



Further to your information request FOI/EIR 23/24-465, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

- The amount of money in pounds (£) that your Local Authority has spent on maintaining Mayoral memorabilia (i.e. the Mayoral chains) in each of the financial years a) 2019-20, b) 2020-21, c) 2021-22, d) 2022-23, e) 2023-24
- The amount of money in pounds (£) was spent on your Local Authorities communications department (i.e. staff costs) in each of the financial years a) 2019-20, b) 2020-21, c) 2021-22, d) 2022-23, e) 2023-24
- The amount of money in pounds (£) was spent on travel cost for Councillors elected to your Local Authority (i.e. taxi costs) in each of the financial years a) 2019-20, b) 2020-21, c) 2021-22, d) 2022-23, e) 2023-24

Response:

- East Cambridgeshire District Council is not responsible for the City Mayor, this falls under the remit of Ely City Council.
- Communications Department
2019-20 £72,786
2020-21 £76,396
2021-22 £54,789
2023-24£86,411
2023-24 £91,199 so far
- Member Travelling
2019-20 £4,669
2020-21 £338
2021-22 £1,573
2022-23 £1,664
2023-24 £2,977 so far

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 23/24-465.

If you are 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.