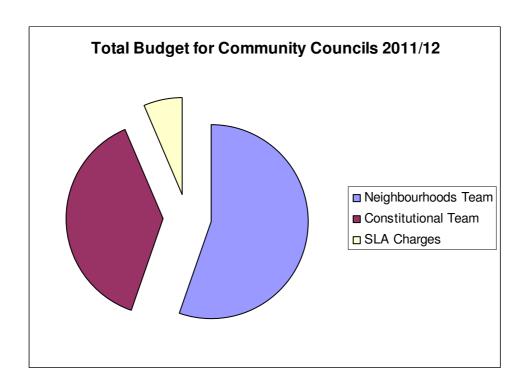
APPENDIX D

Community Council Budgets

The following tables contain overall and detailed budget information for the eight Community Councils:

Total budget for Community Councils

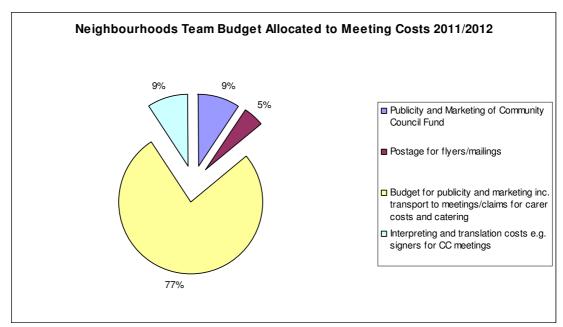
Total Budget for Community Councils 2011/12	
Neighbourhoods team	693,817
Constitutional team	528,100
SLA Charges	88,500
Total	1,310,417

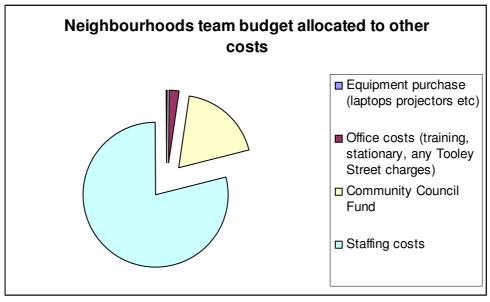


Neighbourhoods team costs

- Total projected expenditure for 2011/12 is £693,817
- In terms of the staffing budget only 50% of the costs of some posts in the team are related to community council support

Neighbourhoods team		
Budget allocated to meeting costs		
Publicity and Marketing of Community Council Fund	£10,000	
Postage for flyers/mailings	£5,000	
Each CC area budget for individual publicity and marketing inc. transport to meetings/claims for carer costs and catering	£10,083 (x8)	
Interpreting and translation costs e.g. signers for CC meetings	£1,200 (x8)	
Meeting costs total	£105,264	
Budget allocated to other costs		
Equipment purchase (laptops projectors etc)	£2,500	
Office costs (training, stationary, any Tooley Street charges)	£10,000	
Community Council Fund	£15,260 (x8)	
Staffing costs	£453,973	
Other costs total	£588,553	
TOTAL	£693,817	





Constitutional team costs

- Total projected expenditure for 2011/12 is £528,169
- In terms of the budget on the constitutional side the only area available to make savings is the costs associated with the meetings
- Not all costs apply to all meetings e.g. legal is for planning only and PA system is used for main meetings only.

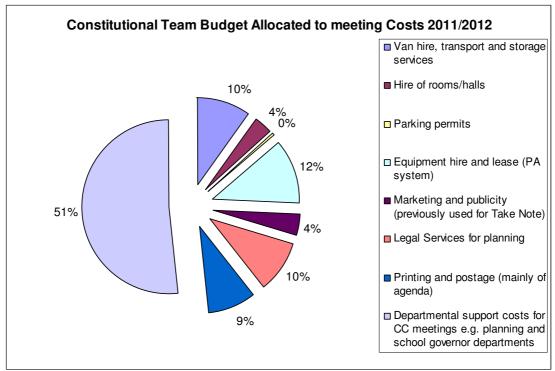
Constitutional team		
Budget allocated to meeting costs		
Van hire, transport and storage services	£30,200	
Hire of rooms/halls	£10,700	
Parking permits	£1,200	
Equipment hire and lease (PA system)	£37,000	
Marketing and publicity (previously used for Tak Note)	te £11,500	
Legal Services for planning	£30,200	
Printing and postage (mainly of agenda)	£26,800	
Departmental support costs for CC meetings e.g planning and school governor departments	g. £158,000	
Meeting costs total	£305,600	
Budget allocated to other costs		
Equipment purchase (laptops projectors etc)	£9,800	
Office costs (computer maintenance, any Tooley Street charges)	£9,600	
Stationary	£3,000	
Staffing costs	£200,100	
Other costs total	£222,500	
TOTAL	£528,100	

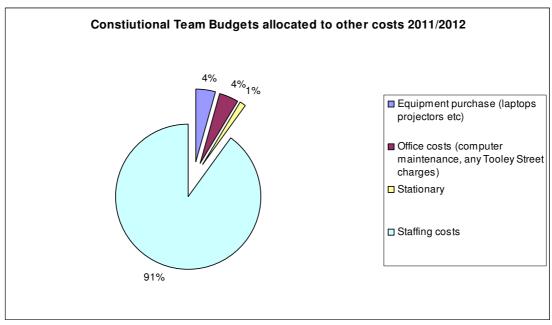
Departmental support costs for Community Council meetings

Budget allocated £158,000

2010/11 payments made:

- Children's Services Governor Support £10,895
- Regeneration Traffic Management £20,162
- Environment Traffic Management £20,162
- Regeneration Planning Advice £71,283



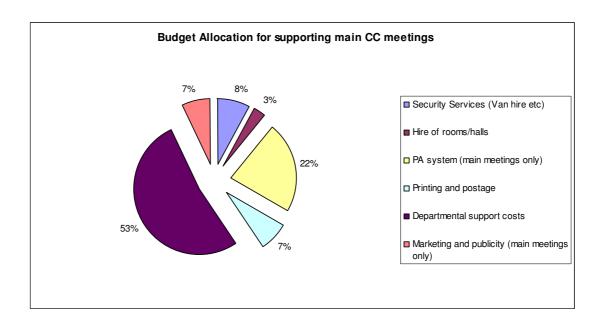


Costs per meeting (including planning)

Meeting cost breakdown

- 8 community councils
- 6 main meetings per community council each a year 48 main meetings
- 11 planning meetings per community council are scheduled each year (7-9 take place) average 64 meetings a year
- Approximately 120 meetings a year (approx 45 % main meetings and 55% planning meetings)

Budget Allocation breakdown for supporting cc main meetings		
Security Services (Van hire etc)	£13,590	
Hire of rooms/halls	£4,815	
PA system (main meetings only)	£37,000	
Printing and postage	£12,060	
Departmental support costs	£87,000	
Marketing and publicity (main meetings only)	£11,500	
Total	£165,965	



Budget Allocation breakdown for supporting cc planning meetings		
Security Services (Van hire etc)	£16,610	
Hire of rooms/halls	£5,885	
Legal Services for planning	£30,200	
Printing and postage	£14,740	
Department support costs – planning support	£71,000	
Total	£138,435	

Note: these figures are based on costs associated with meetings rather than total team costs. Actual costs of meetings are difficult to calculate as each meeting is different in terms of venue costs, agenda size etc. Take note is no longer produced by the community council team but the budget still exists.

