COMPARISON OF THE PROPOSED MEMBERS' ALLOWANCE SCHEME 2024/25 AGAINST THE LAST QUADRENNIAL REVIEW OF THE EAST KENT JOINT INDEPENDENT **REMUNERATION PANEL**

Position	Number	Dover District Council	EKJIRP Recommended
		Proposed 2023/24	Levels
		(£)	(£)
Basic Allowance	32	5,000	7,590
Chairman of the Council	1	5,300	5,300
Vice-Chairman of the Council	1	1,400	1,400
Leader	1	18,000	18,974
Deputy Leader	1	9,000	12,523
Cabinet Member	5	6,750	11,384
Opposition Group Leader (>10 members)	1	5,061	6,261
Opposition Group Leader (5-9 members)	0	232	1,897
Opposition Group Leader (<5 members)	1	0	0
Opposition Deputy Group Leader (>10 members)	1	2,250	3,795
Opposition Deputy Group Leader (5-9 members)	0	0	0
Opposition Deputy Group Leader (<5 members)	1	0	0
Shadow Cabinet	5	2,250	3,795
MAJOR Committee Chairman (Planning / Governance / Scrutiny)	3	4,500	9,487
MAJOR Committee Vice-Chairman (Planning / Governance / Scrutiny)	3	1,125	3,795
MINOR Committee Chairman (Regulatory/Licensing/JTB/General Purposes)	4	1,125	3,795
MINOR Committee Vice-Chairman (Regulatory/Licensing/JTB/General Purposes)	4	281	1,897
Member of the Licensing Committee	15	315	0
Independent Person	2	927	927

<u>Travel and Subsistence</u> The Panel recommends that travel and subsistence allowances be no greater than the levels set by HMRC.

Dependant Carers' Allowance

The Panel recommends that the Dependant Carers' Allowance be paid at the level of actual cost incurred.