

Benefits and Revenues Service

Horizon Scanning Briefing

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Welcome to the CIPFA Benefits and Revenues Service (CBRS), non-subscriber newsletter.

CIPFA Benefits and Revenues Service delivers practical and technical advice on revenues and benefits issues. Working closely with central government and other public sector bodies to give subscribers advice, and provide support to help in the day to day administration of benefits and revenues services as well as taking on the challenges that business rate retention and welfare reform bring.

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Revenues News

The next series of CIPFA Benefits and Revenues Service (CBRS) revenues events are scheduled for November 2018. These events continue our commitment to keep you up to date with the latest news and government policies affecting local authority revenues services.

The series will be looking at the completion of the NNDR1 return as well as the increasing calls for Council Tax reform and debating what can be done.

The dates and venues for this series of events are as follows-

Wednesday 14 th November	<u>Newmarket</u>
Thursday 15 th November	<u>Birmingham</u>
Tuesday 20 th November	Exeter
Wednesday 21 st November	<u>Winchester</u>
Thursday 22 nd November	London
Tuesday 27 th November	<u>Durham</u>
Wednesday 28 th November	<u>Manchester</u>



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Adrian tweets details of relevant news stories, CBRS event updates, CIPFA news, stories from Public Finance, etc.

We encourage you to follow us on Twitter for the latest news, so even if you don't 'tweet' yourself, it's a great way to keep updated on issues affecting local authority revenues teams.

Click to find Adrian on <u>Twitter</u> or <u>linked in</u>, or search for all our network advisor tweets using the hashtag #cipfanetworks.

Publications

- Non-domestic rating: stock of properties at 31st March 2018 https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/non-domestic-rating-stock-of-properties-2018
- Council Tax: stock of properties at 31st March 2018 https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/council-tax-stock-of-properties-2018
- Valuation in Practice Issue 50 https://www.valuationtribunal.gov.uk/about-us/publications-policies/valuation-in-practice/
- Holiday Let Consultation https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/business-rates-treatment-of-selfcatering-accommodation
- Draft Universal Credit (Managed) Migration Regulations 2018 http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukdsi/2018/9780111174265/contents
- Business Rates Information Letter 4/2018 https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/42018-autumn-budget-2018-and-provisional-multipliers-for-2019-to-2020

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