

FOI REF: 14588
RESPONSE SENT: 30/09/2024

Request:

Sewage

- 1. The number of residential developments granted planning permission by the council (including their size by number of homes) in the last 2 years; of those, the number where sewage infrastructure has been taken into account as a material consideration
- 2. Whether the council agrees that the capacity of the sewer network (including the capacity to treat additional sewage) is a material consideration for planning applications
- 3. Whether the council consults the local sewerage undertaker(s) where there is both collection and treatment pressure from new residential development which increases sewage flows
- 4. The number of residential developments (including their size by number of homes) granted planning permission by the council where Grampian conditions have been applied to deal with sewage infrastructure issues over the last 2 years (the planning reference will suffice)

Abstraction

- 5. The number of the residential developments (including their size by number of homes) granted planning permission where water resource capacity has been taken into account as a material consideration over the last 2 years
- 6 The number of the residential developments (including their size by number of homes) granted planning permission by the council where Grampian conditions have been applied to deal with water resource issues over the last 2 years
- 7. Whether the council consults local water compan(y/ies) to ensure that there is adequate supply for new homes and that the demand will be met without environmental damage being caused to streams, lakes and rivers (in particular, in protected sites)
- 8. Whether the council considers that abstraction for water supply is a material consideration for the purposes of planning decisions and acts to ensure that planning permission is only granted where the development will not impact negatively flow in rivers or lake levels

Local Plan

9. Whether the council is satisfied that the local plan and the accompanying strategic policies take into account the need for water supply and its source as well as the increase in wastewater in policies and land allocation..".

Response:

- 1. We do not hold this information in the form that you have requested it. I have however been able to search our database for all applications granted planning permission since they were submitted from 2022, using the search criteria of Development Type Q1 (Major Dwellings 10+ and Q13 Minor Dwellings Q13). The total number is 154. You can search our Public Access system Applications Search (winchester.gov.uk) using the advanced search using Application Reference 22% or 23% or 24% which represents the year the application was submitted as a suffix with a wildcard for the rest of the reference. In addition use Development Type and Decision fields. From there you will be able to interrogate the files for the number of homes, delegated or committee reports and other documents including consultee responses from Environment Agency, Southern or Portsmouth Water and the Lead Local Flood Authority (HCC) etc where you will be able to establish how we have taken sewage infrastructure into account
- Outside of the FOI EIA formal procedure.
- 3. Outside of the FOI EIA formal procedure.
- 4. We do not hold this information in the form that you have requested it. I have however been able to search our database for all applications granted planning permission since they were submitted from 2022, using the search criteria of Development Type Q1 (Major Dwellings 10+ and Q13 Minor Dwellings Q13). The total number is 154. You can search our Public Access system Applications Search (winchester.gov.uk) using the advanced search using Application Reference 22% or 23% or 24% which represents the year the application was submitted as a suffix with a wildcard for the rest of the reference. In addition use Development Type and Decision fields. From there you will be able to interrogate the files for the number of homes, delegated or committee reports and decision notice and other documents where you will be able to determine if any Grampian conditions have been applied.

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