

Central Hawke's Bay District Council ELECTED MEMBER REMUNERATION POLICY	POLICY MANUAL	
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1. REMUNERATION

The salary pool is determined by the Remuneration Authority, on an annual basis. Council is able to choose which of two options it will use - 'salary only' or 'salary and meeting allowance'. In 2003, Council decided to use the salary only basis.

The Mayor is paid an annual salary set by the Authority. Salaries will be paid by direct credit to the elected member's nominated bank account in line with the payroll fortnightly pay system.

A meeting allowance is set by the Remuneration Authority for Resource Management Hearings. This is provided for outside of the salary pool set by the Authority.

A meeting allowance is set by the Ministry of Justice for District Licensing Hearings. This is provided for outside of the salary pool set by the Authority.

SALARY ONLY BASIS

The formula below is based on the assumption that the Deputy Mayor has a differing workload/responsibility but other Councillors have the same.

Position	No of Positions	Annual Salaries (\$pa)
Mayor	1	\$82,761
Deputy Mayor	1	\$35,000
Councillors	7	\$162,946
TOTALS	8	\$280,707

Meeting fees for members of the Hearings Committee will be paid at a rate of \$100/hour (Chairman) and \$80/hour (members) for hearings convened under Council Policy or statutory requirement.

Meeting fees for members of the District Licensing Committee will be paid at a rate of \$624 per day (\$78 per hours for part days) for Chairman, and \$408 per day (\$51 per hour for part days) for other members for hearings convened under Council Policy or statutory requirement.