

PAYMENT OF COUNCILLORS' ALLOWANCES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR APRIL 2008 – MARCH 2009

North Hertfordshire District Council's 49 Councillors are entitled to claim allowances for their work as elected representatives.

A Councillor's Basic Allowance covers the time devoted by Councillors to their work both in Council meetings, as well as meetings with constituents, site visits, correspondence and telephone calls.

Special Responsibility Allowances (SRAs) were paid to Councillors who held the following posts designated by the Council:

Leader of the Council (and Cabinet Chairman); Deputy Leader of the Council; Cabinet Portfolio Holders; Chairman of Scrutiny Committee: Chairman of Performance, Audit & Review Committee; Chairmen of Area Committees; Chairman of North Hertfordshire Highways Joint Member Panel (where a Member of NHDC); Chairman of Planning & Control Committee and Leaders of the Opposition Political Groups.

The Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Council are also entitled to receive allowances.

Councillors are also entitled to claim expenses for travelling, subsistence and an allowance for Childcare and Dependants' Carers.

The gross amounts paid to each Councillor during the Financial Year from 1 April 2008 to 31 March 2009 are set out below. Details of the payments can be inspected during normal office hours by any person whose name appears on the current register of electors.

This information is also displayed on the Council's website – www.north-herts.gov.uk (see About Your Council/Democracy/Councillors' Allowances).

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COUNCILLOR	ALLOWANCES (BASIC & SRA) (£)	EXPENSES (£)	TOTAL (£)
Mrs A.G. Ashley	7,795.10	243.02	8,038.12
A. Bardett	4,195.11	3,615.57	7,810.68
D.J. Barnard	6,567.96	1,000.83	7,568.79
Liz Beardwell	3,621.96	56.35	3,678.31
David Billing	3,621.96	364.83	3,986.73
Judi Billing	6,567.96	669.34	7,237.30
John Bishop	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
S. Bloxham	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
Clare Body	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
John Booth	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
Tom Brindley	3,621.96	1,293.53	4,915.49
P.C.W. Burt	3,621.96	245.37	3,867.33
Paul Clark	3,621.96	379.80	4,001.76
J.M. Cunningham	6,201.96	0.00	6,201.96
Melissa Davey	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
Lee Downie	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
Tricia Gibbs	7,986.00	661.55	8,647.55

Jane Gray	7,269.00	540.45	7,809.45
Gary Grindal	3,851.96	171.40	4023.36
Fiona Hill	7,277.08	948.59	8,225.67
T.W. Hone	9,165.96	388.46	9,554.42
A.F. Hunter	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
R.E. Inwood	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
Arthur Jarman	350.51	0.00	350.51
Sal Jarvis	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
S.K. Jarvis	5,708.42	0.00	5,708.42
David Kearns	3,913.33	0.00	3,913.33
Lorna Kercher	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
Joan Kirby	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
Marilyn Kirkland	3,621.96	9.50	3,631.46
I.J. Knighton	7,986.00	0.00	7,986.00
David Levett	6,567.96	0.00	6,567.96
Bernard Lovewell	7,986.00	461.50	8,447.50
Ian Mantle	350.51	0.00	350.51
Paul Marment	3,271.45	0.00	3,271.45
H.M. Marshall	3,621.96	777.20	4,399.16
Alan Millard	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
D. Miller	4,410.67	483.39	4,894.06
M.R.M. Muir	6,203.67	483.11	6,686.78
Elliot Needham	3,271.45	0.00	3,271.45
Mrs L.A. Needham	7,986.00	58.70	7,954.70
L.W. Oliver	6,203.67	284.80	6,488.47
M. Paterson	3,271.45	0.00	3,271.45
D. Sangha	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
R.L. Shakespeare-Smith	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
F.J. Smith	10,824.00	1,984.14	12,808.14
M. Stears - Handscomb	5,616.25	232.29	5,848.54
Mrs C.P.A. Strong	7,963.94	1,266.32	9,230.26
R.A.C. Thake	7,986.00	0.00	7,986.00
M.E. Weeks	3,621.96	0.00	3,621.96
A.D. Young	3,986.25	0.00	3,986.25