

**Council Tax and Business Rates
Collection Rates 2015-2016**

Business Rates 2015/2016

Appendix 10

Current Year Charges - 2015/2016		
Monitoring Period	% Collected at 31.03.2016	2015/2016 Target
	98.47%	98.15%
Comparison with 2014/2015	31.03.2015	% Collected 31.03.2015
	98.12%	98.12%

The end of year collection rate is above the target

Previous Years Charges Outstanding in 2015/2016		
Monitoring Period	Amount outstanding at 31.03.2016	2015/2016 Target
	£640,394	£690,000
Comparison with 2014/2015	Amount outstanding at 31.03.2015	Amount outstanding at 31.03.2015
	£744,809	£744,809

The arrears outstanding are below the target. We continue to work with any businesses having difficulty in paying

Council Tax 2015/2016

Current Year Charges - 2015/2016		
Monitoring Period	% Collected at 31.03.2016	2015/2016 Target
	98.17%	98.12%
Comparison with 2014/2015	As at 31.03.2015	% Collected 31.03.2015
	98.08%	98.08%

The end of year collection rate is above the target

Previous Years Charges Outstanding in 2015/2016		
Monitoring Period	Amount outstanding at 31.03.2016	2015/2016 Target
	£1,144,562	£1,095,000
Comparison with 2014/2015	As at 31.03.2015	Amount o/s 31.03.15
	£1,123,252	£1,123,252

The arrears outstanding are slightly higher than the target. We are monitoring the position closely and working with council tax payers having difficulty in paying.