

FOI Reference Number: FOI/159/1819

Date: 06/07/2018

Request:

Dear Sirs,

On behalf of the **Association of Consultancy and Engineering** I would like to make the following Freedom of Information (FOI) request of your Authority under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

1. Does your Council collect Community Infrastructure Levy?

2. How much Community Infrastructure Levy was received/ collected in pounds £ by your Local Authority during the years 2015, 2016 and 2017?

Year	Amount of CIL Received
2015	
2016	
2017	

3. How much in pounds £ and as a percent % of the total Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) collected in that year has been committed to allocated projects in your local authority area?

Year	Amount committed	As a percent of total collected
2015		
2016		
2017		

4. How much in pounds £ and percent % of the Community Infrastructure Levy has been spent on allocated projects in your local authority area?

Year	Amount spent	As a percent of total collected
2015		
2016		
2017		

5. Please give a breakdown of the projects CIL money has been spent within your Authority during 2015, 2016, and 2017?

Year	Roads (as % collected in that year)	Education facilities (as % collected in that year)	Health Facilities (as % collected in that year)	Police and Reduction of crime (as % collected in that year)	Other (please state)
2015					
2016					
2017					

6. How much CIL money is currently sitting in reserves (or any other budgetary category) unallocated to projects within each year?

Year	Amount unspent	As a percent of total collected
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

If this FOI request is too wide or unclear, I would be grateful if you could contact me as I understand that under the Act, you are required to advise and assist requesters. If any of this information is

already in the public domain, please can you direct me to it, with page references and URLs if necessary.

If the release of any of this information is prohibited on the grounds of breach of confidence, I ask that you supply me with copies of the confidentiality agreement and remind you that information should not be treated as confidential if such an agreement has not been signed.

I understand that you are required to respond to my request within the 20 working days after you receive this letter. I would be grateful if you could confirm in writing that you have received this request.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,

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Answer:

Thank you for your information request which Mid and East Antrim Borough Council received on 05/07/2018.

Please find below Mid and East Antrim Borough Council's response to the information you requested in relation to Community Infrastructure Levy.

Please note that the collection of Community Infrastructure Levy does not apply in Northern Ireland.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of part of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to the Chief Executive at the Braid Ballymena Town Hall, 1-29 Bridge Street, Ballymena, BT43 5EJ.

Please remember to quote the reference number FOI/159/1819 in any future communications.

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: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Please be advised that Mid and East Antrim Borough Council may release the response to this information request into the public domain via our website at <https://www.midandeantrim.gov.uk/>. If this is the case, any personal details in relation to your request will be removed to protect your privacy.