01 August 2017

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – 871/17

Dear Sir/Madam

Your request for information has now been considered and the information requested is provided below.

Request & Response:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to ask for your authority's figures for the following areas:


Answer:
Relevant financial records held start from 2009/10. Between 2009/10 and 2016/17, total Rutland County Council spending on domestic abuse services has been consistent at approx. £75,000 per annum, including a proportion of Officer time.

2. A breakdown of Council spending on domestic abuse services for each financial year between 2004/05 and 2016/17, inclusive. I would like to know how much was spent on specific services, e.g. refuges, advocacy, prevention efforts etc.

Answer:
This breakdown is not possible to the level of detail requested; although the majority of this funding is usually spend on support services, with some spend on prevention initiatives. Demand for other related funding, such as refuges, has always been low.

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Yours faithfully

FOI Administrator
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