

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

Your request for information has now been considered and the Council's response to your questions is shown below.

You asked:

- 1. What was the percentage change in your D-Band council tax level for 2013-2014?**

ANSWER:

2%

- 2. When setting the Council Tax, which councillors voted:**

- a) For**
- b) Against**
- c) Abstained**

In setting that level of tax?

- 3. A breakdown of the voting by political parties and political council groups.**

See below the answer to questions 2& 3.

Under the Councils Constitution (Council Procedure Rule 29) a recorded vote is only taken where 3 Councillors present at the meeting request it. No such request was made in relation to this item so the information requested was not recorded.

A copy of the minutes of the meeting can be found on the Council's website at:

<http://www.cabinet.leicester.gov.uk:8071/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=81&MIId=5141&Ver=4>

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http://www.leicester.public-i.tv/core/portal/webcast_interactive/82513

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