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Further to your information request FOI/EIR 23/24-164, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

- 1) For each year since 2018, how many council-owned car parks you had as of the 1st of January? For each year (2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 & 2023) could this be broken down into the following details:
 - Name of the car park
 - Location of the car park, including the postcode
 - Cost of parking - this should be for 3 hours where possible. For short stay car parks please include the cost for the maximum length of stay e.g. 1 hour
 - How many spaces there are in the car park
- 2) Secondly, since January 1st 2018, how many council-owned car parks have closed? For each car park please could you provide the following details:
 - Name of the car park
 - Location of the car park, including the postcode
 - Date the car park closed
 - How many spaces there were in the car park
 - Reason for closure
 - What the new purpose of the land is if it has one e.g. housing

Response:

- 1) Please see <https://www.eastcambs.gov.uk/parking/car-parks-ely> for:
 - Name of car park
 - Location of car park, including the postcode
 - Cost of car park

Please see <https://eastcambs.gov.uk/notices/open-data-parking> for:

- How many spaces there are in the car park

- 2) No car parks have been closed since January 1st 2018.

In respect of those requests that were answered in full or partially and the total refused please take this as notice under FOIA, that we:

- a) Consider the information as exempt from disclosure under the Act;
- b) Claim exempt under sections of the Act:

Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000

- c) State why the exemption applies:

1) Information which is reasonably accessible to the applicant otherwise than under Section 1 is exempt information.

2) For the purposes of subsection (1) –

Information may be reasonably accessible to the applicant even though it is accessible only on payment, and b. Information is to be taken to be reasonably accessible to the applicant if it is information which the public authority or any other person is obliged by or under any enactment to communicate

(Otherwise than by making the information available for inspection) to members of the public on request, whether free of charge or on payment.

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 23/24-164.

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.