



**Lewes District Council**



Working in partnership with **Eastbourne Homes**

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## **Council Tax**

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### **Information Request**

*For my research, I would need the council tax discount/premium on second homes, on homes empty for longer than 6 months and homes empty for longer than 2 years as a percentage of the standard council tax in your council from 2009 to 2018.*

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**Response by Lewes District Council (overleaf)**

Financial Year	Homes empty more than 6 months - Empty Uninhabitable/Major Works	Homes empty more than 2 years	Ctax Premium on homes empty more than 2 years	Ctax discount on second homes - second home - class A	Ctax discount on second homes - second home - class B
2009	0.00%	0.00%	N/A	10.00%	10.00%
2010	0.00%	0.00%	N/A	10.00%	10.00%
2011	0.00%	0.00%	N/A	10.00%	10.00%
2012	0.00%	0.00%	N/A	10.00%	10.00%
2013	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2014	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2015	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2016	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2017	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2018	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%

For homes empty more than 6 months we have included those that are empty due to uninhabitable/major works