PAYMENT OF COUNCIL TAX/NNDR





Revenues

City Offices Colebrook Street Winchester SO23 9LJ tel 01962 848 288

fax 01962 848 200 telephone calls may be recorded

Please fill in the whole form using a ball pen and return the form to:- WINCHESTER CITY COUNCIL, LOCAL TAXES SECTION, CITY OFFICES, COLEBROOK STREET, WINCHESTER, HAMPSHIRE, SO23 9LJ	Instruction to your Bank or Building Society to pay by Direct Debit
	Service user number 8 5 1 4 6 1
Name(s) of account holder(s)	For Winchester City Council official use only This is not part of the instruction to your Bank or Building Society but must be completed by the customer . Name:
Bank or Building Society account number Branch Sort Code Name and full postal address of your Bank or Building Society	Address: Please tick date you wish direct debit to be taken 5th 15th 25th IF YOU DO NOT TICK ONE OF THE ABOVE YOUR DIRECT DEBIT WILL BE TAKEN ON THE STH OF THE MONTH. Instructions to your Bank or Building Society.
To: The manager Bank/Building Society Name:	Please pay Winchester City Council Direct Debits from the account detailed in this Instruction subject to the safeguards assured by the Direct Debit Guarantee. I/we understand that this instruction may remain with Winchester City Council and if so, details will be electronically transferred to my Bank/Building Society.
Reference	Date: Banks and Building Societies may not accept direct debit instructions from some types of account.

You have elected to pay your Council Tax/NNDR either at the Council's Cash Office, a Bank or Post Office. These methods are acceptable but the Council does incur additional expenses which are reflected in the amount of Council Tax payable.

A cheaper and more convenient method of payment would be by Direct Debit (see overleaf). If you would like to pay your Council Tax by this method, you should complete the attached Instruction and return it to Winchester City Council at the address shown below.

Banks may refuse to accept instructions to pay by Direct Debit from some types of account.

Direct Debiting....



THE MAIN BENEFITS OF DIRECT DEBITING ARE

Direct Debit is the cheapest and most efficient payment method for you and us, and provided you have a bank account you can pay this way; some building societies also operate the scheme.

Once the Instruction is completed it is given to your bank or building society, who will ensure that the appropriate amount is transferred from your account to ours when it is due.

You will be notified in advance of the payments and their due dates, and you will always be able to query a payment should you feel it is wrong, or stop it altogether. You can cancel the arrangement at any time and you can obtain a refund if ever an error is made on your account.

The Main Benefits of Direct Debiting

- No worries about remembering to pay at the right time
- No need to write out and post cheques
- No queuing at cash offices or your bank
- Possible reduction in bank charges
- Your bank or building society does all the work and you stay in control
- No need to make another agreement later
- Time saving

WHAT YOU HAVE TO DO

Simply complete and sign the Instruction overleaf and return it to the Local Tax Section.

The Direct Debit Guarantee

- This Guarantee is offered by all banks and building societies that accept instructions to pay Direct Debits
- If there are any changes to the amount, date or frequency of your Direct Debit Winchester City Council will notify
 you 14 working days in advance of your account being debited or as otherwise agreed. If you request Winchester City
 Council to collect a payment, confirmation of the amount and date will be given to you at the time of the request
- If an error is made in the payment of your Direct Debit, by Winchester City Council or your bank or building society you are entitled to a full and immediate refund of the amount paid from your bank or building society
 If you receive a refund you are not entitled to, you must pay it back when Winchester City Council asks you to
- You can cancel a Direct Debit at any time by simply contacting your bank or building society. Written confirmation may be required. Please also notify us.

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