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Response from: Carole Jacob

Dear Sirs

I am extremely worried at the proposed new law concerning the removal from local newspapers, the requirement by government to publish notification of public notices regarding changes to council tax.

I understand that there is a public consultation out which closes on Monday 15 January 2024.

There should be no changes to tax without publication in local press.

I rely heavily on the local press, and indeed it is the ONLY newspaper I purchase, because it is the FREE Press, and feel it is independent.

Furthermore, I represent a local group of Friends of the Earth which campaigns for sustainable planning and at the moment, all planning applications are printed in the local press.

This is an essential tool to inform local people of matters which greatly affect their lives and i would defend this right most vigorously.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Carole Jacob