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Dear

Date:



This letter is about adult social care and the amount you pay towards the cost of your care and support services.

We wrote to you before about the changes we have had to make because the council needs to save money.

We carried out a consultation on the changes.



Our plan was to take away the extra amount that the council pays on top of what the Government says we have to.



Lots of people said they were worried about the cost. They said it would be difficult to change to a higher cost in one go.

Because of this we decided to take away the extra amount we pay in two stages.



Half of the increase to the amount you pay has already happened.

This was based on a new financial assessment.



We looked at how much money you have coming in, any savings and assets you have and any disability related expenditure that you are entitled to.



We are writing to you now to let you know that the second phase of the increase will start from Monday 6th of July.

This is on top of the annual increase that happened in April. This happens every year in line with benefits and service costs going up.



You will get a letter telling you how much your new contribution will be before the 6th of July. This will be the new amount that you have to pay towards the cost of your care.

We will also show you how we worked out the amount.



If you have any questions about this letter or you need more support related to the amount you pay please contact us:

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