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Dear

Thank you for your Environmental Information Regulations request dated 24 January 2024, for information about Planning Appeals.

Please find below City of Doncaster Council's responses to the questions you have raised.

## **Request:**

"I would like to request the amount of money spent deciding on planning appeals in this local authority from the beginning of 2010 to the present day, or as recent as the data goes. This should be in a yearly format."

## **Response:**

<u>Regulation 12(4)(a) – Information is not held</u> City of Doncaster Council do not record the amount of time or money spent on appeals.

## **Request:**

"I would also like data on what percentage of planning decisions went to appeal, AND what percentage of appeals were successful. This should be in a yearly format."

### **Response:**

The data is provided based on planning decisions made within the following calendar years, this excludes prior notifications and tree work consents.

Please note in more recent years, some appeals are still under consideration so will be accounted for In the % of applications that went to appeal, however the outcome will not be captured within the % of those appeals that were allowed or part allowed.

The % of appeals allowed also includes appeals that have been part allowed / part dismissed.

|      | % of applications that went to appeal | % of those appeals<br>that were allowed or |
|------|---------------------------------------|--|
|      |                                       | part allowed                               |
| 2013 | 1.76%                                 | 16.67%                                     |
| 2014 | 2.04%                                 | 17.24%                                     |
| 2015 | 1.78%                                 | 18.52%                                     |
| 2016 | 1.95%                                 | 26.92%                                     |
| 2017 | 1.62%                                 | 16.67%                                     |
| 2018 | 2.53%                                 | 13.89%                                     |
| 2019 | 2.31%                                 | 37.50%                                     |
| 2020 | 2.97%                                 | 28.94%                                     |
| 2021 | 1.92%                                 | 24.14%                                     |
| 2022 | 3.52%                                 | 13.95%                                     |
| 2023 | 1.91%                                 | 9.68%                                      |

I hope that this information is useful to you.

# Reviewing any decisions made:

If you are not happy with this reply you can ask us to review our response. To do this write to us within 40 working days of receiving your response at the address below or email <u>FOIAppeals@doncaster.gov.uk</u>

If you do not agree with the review decision you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision about our compliance or otherwise with the Freedom of Information legislation. Contact details for the ICO are: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. <u>www.ico.org.uk</u> Telephone 0303 123 1113.

Yours sincerely,

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