

London Borough of Barnet  
2 Bristol Avenue,  
Colindale NW9 4EW  
25 April 2023  
Our ref: 9630441

Thank you for your request received on 21 April 2023, for the following information:

**I am writing to politely request the following information under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA):**

- \* How many business miles have been travelled by your employees using their own car (grey fleet) in the financial year 2021-2022?**
  - \* How many business miles have been travelled by your employees using their own car (grey fleet) in the financial year 2022-2023?**
  - \* How much money has been reimbursed back to employees for those business miles for grey fleet in the financial year 2021-2022?**
  - \* How much money has been reimbursed back to employees for those business miles for grey fleet in the financial year 2022-2023?**
  - \* How much does your organisation reimburse its employees per mile?**
  - \* Does your organisation have an employee travel policy for business travel, which may include other additional modes of transport such as train, car rental etc.? If so, can it please be attached to this response.**
- I would be grateful if you could provide this information in an electronic format.**

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

## **Response**

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

***I am writing to politely request the following information under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA):***

- \* How many business miles have been travelled by your employees using their own car (grey fleet) in the financial year 2021-2022?**  
10926 miles
- \* How many business miles have been travelled by your employees using their own car (grey fleet) in the financial year 2022-2023?**  
152402 miles

**\* How much money has been reimbursed back to employees for those business miles for grey fleet in the financial year 2021-2022?**

£50,490.18

**\* How much money has been reimbursed back to employees for those business miles for grey fleet in the financial year 2022-2023?**

£84,263.83

**\* How much does your organisation reimburse its employees per mile?**

The Council follows the HMRC mileage rates .

**\* Does your organisation have an employee travel policy for business travel, which may include other additional modes of transport such as train, car rental etc.? If so, can it please be attached to this response.**

Yes, please see attached

### **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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You must also ensure you comply with the Privacy Electronic and Communications Regulations (PECR). For more information follow this Link [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)

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If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request a review within the next 40 working days by writing to the Information Management Team at: [foi@barnet.gov.uk](mailto:foi@barnet.gov.uk). Or by post to Records & Information

Management Service, Assurance Group, London Borough of Barnet, 2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW

If, having exhausted our review procedure, you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you will have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF (telephone: 0303 123 1113; website [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)). There is no charge for making an appeal.