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(CCC) Pest Control

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information. Specifically, I would like to request:

• The total number of domestic visits (excluding commercial premises) to address mice and/or rat infestations in the last three years:

Total number of residential visits (or please state if you do not offer this service)

2020

2021

2022

• The total amount spent on pest control service visits to address mice and/or rat infestations for domestic properties in the last three years:

Total cost spent (residential only)

2020

2021

2022

• Please state how much you charge for rodent treatment for a domestic property (or if it is free), for householders that do not qualify for a discount:

I would be grateful if you could provide this information in the above format within an excel spreadsheet.

Response

• The total number of domestic visits (excluding commercial premises) to address mice and/or rat infestations in the last three years:

Total number of residential visits (or please state if you do not offer this service)

2020 = 724

2021 = 797

2022 = 742

• The total amount spent on pest control service visits to address mice and/or rat infestations for domestic properties in the last three years:

Total cost spent (residential only)

2020

2021

2022

2021/22 Pest Control Service 'Actuals' including assessment & treatment for rats, mice & cockroaches by 2FTE Pest Control Officers = £74, 290.00 2022/23 Pest Control Service Budget including assessment & treatment for rats, mice & cockroaches by 2FTE Pest Control Officers = £95,160.00

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• Please state how much you charge for rodent treatment for a domestic property (or if it is free), for householders that do not qualify for a discount: Currently the Council offers a free domestic Pest Control Service to all residents of the city, this has been the case for each of the 3 years queried.

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