

Kildare County Council FOI Disclosure Log June -December 2023

Please note only details of requests for Non Personal Information will be included in the Disclosure Log.

File Reference	Description	Date FOI request Received	Type	Category	Decision	Date Decision Issued
23-063	Under FOI, I would like the figure of how much money APCOA have been paid/taken since 2020 in the county of Kildare, on days were paying for parking is not required/mandatory? Including via their app and parking meters.	13/07/2023	Non personal	Others	Withdrawn	13/07/2023
23-064	-A record of the number of people who were offered social housing by the council in each individual month between 1 June 2018 and the present date - and the number of people who refused those offers -A record of the number of people, registered as homeless, who were offered social housing by the council in each individual month between 1 June 2018 and the present date - and the number of people who refused those offers.	14/07/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Part grant	11/08/2023
23-066	Requesting records in relation to trade effluent licence	18/07/2023	Non personal	Client	Request withdrawn	19/07/2023
23-067	Requesting records in relation to off lead dogs in parks & beaches	18/07/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Refused	27/7/2023
23-068	Requesting A copy of the register of all certs provided by the council's law agent confirming that the Minister's consent was/was not required to dispose of land between 2018 to present day.  - a copy of all certs provided, the dates provided and the land disposal they relate to - for the dates requested.  - a copy of the criteria on which the law agent/s base their findings that the Minister's consent is/is not required for the dates requested.	21/07/2023	Non personal	Public Representative	Refused - Section 15 (1)(A), 15 (1)(D), 15 (1)(C) & 31 (1)(A).	18/08/2023

	<p>- a copy of the council's brief to the law agent for each land disposal, for the dates requested.</p> <p>- a copy of the communication of the law agent's opinion to any/all executive members and/or councillors for the dates requested.</p>					
23-070	<p>Requesting Decisions relating to the cataloguing and/or categorising of all Young Adult non-fiction books, including any re-categorisation of such books from Young Adult to Adult.</p> <p>Any changes which have been made to such cataloguing procedures, and the decision-making process preceding any such changes.</p> <p>The process by which readers / library members are permitted to advance to Young Adult borrowing categories (aged 12-14 years and 15-17 years, respectively).</p> <p>The Data Protection Impact Assessment(s) carried out in relation to any requirement which has been implemented by the library, whereby staff must obtain written consent from parents before young readers are permitted to be moved up to Young Adult category of borrower (whether in the 12-14 years category or the 15-17 years category).</p>	25/07/2023	Non personal	Client	Part Grant	25/08/2023
23-071	<p>I am seeking copies of all records and reports relating to the refusal of social housing applicants to accept homes offered to them.</p> <p>My request is for the timeframe between January 1st, 2023, to March 31st, 2023.</p>	25/07/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Part grant	22/08/2023
23-072	Requesting details of salary, allowances and expenses paid to Chief Executive for 2022	26/07/2023	Non personal	Client	Grant	15/08/2023
23-074	Requesting copies of all records and reports relating to the nonpayment of parking fines and court prosecutions during 2022 in Kildare.	26/07/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Refused	23/08/2023

23-075	Requesting records relating to no. planning applications submitted to KCC and no. which have been approved & refused, no. of vacant property refurbishment grant applications received & no. approved & refused, no. of property owners received the vacant property refurbishment grant.	01/08/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Part Grant	25/08/2023
23-076	Requesting records between a Housing Association & KCC and between KCC, and the Department of the Environment, Heritage and Local Government OR the Department of the Environment, Community and Local Government.	28/08/2023	Non personal	Journalist	refused	12/09/2023
23-077	Requesting records relating to information requested from outside source and received by KCC	03/08/2023	Non personal	Client	Refused	30/08/2023
23-078	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014, I'm seeking a list of cemeteries under the control of the county council, and the income generated by the sale of grave plots for the years 2021, 2022 and to date in 2023.</p> <p>Under the Act, I'm also seeking a list of crematoria under the control of the county, and the income generated by cremations for the years 2021, 2022 and to date in 2023.</p> <p>Under the Act, I'm also seeking the outstanding fees owed to the council in relation to grave sales, burial fees or any other outstanding monies in relation to council-owned graveyards</p>	03/08/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Part grant	11/08/2023
23-079	<p>Under the freedom of information act, I request the following data: all data relating to vehicles clamped/towed between January 1, 2022, and July 31, 2023.</p> <p>Specifically, how many vehicles have been clamped/towed between January 1, 2022, and July 31, 2023.</p> <p>Can the records distinguish between what vehicle was clamped and what was towed.</p>	08/08/2023	Non personal	Client	Dealt with outside of FOI	16/08/2023

	<p>Can the data also include how much money was received in fines as a result of clamps/tows.</p> <p>Can the data also include how many clamps were damaged by people.</p>					
23-080	Requesting records relating to accident, works and who is in charge of the upkeep of this area.	25/09/2023	Non personal	Solicitor	Refused	20/10/2023
23-081	<p>I am writing to request information under the FOI Act.</p> <p>Could you please provide me with the following information:</p> <p>The number of applications received for Housing Adaptation Grants (the Housing Adaptation Grant for People with a Disability; the Mobility Aids Grant; and the Housing Aid for Older People Grant) from 1 January 2023 to 1 August 2023.</p> <p>The number of grants awarded for Housing Adaptation Grants (the Housing Adaptation Grant for People with a Disability; the Mobility Aids Grant; and the Housing Aid for Older People Grant) from 1 January 2023 to 1 August 2023.</p> <p>The value (in euros €) of grants awarded for Housing Adaptation Grants (the Housing Adaptation Grant for People with a Disability; the Mobility Aids Grant; and the Housing Aid for Older People Grant) from 1 January 2023 to 1 August 2023.</p> <p>The number of people on the waiting list for Housing Adaptation Grants (the Housing Adaptation Grant for People with a Disability; the Mobility Aids Grant; and the Housing Aid for Older People Grant) as of 1st August 2023.</p> <p>The number of grant applications for Housing Adaptation Grants (the Housing Adaptation Grant for People with a Disability; the Mobility Aids Grant; and the Housing Aid for Older People Grant) from 1 January 2023 to 1 August 2023 which were denied.</p>	22/08/2023	Non personal	Business Interest	Grant	01/09/2023

23-083	I would like to see the approvals sought and approved which allowed all traffic to and from Celbridge which would normally use the R403 to be directed via Shinkeen Road and R405.	15/08/2023	Non personal	Client	Part Grant	11/09/2023
23-084	Requesting records relating to planning and unauthorised development	05/09/2023	Non personal	Business Interest	Part Grant	28/09/2023
23-086	Requesting records relating to BER report, air tightness report etc.	08/09/2023	Non personal	Client	Dealt with outside of FOI	
23-087	I am writing to formally request, under the Freedom of Information (FOI) legislation, an extract of all reported road defects, including potholes and pavement issues, within the Council's jurisdiction from the 1st of July 2023 to the present.	11/09/2023	Non personal	Business Interest	Request withdrawn	31/10/2023
23-088	I am making this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for the following information: 1.Records of retention permissions which were granted for the building of standalone dwellings between 2008 and 2023. This includes the retention applications and the council's decision letters. 2. Records of retention permissions which were refused for the building of standalone dwellings between 2008 and 2023. This includes the retention applications and the council's decision letters.	11/09/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Refused	04/10/2023
23-089	Requesting records relating to rezoning and planning. Castletown house.	11/09/2023	Non personal	Client	Part Grant	11/10/2023
23-091	Under the FOI Act 2014 I would like to request a copy of the following records in their original formatting:  1. Correspondence between KCC and Castletown House and Parklands relating to the proposed development of a carpark near Castletown Gates in Celbridge, Co. Kildare.	13/09/2023	Non personal	Client	Grant	24/10/2023

	<p>2. Correspondence between KCC and the Office of Public Works relating to the proposed development of a carpark near Castletown Gates in Celbridge, Co. Kildare.</p> <p>3. Copies of internal records relating to the proposed development of a carpark near Castletown Gates in Celbridge, Co. Kildare.</p>					
23-092	Requesting records relating to weight restrictions.	14/09/2023	Non personal	Client	Grant	25/10/2023
23-095	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>A list of upheld complaints made against councillors to the Ethics Officer or Ethics Committee within the council, going back 24 months. Please include the name of each councillor and the nature of the upheld complaints, if any.</p>	02/10/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Refused	09/10/2023
23-096	Copies of all records relating to the intersection of the Leixlip gate to Castletown estate road with the n4/m4 motorway/Leixlip Celbridge interchange including but not limited to the existence of a public right of way to Castletown estate	16/10/2023	Non personal	Client	Refused	15/11/2023
23-097	Requesting environmental information	03/10/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Request Withdrawn	12/10/2023
23-098	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am requesting the release of all records relating to all leases agreed to date with private companies for social homes where the Council is not paying amenity charges and/or the social tenants don't have full access to all amenities in the scheme.	03/10/2023	Non personal	Business interest	Refused	17/10/2023
23-099	Requesting information about the environment.	05/10/2023	Non personal	Public representative	Refused	09/10/2023
23-101	<p>I would like to request the following data under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014.</p> <p>1 The locations of any sites that Kildare County Council are considering for development under section 179A or have considered and determined to be suitable.</p>	12/10/2023	Non personal	Client	Granted	08/11/2023

	<p>2 Locations inside County Kildare which Kildare County Council knows to be under consideration by another relevant state body or knows to have been considered by another relevant state body and determined to be suitable.</p> <p>3 For locations that Kildare County Council have determined to be suitable or which Kildare County Council knows to have been determined to be suitable by another state body, the reports used to decide that the location did not require an Environmental Impact Assessment</p>					
23-102	<p>I am also requesting under the FOI or otherwise all. information, correspondence, notes of meetings, call, notes to file, email relating to traffic management plans, assessments and evaluations relating to the area that spans from the historic entrance to Castletown to the main gate, up Castletown Drive and out onto the Maynooth Road within KCC and with any public body.</p>	18/10/2023	Non personal	Client	Refused	15/11/2023
23-103	<p>I wish to make a request to the County Council, under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>I am seeking information relating to the: A. amount of social housing applicants who refused to accept homes offered to them and B. the reasons for these refusals.</p>	18/10/2023	Non personal	Journalist	Request withdrawn	23/10/2023
23-104	Requesting records relating to Planning	12/10/2023	Non personal	Client	Part Grant	08/11/2023
23-105	Requesting records relating to road repairs.	23/10/2023	Non personal	Client	Refused	20/11/2023
23-106	Requesting records relating to Housing Maintenance and Housing Inspections	23/10/2023	Non personal	Business Interest	Grant	20/11/2023
23-107	Under the freedom of information act 2014 can I request the following information.	24/10/2023	Non personal	Client	Refused	08/11/2023

	<p>1. The current number of persons on the council housing list broken up by Irish citizen, European citizen, non-European.</p> <p>2. The number of council houses distributed by council in the last 3 years broke up once again between Irish citizens, European citizens, and non-European in tabular format.</p>					
23-109	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 we request the following information:</p> <p>The total number of individuals who have been assessed as homeless in line with Section 2 of the Housing Act 1988 who are currently as at this date accommodated by Kildare County Council under Section 10 of the same Act in B&amp;Bs, hotels, or any other form of accommodation that does not require the individuals to use communal toilet facilities or share toilet facilities with individuals who are not part of their immediate family unit.</p>	25/10/2023	Non personal	Solicitor	Grant	21/11/2023
23-111	Requesting copy of documents relating to Castletown House and Parklands	31/10/2023	Non personal	Client	Grant	23/11/2023
23-114	request to records related to proposed or ongoing housing involving the trust, that have had to be paused, cancelled or delayed, or reviewed, as a result of difficulties facing the trust.	17/11/2023	Non personal	Journalist		
23-116	<p>Please accept the following as an application under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014.</p> <p>I am seeking the following:</p> <p>1. In relation to the development of the Family Hub at the Priory, Convent Lane, Athy, Co Kildare, which was developed by the Peter McVerry Trust in partnership with Kildare Co Co, I am seeking:</p> <p>a. The relevant application form for this project.</p> <p>b. Records relating to payments made to PMVT for the development of this project.</p> <p>c. Records indicating payments made by PMVT to its main contractor on this project, including, for example, details of any</p>	20/11/2023	Non personal	Journalist		



	<p>invoices submitted by the main contractor to PMVT, and paid by KCC.</p> <p>The time frame I am referring to is from 2016 to 2021.</p> <p>2. In relation to the Convent Lane development, I am also seeking copies of:</p> <p>a. Any commencement notice(s) submitted in relation to this development, including copies of any supporting documentation.</p> <p>b. A copy of the fire safety certificate.</p> <p>Please note I am aware that there is in existence a BCMS register, which includes details from Commencement Notices.</p> <p>To be clear, the record I am seeking is a copy of the original notice(s) submitted - these are not already in the public domain (even if some of the information they contain is also on the BCMS register).</p> <p>Therefore, these should not be refused on the grounds that this record is already in the public domain.</p> <p>3. In or around 2020, the Peter McVerry Trust received funding from KCC to purchase a property known as Kerdiffstown House, in Naas.</p> <p>KCC later registered a charge against this property in December 2020.</p> <p>In relation to this development, I am seeking:</p> <p>a. The relevant application form for this project.</p> <p>b. Correspondence between PMVT and KCC, concerning this property, relating to planning enforcement issues.</p> <p>The time frame is from 2020 to the present.</p>					
23-117	Requesting records from Environment Dept on Fines .	01/12/2023	Non personal	Business Interest		
23-119	to request sight of correspondence between KCC and OPW regarding the locking of the M4 gate to Castletown House,	19/12/2023	Non personal	Client	Grant	5/01/24

23-120	<p>Requesting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· the total amount of money spent by the council on the acquisition of housing units over the last 10 years (including 2023), including a breakdown of this expenditure per year.</li> <li>· the total amount of money spent by the council on the acquisition of housing units which were local authority housing at the time of construction, including a breakdown of this expenditure per year.</li> </ul>	23/12/2023	Non personal	Journalist		
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