Budget Consultation2024/25

SURVEY RESPONSE REPORT

19 December 2023 - 22 January 2024

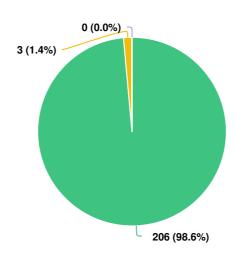
PROJECT NAME:

Barking and Dagenham Council's Budget Consultation 2024/25



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Q1 Are you completing this survey as a resident, business, or as a representative of an organisation?



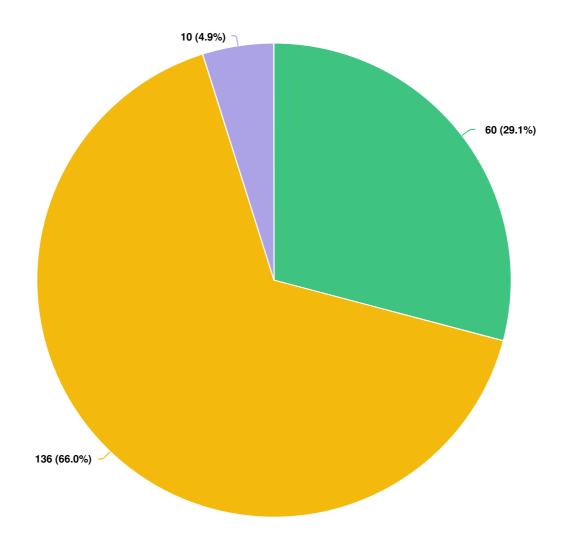


Resident Representative of an organisation A business that pays business rates in Barking and Dagenham

Optional question (209 response(s), 0 skipped) Question type: Radio Button Question Q2 With limited resources available, which service areas do you think the council should be prioritising? Please rank in order of importance, with 1 being the most important.

OPTIONS	AVG. RANK
Giving all children the best start in life.	3.08
Supporting older people and adults with disabilities.	3.77
Keeping the streets clean and collecting waste.	4.17
Reducing Anti-Social behaviour.	4.38
Providing more affordable housing.	5.74
Promoting economic development and jobs.	6.09
Working to reduce debt for our residents.	6.53
Providing opportunities for everyone to participate in leisure, culture community activities.	and 6.86
Better engagement with our residents as citizens, voters and custon	ners. 6.97
Improving private rented housing.	7.06
Carbon reduction and moving towards net zero.	8.64

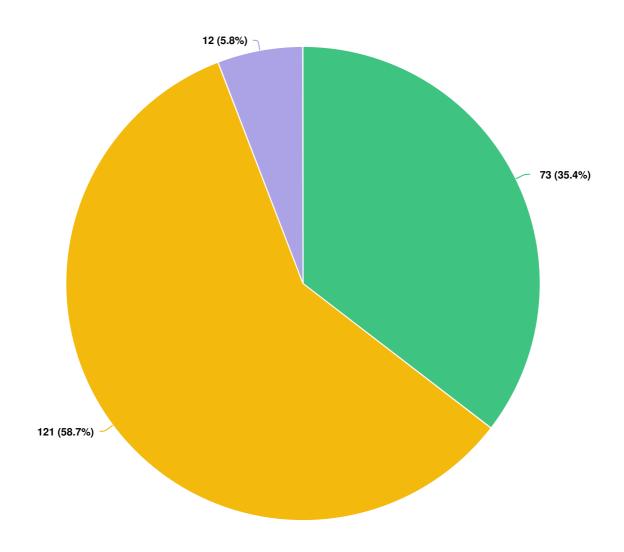
Optional question (202 response(s), 7 skipped) Question type: Ranking Question In order to protect the services you value the most, the Council suggests raising the council tax by 2.99% (excluding GLA and Adult Social Care precept). This would help meet rising demand for our services and plug some of the gap left by the cont...



Question options

- I support increasing the council tax precept by 2.99% which would mean an increase of £45.07 per year for a typical band D property taking the total LBBD Council Tax to £1,531.35 (excluding GLA).
- I do not support an increase. (This means we would have to find a further £2.5m of spending reductions to balance the budget).
- I don't know.

Optional question (206 response(s), 3 skipped) Question type: Radio Button Question Q4 The Council is consulting residents on increasing council tax by a further 1.99% known as the Adult Social Care Precept. This would raise £1.52m for the Council and would be strictly ringfenced to pay for Adult Social Care services only.



Question options

- I support the proposed 1.99% council tax increase for Adult Social Care which would mean an additional annual increase of £27.72 for a typical band D property.
- I do not support an increase. (This means the Council would lose an additional income of £1.52m from council tax to support the most vulnerable residents).
- I don't know.

Optional question (206 response(s), 3 skipped) Question type: Radio Button Question