



31 July 2018

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – 819/18

Dear Sir/Madam

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

Request/Response:

PART 1 (Beach Huts)

1. Does your council's area include coastline?

Answer: No

2. (if yes to no.1) Does your council have any Beach Hut provision within your area?

Answer: Not Applicable

3. (if yes to no.1) Does your council manage this provision directly, or through an operational partner?

Answer: Not Applicable

4. (if yes to no.1) Is the Beach Hut provision offered through annual licence, short/medium/long lease, casual hire or other means? (please provide all details and prices)

Answer: Not Applicable

5. (if yes to no.1) What is your projected annual income associated with all beach hut provision for 2018/19?

Answer: Not Applicable

PART 2 (Play Space)

1. Does your council manage public outdoor play spaces?

Answer: Yes

2. (if yes to no.1) How much S106 and CIL (Community Infrastructure Levy) funding do you currently hold? (please provide full details of all S106 contributions)



Answer: Rutland County is holding £570,473 of S106 funding that can be used on recreational, sports and Leisure. This funding could be available for public outdoor play areas.

We are also holding £357,510 of Community Infrastructure Levy, details on how this funding could be used can be found on the CIL Charging Schedule using the link below.

[Community Infrastructure Levy \(CIL\) | Rutland County Council](#)

3 (if yes to no.1) Does your council currently have a Play Development / Maintenance and Management Strategy?

Answer: Rutland County Council does not have a play-specific Maintenance and Management strategy. The Council has a Sport and Recreation Facilities Strategy (2015), which includes MUGAs, and an Open Space & Informal Recreation Assessment (2015) which includes children's play and youth provision, with mapping and a quality assessment in section 5. This is published online as part of the Local Plan Evidence Base:

<https://www.rutland.gov.uk/my-services/planning-and-building-control/planning/planning-policy/local-plan-evidence-base/environment/>

4. (if yes to no.1) Does you council evaluate the 'Play Value' of your outdoor play spaces? (if not, how do you allocate funds for replacement / improvements)

Answer: As above, there is an assessment of quality of current provision in the Open Spaces Report, but this does not assign financial values to management and maintenance, or evaluate "play value".

5. (if yes to no.1) What is your annual play maintenance budget for 2018/19?

Answer: Approx. £4,800.

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Yours faithfully

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