

GOOLE TOWN COUNCIL

The following figures indicate the projected amounts spent on the various services provided by Goole Town Council for the year 2017/2018 and the estimated expenditure for the year 2018/2019:-

	2017/2018 Projected £	2018/2019 Proposed Budget £
Gross Operating Expenditure:	1,313,486	1,338,940
Gross Capital Expenditure:	32,000	6,000
Gross Operating Income:	450,185	464,556
Gross Income from Grants	40,350	0
Net Expenditure:	854,951	880,384
Funded by:		
Amount of Precept:	885,650	914,500
General Fund Opening Balance:	51,277	142,156
surplus/(deficit) for the year:	37,609	15,215
Financed from/(to) reserves during the yr:	53,270	0
General Fund Projected Closing Balance:	142,156	157,371
Band D Council Tax	£176.20	£179.68
Net Expenditure includes the following:-		
Allotments:	-3326	-2051
Amenities:	316705	328971
Arts & Leisure:	131,343	129,035
Market:	49,471	50,461
Central Services:	369,108	373,968
Capital Development:	-8,350	0
NET EXPENDITURE:	854,951	880,384

The services provided come under the following categories:-

Arts & Leisure	-	Provision of Junction in Paradise Place for live theatre, music, films and dance, Community Arts activities, Street Theatre, Youth Theatre, Fireworks Display, Summer Outdoor Concerts and entertainment. The Council also supports Old Goole Gala.
C.C.T.V. System	-	Provision and operating costs of 11 CCTV cameras at locations within the town and 2 at West Park. Monitoring costs amount to £96,180 net (£100,645 for 2017/18).
Allotments	-	Manages and maintains 271 allotments in the town.
Street Decorations	-	Provision of Christmas Lights during the festive season and Hanging Baskets during spring/summer.
Community Rooms	-	Management and maintenance of Community Rooms at Junction.
Parks, Gardens & open spaces	-	Management and maintenance of West Park, South Park, Riverside Gardens and other gardens in the area along with the Mayfield/Broompark nature reserves.
Cemetery	-	Management and maintenance of Hook Road Cemetery.
Market	-	Management and maintenance of Goole Market.
Play Areas	-	Management and maintenance of 11 play areas in the town, 2 skateparks and 2 BMX tracks.
Sports Areas	-	Management and maintenance of facilities at Victoria Pleasure Ground, West Park, South Park and Kent Road.
Service level agreements	-	The Council provides financial support for Remembrance Day and the Seaman's Remembrance Service.

Due to the change in the council tax base by central government, the precept of 914,500 means that the actual council tax paid by residents will increase by 1.98% on the previous year.

If you have any queries regarding the above please contact Goole Town Council
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