

Councillor Expenses | 1 July 2023 to 30 June 2024

	Cr Dimitriadis	Cr Greco	Cr Hannan	Cr Laurence (Deputy Mayor)	Cr McCarthy	Cr Messina	Cr Newton (Mayor)	Cr Rennie	Cr Williams	Total
Councillor allowances (See Note 1)	\$36,510	\$39,757	\$39,757	\$54,827	\$39,757	\$39,757	\$103,868	\$39,757	\$78,455	\$472,444
Mobile (usage and data plan) (See Note 2)	\$382	\$545	\$402	\$545	\$382	\$545	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$3,947
Internet	\$182	\$174	\$164	\$19	\$164	\$164	\$164	\$164	\$164	\$1,359
Travel (Cabcharge / misc. travel expenses)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$815	\$815
Family Care	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$1,181	-	-	\$1,181
Mayoral Vehicle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$3,681	\$3,681
Conferences / Seminars (incl. all related costs – travel / meals / accom, etc.)	-	\$695	-	-	-	-	\$853	\$811	\$695	\$3,054
Training & Development (See Note 3)	-	-	-	-	-	-	600	-	-	\$600
Functions & Events	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0
Good Governance Training	\$923	\$923	\$923	\$923	\$923	\$923	\$923	\$923	\$923	\$8,307
Printing & Stationary	\$207	\$207	\$207	\$207	\$207	\$207	\$207	\$207	\$207	\$1,863
Subscriptions /Memberships	\$100	-	-	-	-	\$100	\$664	\$100	\$100	\$1064
Total net expenses	\$38,304	\$42,301	\$41,453	\$56,521	\$41,433	\$41,696	\$108,842	\$42,344	\$85,422	\$498,315

Note 1:

- *These Councillors Allowances reflect increases determined by the Victorian Independent Remuneration Tribunal in March.*
- *Cr. Williams was Mayor from 1 July 2023 – 30 November 2023.*
- *Cr. Newton - Deputy Mayor from 1 July 2023 – 30 November 2023.*
- *Cr. Newton – Mayor from 30 November 2023 – current.*
- *Cr. Laurence – Deputy Mayor from 30 November 2023 – current.*

Note 2

- *Telephone and internet charges are recorded in the month they are incurred. All other expenses are reported on a cash basis in the month they are paid.*
- *Internet charges are included under Mobile Usage and Data Plan.*
- *Reimbursements to Council include payments from Councillors owed for a range of previous months which were paid for within this quarter.*
- *Further explanation of the expense categories is available in the City of Darebin Councillor Support and Expenses Policy June 2021.*

Note 3

- *Councillors are allocated \$7,000 per year for training and development.*