

## Elected Member – Record of Claims – Annual Return 2018/19

The Local Government (Allowances and Expenses) (Scotland) Regulations 2007, require the Council to keep a record of payments made to Members and to publish the information for the preceding year by 1 June. Payments to Members of Inverclyde Council for the year ending 31 March 2019 were:

Name	Position Held	Salary	Reimbursement of Expenses											Total Salary & Expenses	
			Car & Van Mileage		Subsistence Expenses		Other Travel		Training & Conferences		Telephone & ICT Expenses		Other Allowances & Expenses		Total Expenses
			Claimed	Met by Council	Accommodation	Meals	Claimed	Met by Council	Claimed	Met by Council	Claimed	Met by Council			
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£		
Ahlfeld	Chair Licensing	19,066.96	0.00	13.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	800.70	0.00	132.82	61.26	1,008.34	20,075.30
Brennan	Provost	21,187.26	169.20	1,170.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	157.81	100.21	3,091.94	4,729.61	25,916.87
Brooks, G	Councillor	16,947.70	398.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	56.16	0.00	471.16	17,418.86
Clocherty	Dep Leader & Convener Education	19,066.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	478.80	0.00	176.70	0.00	655.50	19,722.46
Crowther	Councillor	16,947.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	90.00	0.00	120.00	0.00	210.00	17,157.70
Curley	Councillor	16,947.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	90.00	0.00	120.14	0.00	210.14	17,157.84
Dorrian	Chair General Purposes	19,066.96	119.70	16.68	90.50	0.00	93.35	0.00	0.00	40.00	342.12	99.66	48.24	850.25	19,917.21
Jackson	Councillor	16,947.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	165.00	0.00	120.62	0.00	285.62	17,233.32
MacLeod	Councillor	16,947.70	180.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	147.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	153.30	0.00	481.55	17,429.25
McCabe	Leader of the Council	28,249.25	1,153.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	884.350.00	0.00	0.00	568.80	324.14	156.53	0.00	3,087.62	31,336.87
McCormick	Convener: Environment Regeneration	19,066.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	0.00	137.97	0.00	177.97	19,244.93
McEleny, C	Leader of Opposition	19,066.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	56.21	0.00	56.21	19,122.17
McEleny, J	Councillor	16,947.70	67.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	37.10	0.00	0.00	1,218.00	0.00	62.16	0.00	1,384.76	18,332.46
McKenzie	Councillor	16,947.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	0.00	62.16	0.00	102.16	17,049.86
McVey	Councillor	16,947.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	37.50	0.00	0.00	90.00	0.00	91.95	0.00	219.45	17,167.15
Moran	Convener: Health & Social Care	19,066.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	37.50	0.00	0.00	165.00	26.98	113.01	0.00	342.49	19,409.45
Murphy	Councillor	16,947.70	0.00	89.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	83.30	171.19	343.71	17,291.41

Nelson	Councillor	16,947.70	269.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	227.88	69.66	0.00	566.64	19,633.60
Quinn	Councillor	16,947.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	36.30	0.00	0.00	90.00	0.00	56.16	0.00	182.46	17,130.16
Rebecchi	Convener: Audit	19,066.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	90.00	0.00	99.80	0.00	189.80	19,256.76
Robertson	Councillor	16,947.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	43.00	0.00	0.00	844.80	0.00	62.16	0.00	949.96	17,897.66
Wilson	Chair: Planning	19,066.96	1,413.23	100.00	97.00	37.99	139.55	0.00	0.00	604.00	302.96	682.48	393.09	3,770.30	22,837.26
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>£407,462.85</b>	<b>£3,770.98</b>	<b>£1,389.91</b>	<b>£187.50</b>	<b>£37.99</b>	<b>£1,456.45</b>	<b>£0.00</b>	<b>£0.00</b>	<b>£5,505.10</b>	<b>£1,381.89</b>	<b>£3,765.72</b>	<b>£3,594.53</b>	<b>£19,829.90</b>	<b>£427,771.55</b>

*Salary costs are subject to tax and national insurance and expenses relate to the reimbursement of actual expenditure incurred by the Councillor.*

### **Remuneration**

Under the Local Governance (Scotland) Act 2004 (Remuneration) Regulations 2007, there are now four levels of remuneration payments for Councillors, depending on the responsibilities of the Councillor. These are Leader of the Council, Provost, Senior Councillor and Councillor. A Senior Councillor is a Councillor who holds a significant position of responsibility in the Council's Political Management Structure. All other Councillors, other than the Leader of the Council and the Provost, will receive the basic remuneration as prescribed by the Regulations. Remuneration is subject to income tax and national insurance deductions.

### **Travel and Subsistence**

These are paid at rates determined by Regulation. Councillors may claim costs incurred when travelling on approved duties. The total amount of these payments will vary from Councillor to Councillor, depending on a number of factors. These factors include the distance that they live from Council Headquarters (which affects the amount of travelling required to attend the meetings of the Council), the area covered by their Ward and whether they represent the Council on external bodies such as COSLA and Police and Fire Boards. Councillors may claim subsistence when they are carrying out Council business away from home outwith their Ward or away from Council premises.

### **Telephone Allowances**

The element of the Councillor's telephone expenses that relates directly to their duties as a Councillor is reimbursed. The level will vary from Councillor to Councillor depending on the amount of Council business that they conduct over the telephone.

## Councillor Attendance at Training and Conferences

Elected Member Training: April 2018 – March 2019

Date	Course Title	Number(s) Attended
25/4/18	GDPR	11
30/4/18	GDPR	5
3/5/18	Briefing: Inverclyde Leisure	12
4/6/18	Briefing: River Clyde Homes New Business Plan	16
4/6/18	Briefing: Clune Park Estate	15
7/6/18	Briefing: Blue Badge Holders - Residents Parking Permit Zones	12
13/6/18	Briefing: Active Travel Strategy	13
7/8/18	Briefing: Developing Participatory Budgeting in Inverclyde	18
15/8/18	Briefing: Digital Scotland Superfast Broadband	11
22/8/18	GDPR Refresher	10
23/8/18	Local Governance Workshop	12
29/8/18	Hate Crime & Third Party Reporting	12
30/8/18	Briefing: City Deal – Greenock Ocean Terminal	15
6/9/18	Equalities	15
18/8/18	Briefing: Dignity & Respect at Work Policy & Procedure	13
26/9/18	Briefing: Scottish Social Security Agency	12
27/9/18	Briefing: Annual Accounts/Annual Report	5
4/10/18	Children's Rights	9
10/10/18	Briefing: Local Development Plan & Inverkip City Deal	16
22/10/18	Briefing: Indoor Tennis	10
1/11/18	Briefing: Attainment	14
15/11/18	Briefing: West College Scotland	12
15/11/18	Briefing: Flooding Strategy Group Update	10
4/12/18	Councillors Code of Conduct	12
19/12/18	Briefing: Budget Update	17
8/1/19	Briefing: Community Mediation Service	10
17/1/19	Briefing: Mental Health Services	13
21/1/19	Briefing: River Clyde Home Allocation Policy Consultation	7
28/1/19	Briefing: Heritage Strategy	10
5/2/19	Briefing: HSCP Strategic Plan	11
18/2/19	Briefing: RFA Tidesurge Service of Dedication	6
7/3/19	Briefing: Phase 2 Rankin Park Indoor Tennis Development	5

Elected Member Conferences April 2018 – March 2019

Date	Conference	Number(s) Attended
April 2018	National Association of Councillors	1
June 2018	Licensing	1
June 2018	National Association of Councillors	1
September 2018	Employability in Scotland	1
September 2018	National Association of Councillors	1
October 2018	Nelson Mandela	3
October 2018	Cosla Annual	3
November 2018	Scotland Policy	1
November 2018	Licensing	1