable.