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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI408578689

Thank you for your request for information relating to homelessness prevention grant.

You have requested the following information:

1. How much of the money allocated to the council through the Homelessness Prevention Grant in 2021/22 has been spent as of March 1 2022? Please break down in table format how much of the funding was: A) From the £310million grant and B) From the £65m additional funding grant?

From the £310m prevention grant	100%
From the additional £65m funding grant	100%

2. What has the money allocated to the council through the Homelessness Prevention Grant in 2021/22 been spent on? Please break down in table format

Staffing	87%
Preventing and Relieving Homelessness	13%

3. How much of the Homelessness Prevention Grant allocated to the council in 2021/22 has been used to help: a) Households in rent arrears? b) Households at risk of eviction for other reasons?

Rent arrears: £41,384.92

Other reasons: £168,383.99

4. How many households has the council helped through the Homelessness Prevention Grant in 2021/22?

201 households were helped through the Homelessness Prevention Grant where the Council paid out to Prevent or Relieve homelessness. In total the council prevented or relived 1,032 households.

5. How many households have approached the council for support under the Homelessness Reduction Act between April 1 2021 and March 1 2022? Please state in table format how many households were owed a a) prevention duty b) a relief duty

Support	Number
Approaches	4,675
Owed Prevention Duty	671
Owed Relief Duty	1,917

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Yours faithfully

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