

Charnwood Borough Council - Freedom of Information Act 2000 performance monitoring 2010

Timeliness	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Total
	Jan - Mar	Apr - May	Jun - Sept	Oct - Dec	
Number of requests responded to:	76	68	107	73	324

Of these completed requests:

Number of requests that took 20 working days or less to be processed	74	68	101	73	316
Number of requests where processing took longer than 20 working days	2	0	6	0	8

Outcomes

Number of requests where no reasons for refusal were applied to the request	72	61	99	64	296
Number of requests where the council searched for the information requested and did not hold any of it	14	5	8	2	29
Number of requests received for which a fee notice was issued or a fee was charged	0	0	0	0	0

Use of exemptions and other reasons for refusal

Number of requests received where information was <u>refused</u> either fully or in part because one or more exemptions applied	3	1	6	5	15
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Number of requests which cited each of the exemptions in sections 22 to 44 as a reason for refusal - This may add up to more than the total above if more than one exemption applied to the request

	Qtr 1 Jan - Mar	Qtr 2 Apr - May	Qtr 3 Jun - Sept	Qtr 4 Oct - Dec	Total
S(22) - Information intended for future publication.	0	0	2	0	2
S(23) - Information supplied by, or relating to, bodies dealing with security matters.	0	0	0	0	0
S(24) - National security.	0	0	0	0	0
S(26) - Defence.	0	0	0	0	0
S(27) - International relations.	0	0	0	0	0
S(28) - Relations within the United Kingdom.	0	0	0	0	0
S(29) - The economy.	0	0	0	0	0
S(30) - Investigations and proceedings conducted by public authorities.	0	1	2	0	3
S(31) - Law enforcement.	1	0	0	1	2
S(32) - Court records, etc.	0	0	0	0	0
S(33) - Audit functions.	0	0	0	0	0
S(34) - Parliamentary privilege.	0	0	0	0	0
S(35) - Formulation of government policy, etc.	0	0	0	0	0
S(36) - Prejudice to effective conduct of public affairs.	0	0	0	2	2
S(37) - Communications with Her Majesty, etc. and honours.	0	0	0	0	0
S(38) - Health and safety.	0	0	0	0	0
S(40) - Personal information.	1	0	3	2	6
S(41) - Information provided in confidence.	0	0	0	2	2
S(42) - Legal professional privilege.	0	0	0	2	2
S(43) - Commercial interests.	1	0	1	1	3
S(44) - Prohibitions on disclosure.	0	0	0	0	0

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Number of requests which were refused because they were considered **vexatious** (under section 14(1) of the Fol Act)

Number of requests which were refused because they were considered **repeated** (under section 14(2) of the Fol Act)

Number of requests which were refused either fully or in part because the estimated that the cost of response would **exceed the appropriate limit** (under section 12 of the Fol Act)

Number of informal complaints made

Number of formal complaints made

Number of complaints referred to the the Information Commissioner

	Qtr 1 Jan - Mar	Qtr 2 Apr - May	Qtr 3 Jun - Sept	Qtr 4 Oct - Dec	Total
Number of requests which were refused because they were considered vexatious (under section 14(1) of the Fol Act)	0	0	0	0	0
Number of requests which were refused because they were considered repeated (under section 14(2) of the Fol Act)	0	0	0	0	0
Number of requests which were refused either fully or in part because the estimated that the cost of response would exceed the appropriate limit (under section 12 of the Fol Act)	1	6	4	3	14
Number of informal complaints made	2	0	1	0	3
Number of formal complaints made	0	0	0	0	0
Number of complaints referred to the the Information Commissioner	0	0	0	0	0