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Dear Councillors

Thank you for taking the time to read and provide feedback on New Forest District Councils budget consultation.

With increased financial pressures set against falling central government support along with a cap on the rise in precepts New Forest District Council is faced with difficult and sometimes unpalatable choices.

I recall that your parish was one of those that experienced difficulties with the recent change in waste collection and, quite rightly, called for these to be addressed however, across the forest, those adaptions gave rise to over one million pounds of additional costs, cost that have to be accounted for within a balanced budget.

In parallel to this consultation process, work is concluding on several reviews so that we can arrive at a full range of options and impacts, and these alongside the consultation responses, will be presented to Cabinet and then on to Council for formal consideration.

Your views, along with all those we receive , will be taken into consideration as we move forward with this difficult and complex budget setting process

Yours faithfully

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