

(CCC) Planning Applications

1. How many household planning applications were received by Area Team 2 in 2020?
2. How many household planning applications were received by Area Team 2 until December 1, 2022?
3. Does Area Team 2 have a split of household planning applications of 2020 and 2021 year-to-date per each planning officer? If so, can you please provide this list?
4. How many of these household applications in 2020 and 2021 year-to-date at Area Team 2 were successfully responded within 8 weeks?
5. How often does Area Team 2 assess their individual planner's performance?
6. How does Area Manager 2 assess individual planner's performance? Based on what merits?
7. How did Area Manager 2 decide planning officers rewards such as salary increases, bonuses and any other compensations in 2020? Were they based on the decisions they make on-time? What was the average salary increase in 2020 at Area Team 2?
8. How many Stage 2 complaints received by Area Team 1, 2 and 3?

Response

Attached is a spreadsheet that should answer questions 1-4. It's all householder applications received by area 2 since January 2020.

5: Using a data management reporting tool, Uniform linked to Enterprise.

6: Within regular 121's and Performance Reviews. A range of factors are assessed including performance against statutory timescales, complexity of application(s), output, customer service delivery and capacity across the team.

7: AM2 does not determine these factors. Bonuses do not feature as part of pay. Salaries are dealt with via corporate policy, but the policy can be found here; Senior staff salaries, our leadership team and members' allowances - South Cambs District Council (scambs.gov.uk)

8: We currently don't track complaint cases through Area Teams.

Further queries on this matter should be directed to foi@cambridge.gov.uk