



Part 6

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| Position | Index | Explanatory Note | Amount |
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| All Members of the Council | | BASIC ALLOWANCE | £9,709 |
| All Positions set out below | | SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITY ALLOWANCE (SRA) | |
| Leader | 100% | Fixed point for the SRA's where indicated, to be set at 3 times the basic members allowance. | £29,128 |
| | | Combined Authority Element | £5,825 |
| Deputy Leader | 70% | | £20,390 |
| Main Opposition Leader | 50% | | £14,564 |
| Deputy Main Opposition Leader | 20% | | £5,826 |
| Executive Members | 60% | | £17,477 |
| Chairs of: Licensing Planning Overview & Scrutiny Board Performance & Value for Money Board Health and Well-being Board Health Scrutiny Oldham Care & Support Company Unity | 30% | | £8,738 |
| Deputy Executive Member | 25% | | £7,282 |
| Assistant to Cabinet Member | 8% | | £2,330 |
| District Executive Leads: | | | |
| Oldham East District | | | £6,990 |
| Oldham West District | | | £6,118 |
| Chadderton | | | £6,118 |
| Saddleworth | | | £6,118 |
| Failsworth & Hollinwood | | | £6,118 |
| Royton | | | £5,243 |
| Shaw & Crompton | | | £5,243 |
| Vice-Chair of Oldham District | | | £2,620 |
| Shadow Executive Members | 10% | | £2,913 |
| Shadow Deputy Executive Member | 5% | | £1,456 |

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| Minority Opposition Leader (provided the group has 6 members) | 15% | | £4,369 |
| Additional SRA: The Leader to notify the Chief Executive and the recipients of this allowance and the responsibilities undertaken. (Currently Labour 5, Lib Dem 2) | 5% | | £1,456 |
| Co-opted/Independent Members of Audit and Standards Committee | n/a | | £397 |
| Chair of Audit Committee | n/a | | £2,148 |
| Chair of Standards Committee | n/a | | £679 |
| Refreshment Allowance | | Subsistence when absent from normal place of residence | |
| | | Breakfast | £7 |
| | | Lunch | £8 |
| | | Evening Meal | £14 |
| Mileage | | | 45p per mile for first 10,000 miles, outside the borough, per annum and a rate of 25p per mile over 10,000 miles |
| Mayoral Allowance | | | £15,233 |
| Deputy Mayoral Allowance | | | £2,993 |

Council should note that while there is a normal rule of only one Special Responsibility Allowances per member given by the Council, there is an exception enabling a member to receive a SRA as a member of Transport for Greater Manchester, as Unity Chair and at the same time another SRA from the Council.

The Transport for Greater Manchester allowance will be subject to future decisions made by the Combined Authority.