

London Borough of Barnet, 2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, London NW9 4EW 30 January 2020 Our ref: 6022096

Thank you for your request received on 27 January 2020, for the following information:

- 1. A list of estate regeneration resident ballots carried out in the borough from July 2018 up to the most recent possible date, including the following details:
- i. Name of the estate
- ii. Number of existing homes on the estate
- iii. Name of social landlord which owns the estate
- iv. Name of developer seeking to regenerate the estate (can be the same as above)
- v. Date(s) on which the ballot was carried out
- vi. Turnout for the ballot as a % of residents eligible to vote
- vii. Result of the ballot as a % of votes for each option
- viii. Whether the regeneration proposal was accepted/rejected by residents
- 2. A list of estate regeneration ballots which the local authority expects to be carried out in the calendar year 2020, including:
- i. Name of the estate
- ii. Number of existing homes on the estate
- iii. Name of social landlord which owns the estate
- iv. If known, the date on which the ballot will commence

If the local authority does not record details of ballots or does not have a comprehensive list and has supplied information for the ones it is aware of, then please specify accordingly.

We have processed this request under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004.

Response

The council holds the information requested and the answers to your questions are below

There have been none on the council's regeneration estates in the relevant period (ie Dollis Valley, West Hendon, Grahame Park, Granville Road, Whitefields, Brent Cross).

Metropolitan Housing undertook this ballot on their housing estate which is on land owned by the Council.

The Upper and Lower Fosters Estate received a ballot exemption and so did not need to hold a ballot. This is an LBB regeneration scheme

One ballot was carried out at by Metropolitan Thames Valley in Westhorpe Gardens and Mills Grove Estate in October/November 2018. The council does not hold information about this but it is readily available online, for example here:

https://www.insidehousing.co.uk/news/metropolitan-tenants-vote-for-regeneration-infirst-london-ballot-59071

Further information

If you are interested in the data that the council holds you may wish to visit Open Barnet, the council's data portal. This brings together all our published datasets and other information of interest on one searchable database for anyone, anywhere to access. http://open.barnet.gov.uk/

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