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Dear

Feedback on the Rent setting consultation 2018/19

Thank you for taking the time to get involved in our rent consultation either by attending the public meeting on 30 November or voting for your preferred rent option.

The survey closed 22/1/18 and I have enclosed a copy of the results. I'm pleased to say that the number of people having their say has gone up this year dramatically with 303 responding. The 2% rent option was the most favoured option with 54% of respondents voting for it.

The full Council meeting where the rent increase will be finalised is now on 5/3/18 and the 2% rent increase will be proposed. The final decision will be advertised in the spring edition of the Housing News out in March and a letter will also be sent formally giving you notice of the rent increase.

I would like to thank you for getting involved and we hope to continue to develop the rent consultation process to make it as meaningful and clear as possible to help encourage more people to get involved with this annual process. It is hoped that numbers will continue to increase year on year as tenants see that they can voice their views and influence the outcome.

If you have any comments or suggestions for improving the rent consultation or you would like to know more about the many ways tenants can get involved, I would be really interested to hear from you.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Mack'.

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