London Borough of Barnet, 2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW 18 April 2023 Our ref: 9412572

Thank you for your request received on 17 March 2023, for the following information:

- 1) Do you provide parking within walking distance of Council buildings for your staff?
- If yes, a) free, b) subsidised, c) staff have to pay normal/public parking rates
- 2) If you only provide parking to some staff can you please list their roles/job titles?
- 3) Do you provide pool cars?
  If yes, a) free, b) subsidised, c) full charges
- 4) Do you provide pool bicycles? If yes, a) free, b) subsidised, c) full charges
- 5) Do you provide parking permits for your staff? If yes, a) free, b) subsidised, c) staff have to pay normal/public permit rates
- 6) If you only provide permits to some staff can you please list their roles/job titles?
- 7) Do you have a cycle to work scheme? If yes, what does this entail?
- 8) Do you have a car user milage scheme? If yes, what does this entail?
- 9) Do you have a lift share scheme? If yes, what does this entail?
- 10) Do you provide a season ticket loan scheme for staff? If yes, is it interest free?
- 11) Do you provide a car purchase loan scheme for staff? If yes, is it interest free?

We have processed this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

## Response

The council holds the information requested and it is attached/ the answers to your questions are below

1) Do you provide parking within walking distance of Council buildings for



your staff?

If yes, a) free, b) subsidised, c) staff have to pay normal/public parking rates

Yes - free

2) If you only provide parking to some staff can you please list their roles/job titles?

All staff are able to apply

3) Do you provide pool cars?
If yes, a) free, b) subsidised, c) full charges

Yes - Free for staff use

4) Do you provide pool bicycles? If yes, a) free, b) subsidised, c) full charges

No

5) Do you provide parking permits for your staff?
If yes, a) free, b) subsidised, c) staff have to pay normal/public permit rates

Permits are not provided to any member of staff in parking.

6) If you only provide permits to some staff can you please list their roles/job titles?

N/A

7) Do you have a cycle to work scheme? If yes, what does this entail?

Yes, employees can purchase from a large range of bikes online and receive delivery within a couple of days. Employees can then choose to repay the bike over 12 or 24 months via salary sacrifice.

8) Do you have a car user milage scheme? If yes, what does this entail?

No

9) Do you have a lift share scheme? If yes, what does this entail?

No

10) Do you provide a season ticket loan scheme for staff? If yes, is it interest free?

No

11) Do you provide a car purchase loan scheme for staff? If yes, is it interest free?

No

## **Further information**

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