

**NNDR Discretionary Scheme  
2023/24-2025/26 Supporting Small Business Relief Scheme**

- i. The Government published guidance on 21 December 2022 in relation to the 2023 Supporting Small Business Relief Scheme. The Council's discretionary scheme is aligned to the government guidance, including the eligibility criteria as set out in Section 2 of the government's guidance entitled "Business Rates Relief: 2023 Supporting Small Business Relief, local authority guidance".
- ii. The 2023 Supporting Small Business Rate Relief will cap increases helping those ratepayers who would otherwise face a steeper increase.