NORTH NORFOLK DISTRICT COUNCIL
LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2000
THE LOCAL AUTHORITY (MEMBERS' ALLOWANCES) (ENGLAND) REGULATIONS 2003

North Norfolk District Council has made a scheme of allowances for Councillors. Copies of the scheme are available for inspection during normal opening hours.

With effect from 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2027, the allowances payable under the scheme are as follows: -

A Basic Allowance to all elected Councillors of £6,920.00 pa (to include £180 Broadband Allowance).

Special Responsibility Allowances (a maximum of one per Councillor) payable per annum to the holders of the following positions:

Leader	£20,760.00
Deputy Leader	£17,992.00
Cabinet Members x 7	£16,123.60
Committee Chairmen –	
Overview & Scrutiny	£11,556.40
Governance, Risk & Audit	£11,556.40
Development	£12,110.00
Licensing Committee	£6920.00 + £138.40 per meeting chaired
Standards Committee	£6920.00 + £138.40 per meeting chaired
Vice-Chairman of Development Committee	£8,650.00
Chairman of Council	£10,380.00
Vice-Chairman of Council	£8,650.00
Leader of main Opposition Group	£9,688.00
Leader of smaller Opposition Group	£7,958.00

(The above Special Responsibilities Allowances all include the basic allowance of £6,920.00)

Co-opted Members £138.40 per meeting attended

Co-opted Members and Member Champions eligible for travel and subsistence payments.

Travel payable for approved duties calculated in accordance with the prevailing national levels for local authority Councillors.

Family and friends' carer's allowance rate: up to £10 per hour.
Higher rate of carer's allowance in exceptional circumstances: authority delegated to the Democratic Services Manager to consider payments for carer's allowance on a case-by-case basis.

Subsistence payments are at the following rates: breakfast - £6.88; lunch - £8.00; dinner - £20.00. Breakfast will only be payable when an overnight stay is required.

There is an option for Councillors not to claim allowances, in part or full.

NOTE: The above Scheme is subject to index-linked increases aligned to the Officers' Scheme when awarded.

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