**Recommended Changes to the Members' Allowance Scheme**

**Basic Allowance**

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| **Current (£)** | **Recommended (£)** |
| 11,612 | **13,777** |

**Dependents' Carers' Allowance (per hour)**

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| **Current (£)** | **Recommended (£)** |
| 7.97 | **9.46** |

**Chairman / Vice Chairman Allowance**

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| **Position** | **Current (£)** | **Recommended (£)** |
| Chairman | 17,411 | **20,657** |
| Vice-Chairman | 8,706 | **10,329** |

**Special Responsibility Allowances**

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| **Position** | **% of Leader** | **Current (£)** | **Recommended (£)** |
| Leader | 100.00 | 34,836 | **41,331** |
| Deputy Leader | 70.00 | 24,385 | **28,932** |
| Cabinet Members (8) | 55.00 | 19,160 | **22,732** |
| Lead Members (5) | 27.50 | 9,579 | **11,366** |
| Champions (6) | 17.50 | 6,097 | **7,233** |
| Committee Chairs (9) | 25.00 | 8,709 | **10,333** |
| LCDL Chair (1) | 12.50 | 4,355 | **5,167** |
| DC Deputy Chair (1) | 50.00  **(% of Chair)** | 4,355 | **5,167** |
| O&S Deputy Chairs (4) | 47.00  **(% of Chair)** | 4,094 | **4,857** |
| Majority Group Secretary | 15.00 | 5,225 | **6,200** |
| Majority Group Whip | 15.00 | 5,225 | **6,200** |
| Opposition Group Leader | 55.00 | 19,160 | **22,732** |
| Opposition Group Deputy | 27.50 | 9,579 | **11,366** |
| Opposition Group Secretary | 10.00 | 3,484 | **4,133** |
| Opposition Group Whip | 10.00 | 3,484 | **4,133** |