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Enquiries to: Information Requests

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Dear Requester,

Re: Request for Information – Freedom of Information Act 2000

I wish to confirm that the council has completed its search for the information which you requested.

The information requested and our findings are as follows: -

1) Are you charging community infrastructure levy (CIL)? If yes, how much were the agreed/ secured CIL and mayoral CIL developer contributions (in £) for 2018-19, 2023-24 and 2024-25?

I can confirm that Barnsley Council does not currently charge Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) payments.

2) What was the nominal value (in £) of agreed/ secured developer contributions in 2018-19, 2023-24 and 2024-25 made in regard to section 106 planning obligations?

I can confirm that since 2019/20 an Annual Infrastructure Funding Statement has been published on the Council's website at the following link - Local Plan research and evidence documents. The information requested can be found in these reports, however, unfortunately the information requested for 2018/19 is not available.

3) What were the values (in £) for those developer contributions in each planning obligation category in 2018-19, 2023-24 and 2024-25? Please provide a breakdown (in £) for each category identified by the LGA

(https://eur02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.local.gov.uk%2Fpas%2Ftopics%2Finfrastructure%2Fdeveloper-contributions%2Finfrastructure-funding-statements%23identifying-categories-of-

section-106-planning-obligation&data=05%7C02%7Cinformationrequests%40barnsley.gov.uk%7C28973 53524e54efda12308dda33d2ba3%7Cba6a247133404314a96948d8cdc4c4f8%7C0%7C0%7C638846205395810327%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJFbXB0eU1hcGkiOnRydWUsllYiOilwLjAuMDAwMCIsllAiOiJXaW4zMilslkFOljoiTWFpbCIslldUljoyfQ%3D%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=IJLv1zTgxyzusZktS%2Fyamba1XFN2HRHzLonQt8vlask%3D&reserved=0) - i.e. Affordable housing, Bonds, Community facilities, Digital infrastructure, Education, Flood and water management, Green infrastructure, Health, Highways, Land, Open space and leisure, Section 106 monitoring charges, Transport and travel, or Other - or a similar categorization method that you use.

I can confirm that since 2019/20 an Annual Infrastructure Funding Statement has been published on the Council's website at the following link - Local Plan research and evidence documents. The information requested can be found in these reports, however, unfortunately the information requested for 2018/19 is not available.

I can confirm the planning obligations currently requested by Barnsley Council can be categorised as follows:

Affordable housing
Biodiversity
Education
Highways
Public open space
Public Right of Way
Planning (miscellaneous)
Sustainable Travel

4) What were the non-monetary contributions secured through S106 agreements during 2018-19, 2023-24 and 2024-25, in terms of total number of affordable housing units and number of school places that will be provided?

I can confirm that since 2019/20 an Annual Infrastructure Funding Statement has been published on the Council's website at the following link - Local Plan research and evidence documents. The information requested can be found in these reports under the Section 106 contributions secured for future years section, however, unfortunately the information requested for 2018/19 is not available.

5) How many affordable homes were delivered in 2018-19, 2023-24 and 2024-25, and how many of those were categorised as social rent, affordable rent, intermediate rent, shared ownership, affordable home ownership, and other? How many in each category were delivered through S106 agreements?
I can confirm that since 2019/20 an Annual Infrastructure Funding Statement has been published on the Council's website at the following link - Local Plan research and evidence documents. The information requested relating to the number of affordable homes delivered can be found in these reports under the Affordable Housing section, however, unfortunately the information requested for 2018/19 is not available and the categorisation is also not available for any of the years.

Please provide such data electronically, ideally as an Excel spreadsheet.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact Information Requests Via email.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

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Barnsley MBC Information Requests Team PO Box 634 Barnsley S70 9GG

email: informationrequests@barnsley.gov.uk

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: -

Customer Services Team Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

Email: http://www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints

Kind regards,

Information Requests Team, Barnsley MBC

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