



JOHNSON FELLOWS
CHARTERED SURVEYORS

1016-1018 Kingsbury Road

Erdington

Birmingham

B24 9PZ

Service Charge Budget Report

29th September 2018 to

28th September 2019



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Introduction

The service charge budget report is intended to provide details of the planned expenditure for the forthcoming service charge year.

The service charge has been in operation since 2014. The introduction of the service charge was necessary due to there being communal structures, services and areas.

The service charge budget is an assessment of anticipated expenditure. The service charge is reviewed annually and reflects the services required and the expenditure history.

The Property

The property comprises of three units with communal car parking/servicing with two access points from Kingsbury Road. To the rear of the site is a canal, to the side are residential dwellings.

The common parts serving the whole property do not include the buildings which are let in their entirety to the tenants. The common parts include the vehicular access, car parking and the boundary walls/fences.

Voids and Concessions

The service charge for any void lettable units or attributable to any service charge concessions is the responsibility of the Landlord.

VAT

The Landlord has elected the property for VAT.

The service charge payable will have VAT charged at the standard rate.

Banking

Due to the general level of service charge funds, they are not maintained within a discrete bank account. The funds are held within the Johnson Fellows Clients Account which is maintained with Barclays Bank plc. As a consequence the service charge is not credited with any interest, neither are any bank charges allocated to the service charge.

Interest charged to tenants for late payment of service charge is credited to the service charge.

Reserve Fund

There is no reserve fund.



Service Charge Objectives

The object of this budget report is to provide clear explanation of the planned service charge expenditure on a not for profit/not for loss basis. It is also to promote clarity and transparency and to allow the leaseholders to budget accurately for the forthcoming year.

We encourage leaseholders to provide comments on the format and/or the information contained in this report which would assist in the report being improved for the benefit of all concerned. We would also welcome constructive feedback on the communal services provided at the property.

As Managing Agents, Johnson Fellows aim to provide a high quality management service in order to provide a well maintained environment, and delivering value for money for the service charge expenditure.

The service charge is administered having regard to Service Charges in Commercial Property; RICS Code of Practice.



Management Team

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Chris Monteith is responsible for the repair and maintenance of the property and statutory compliance.

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Neil Wetherell is responsible for the overall management of the property.

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Rebecca Glover is the client accountant responsible for this property.



Service Charge Apportionment

The service charge operates for the whole property as defined in the lease documents. The apportionment percentages for each lessee are noted within the Service Charge Apportionment detailed in Appendix A.

The calculation of the apportionment percentages is based upon the Net Internal Area of each unit.



Budget Commentary

All figures are shown net of VAT

- **Car Park Cleaning** **£1,800**

The contract cost for the weekly cleaning of the car park and a provision for the removal of any fly tipping.

- **Pest Control** **£660**

The contract cost for the hire of bait stations and the quarterly visits to site to maintain them.

- **Car Park Maintenance** **£3,000**

The costs for repairs required to the car park.

- **Drain Maintenance** **£250**

Annual flush of the surface water drains serving the car park and a contingency for any maintenance required to communal drains.

- **Landscape - External** **£100**

For treating weeds around the car park.

- **Gritting** **£450**

For treating the car park during freezing weather.

- **Statutory Compliance** **£500**

The annual health and safety audit of the common parts.

- **Interest** **£0**

Any interest charged on the late payment of service charge by leaseholders will be credited to this budget.

- **Audit Fee** **£162**

This cost covers the fee raised by the accountants for certifying the year end service charge accounts.



- **Management Fee** **£2,746**

This figure represents the fee to manage the property and administer the service charge. It is a fixed fee indexed linked annually to RPI.

Total **£9,668**

An increase of 22.80% on the previous service charge budget.

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Facilities Manager

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Partner

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Dated 30th August 2018

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Dated 30th August 2018



Appendix A

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Service Charge Apportionment

29th September 2018 to 28th September 2019

Unit	Occupier	Area (m2)	Percentage
Unit 1, 1016	Capitol Tiles	325.28	63.1%
Unit 3, 1016	Greggs	98.63	19.1%
1016	Void	91.8	17.8%
TOTAL		515.71	100.0%



Appendix B

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Service Charge Variance

29th September 2018 to 28th September 2019

The property is VAT registered. Figures for Schedule 1 shown net of VAT.

Service Charge Item	Actual 2016/2017	Budget 2017/2018	Budget 2018/2019	Budget v Budget Variance %	Budget v Budget Variance £
Cleaning	£ 1,700	£ 1,800	£ 1,800	0.00%	£ -
Pest Control	£ 660	£ 660	£ 660	0.00%	£ -
Car Park Maintenance	£ 3,100	£ 2,000	£ 3,000	50.00%	£ 1,000
Drain Maintenance	£ 225	£ 250	£ 250	0.00%	£ -
Landscape - External	£ -	£ -	£ 100	N/A	£ 100
Gritting	£ -	£ -	£ 450	N/A	£ 450
Statutory Compliance	£ 350	£ 350	£ 500	42.86%	£ 150
Signage	£ -	£ -	£ -	N/A	£ -
Interest	£ -	£ -	£ -	N/A	£ -
Audit Fees	£ 152	£ 157	£ 162	3.38%	£ 5
Management Fees	£ 2,566	£ 2,656	£ 2,746	3.38%	£ 90
TOTAL	£ 8,753	£ 7,873	£ 9,668	22.80%	£ 1,795