

Comparative data: A sample of South Somerset Parish Councils

Town and Parish Councils	Precept £	Band D charge £	No of properties	FTE 'admin' staff	Cllrs	Committees	Substantial amenities*
Castle Cary	157,000	185.80	1189	2	13	3	Toilets, car park, play area, recreation field, cemetery, market hall
Huish Episcopi	60,000	65.12	1151	0.3	9	0	Car park, allotments
Ilminster	325,740	158.39	2904	3	15	3	Recreation ground and pavilion, nature reserve, play parksx2, toilets, cemetery, churchyard, market house.
Langport	86,980	261.43	545	1	11	2	Cemetery, redundant churchyard, cricket ground and pavilion, car park, slipway and river infrastructure, public green space, common moors, public toilets, information centre and custodian trustee of recreation field
Martock	344,525	209.29	2227	2 + fundraiser	15	3	Recreation ground and pavilion, parish hall, market house, churchyard + run community ad youth services
Somerton	352,962	197.44	2356	2	14	4	Cemetery, car parksx3, public toilets, parish hall, play areasx5
South Petherton	170,000	116.04	1776	1.5	15	3	Recreation ground with pavilion, cemetery, car park, allotments, library, custodian trustee