

Further to your information request FOI/EIR 25/26-030, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

Please advise:

- 1. The total number of employees of your Council currently. Please provide a breakdown of headcount by department if possible.
- 2. The total number of employees of your Council 12 months ago. Please provide a breakdown of headcount by department if possible.
- 3. Your Council's total spending on agency staff for the financial year 2024/25. Please provide by department if possible.
- 4. Your Council's total spending on agency staff for the financial year 2023/24. Please provide by department if possible.

Response:

1.2024/25 – 189 employees:

Department	FT	PT
Building Control	5	1 1
Chief Executive	5	3
Climate Change and Natural Environment	3	2
Communications	2	
Communities and Partnerships	4	3
Customer Services	10	5
Democratic Services	5	
Economic Development	3	
Financial Services	6	2
Housing and Community Advice	13	6
HR	2	
Information Technology	9	1
Infrastructure and Strategic Housing	1	1
Legal Services	3	1
Leisure Services	3	
Licensing	4	
Markets		1
Open Spaces and Facilities	10	17
Reprographics	3	5

Strategic Planning & Development Control	21	3
Waste	1	
Waste & Environmental Health Services	20	4

2. 2023/24 – 193 employees

3.

2024/25	247,531.07
Community Advice	6,900.00
E-Space North	10,375.38
Homelessness	21,766.61
Member & Committee Support	18,384.34
Planning	190,104.74
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2023/24	188,730.93
Homelessness	32,589.96
Planning	147,796.67
Tree Preservation/Landscaping	8,344.30

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 25/26-030.

If information has been refused, please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach foi@eastcambs.gov.uk and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.