

FOI Disclosure Log 2024

Ref	Date Received	FOI Request	Requester Type	Decision ltr issued	Decision type
1.24	03.01.24	In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to the following records which are non-personal and which I believe are held by Louth County Council: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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. 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. Where sensitive information that cannot be released under the Freedom of Information Act is an issue, I am willing to receive redacted information. Where data is being released it is my preference to receive tabulated/Excel format data.	JOURNALIST	30.01.24	PART GRANT
2.24	05.01.24	Section 25 of the Disability Act 2005 requires the upgrading of older public buildings so that they comply with Part M of the Building Regulations. Public bodies were required to bring their public buildings into compliance with Part M 2010 by 1st January 2022. Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records from the start of 2019 to the end of 2023 relating to this requirement referenced above. This should include, but is not limited to, records of any meeting minutes, meeting notes, letters, emails, memos, notes, progress reports, inspections and any other relevant records relating to the Council's compliance with Part M 2010.E2	OTHER	16.04.24	DEEMED WITHDRAWN
3.24	09.01.24	Under the FOI acts, I request the following: Records the number of refugees accommodated in your local authority region during the years 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023. These people may be referred to as beneficiaries of temporary protection. Please state the age range and gender and type of accommodation recorded in terms of single or multi-occupancy dwellings. Please also provide records of correspondence or minutes of meetings in which concerns have been raised about the security of these refugees or the buildings within which they reside. Please provide records in relation to concerns raised during 2022 and 2023 about refurbishment works on properties in your local authority where the works relate to accommodation for refugees or beneficiaries of temporary protection	JOURNALIST	02.02.24	PART GRANT
4.24	11.01.24	Can you provide me with the following under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act:-How many incidents of suspected illegal dumping have been received/investigated by the council from January 2020 to December 2023.-How many litter enforcement notices/fines have been issued during the same period.- How much in tonnage has been removed by council staff from such incidents during that time.-How many prosecutions have resulted and how much has the council spent on legal fees dealing with such issues during that same period.he council recouped from issuing notices/fines and compensation it may have received from the courts in following such prosecutions during that same time period.	JOURNALIST	07.02.24	PART GRANT
5.24	15.01.24	Records held regarding the number of mould complaints in social housing in 2023 within the council's remit OR records of repairs carried out as a result of mould complaints in social housing in 2023, if the former is not held.	JOURNALIST	12.02.24	WITHDRAWN
6.24	15.01.24	Records documents and files in relation to first complaint to the plannIng dept. of LCC during 2018/2019. Information including on site inspection reports and clarity on the work carried out by Irish Water at this time. Information on the original Earlsfort planning permission ref: 99/1053 and associated informaiton including site levels captured at this time	CLIENT	22.01.24	PART GRANT

7.24	18.01.24	<p>I write under the Freedom of Information Act seeking all documents, held in hard copy or in electronic format, to include phonecalls, emails and messages, by all sections of Louth County Council in relation to the Dundalk to Forkhill Road at Kilcurry, adjacent to Scoil Phadraig Naofa and the four road junction, from January 2020 to date. The map reference is 54.04449844168907, -6.42528058909668 for the school, and the junction in question is at the North eastern side of the school. There is no R number on the road.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">REFINEMENT:</p> <p>20.02.24 RECIEVED:</p> <p>The refinement of my Foi request is as follows.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -records from date 1 of January 2020 to 17 of January 2024 -records from road maintenance, road signage, traffic calming measures, speed surveys, traffic volume, accident statistics, accident investigation and prevention, road safety audits, safety risks associated with traffic movements, traffic impact assessments, reduction or elimination of risk of accident, and traffic /road accidents/incidents. -records from Patrick Brady <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ian Durnin Paddy Connolly Mark Johnston David Jones. - records from engineers, architects, executive engineers, director of services ,road safety engineers. - records from the north Louth roads section. 	CLIENT	15.03.24	GRANTED
8.24	18.01.24	<p>Under the freedom of Information Act 2014, I am submitting a request for the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Record(s) that demonstrates the number of surveillance devices/systems(whichever is most practical) utilized by your Council for (a) traffic management purposes, (b) for waste enforcement purposes and (c) the number of community CCTV schemes the Council participates in, as well as (d) the number of CCTV systems operated for any other purpose other than those listed above. •Iam also requesting a copy of the current Data Protection Impact Assessments on file for each CCTV system operated by the council (including CCTV systems in council buildings). •Please also direct me to your council's CCTV code of practice/policy as I have not been able to locate it online. 	OTHER	14.02.24	PART GRANT
10.24	23.01.24	Dangerous place report referred to in dangerous report of Alan Wilson dated 09 May 2023	CLIENT	26.01.24	PART GRANT
11.24	25.01.24	<p>I am submitting a Freedom of Information Act 2014 request for copies of all diary records pertaining to the Director of Corporate and Emergency Services, spanning from April 4th to September 5th, 2023.</p> <p>Email received on 26.01.24 to clarify the request: The official I was referring to is Mr. Joe McGuinness.</p>	JOURNALIST	13.02.24	PART GRANT
12.24	25.01.24	I am submitting a Freedom of Information Act 2014 request for copies of all diary records pertaining to the CEO of Louth Co Co, spanning from April 4th to September 5th, 2023.	JOURNALIST	13.02.24	PART GRANT
13.24	26.01.24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Total number of residential properties owned by LCC •Total number of residential properties owned by LCC which are currently vacant •The total number of active HAP Tenancies with LCC •The total number of RAS tenancies with LCC •The total number of persons currently on the housing waiting list with LCC •ALL RECEIVED IN HARD COPY 	OTHER	30.01.24	WITHDRAWN

15.24	06.02.24	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, I wish to request the following in relation to all active quarry sites operating in the council's administrative area which have planning permission (or an expired planning permission):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •The most up-to-date list of all active quarries with active planning permission; •The most up-to-date list of all active quarries with expired planning permission; •For each quarry, a copy of the record (be it invoice, receipt, council letter, etc) confirming receipt/lodging of a Restoration Bond / surety bond (financial details can be redacted as required) as required as per planning conditions to ensure satisfactory reinstatement of the site following the completion of extraction, or to pay a contribution towards the cost of upgrading or repairing the local road network. 12.02.24 Further refinement received: On consultation with some other councils, I would like to refine my FOI request to the following element only: <p>For each quarry in the Council's most-up-to-date quarry register (as required under Section 261 of the Planning and Development Act), please release a copy of the/a record (be it an invoice, receipt, council letter, etc) confirming receipt/lodging of a Restoration Bond (financial details can be redacted as required) by the quarry operator as required per planning conditions.</p> <p>Can you please proceed with the new wording in bold above and if you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact me.</p>	JOURNALIST	20.02.24	GRANT
16.24	06.02.24	<p>I am requesting the following information under the Freedom On Information Act 2014.</p> <p>Under the Energy Efficiency Retrofit Programme</p> <p>I want a full list of the properties that were retrofitted under this scheme in years 2022 and 2023.</p>	COUNCILLOR	16.02.24	WITHDRAWN
17.24	07.02.24	<p>I'm looking to find out how much money was allocated to HGV/BUS Training from Louth Local Development Park St Dundalk for the years 2022 and 2023 please.</p>	OTHER	12.02.24	REFUSED
18.24	06.02.24	<p>I wish to request all documentation (paper and digital, hard copies and emails) held by Louth County Council relating to the LMFM Broadcast Journalist Michael Reade, using the search words;</p> <p>Michael Reade Michael Read Michael Reid from the 13th of July - 12th of September, 2023.</p>	JOURNALIST	11.10.24	WITHDRAWN
19.24	06.02.24	<p>I wish to request all documentation (paper and digital, hard copies and emails) held by Louth County Council relating to the LMFM Broadcast Journalist Michael Reade, using the search words;</p> <p>Michael Reade Michael Read Michael Reid from the 13th of September - 12th of November, 2023.</p>	JOURNALIST	05.03.24	GRANT
20.24	06.02.24	<p>I wish to request all documentation (paper and digital, hard copies and emails) held by Louth County Council relating to the LMFM Broadcast Journalist Michael Reade, using the search words;</p> <p>Michael Reade Michael Read Michael Reid from the 13th of November, 2023.- 6th of February, 2024</p>	JOURNALIST	11.10.24	WITHDRAWN

23.24	12.02.24	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, we hereby request all Information held by LCC in connection with Dangerous Structure DB 2023 017. Information to include all Reports, photographs, correspondence, site notes, measurements, levels, gabion basket rupture and gabion wire diameter checks, emails, memos of conversations and phone calls, minutes of LCC MTM and other meetings. Information requested includes the following:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All Information held by LCC between the 48-page Report of the Dangerous Structure issued by us to LCC on 7/6/2022 and +E25 inspection by LCC 27/6/2023 including reason for the one-year delay in LCC inspection and fact finding. 2. All records made by Alan Wilson LCC on the 27/6/2023 during his visit to St Anthony's Trinity St., Drogheda in order to inspect the above adjoining dangerous structure situated on St Jude's including:- Alan Wilson's Site Notes, site measurements, Site Levels taken at top and bottom of retaining structures in both St Jude's and St Anthony's, Measurement and determination of retained heights and materials, inspection of fully collapsed section of gabion retaining wall to South end, photographs, Measurement of patent cracks widths and lengths in (a) Gabion retaining structure (b) Blockwork retaining sections on top, inspection of wire diameters in gabion baskets and lacing wires, inspection of ruptured and sagging of gabions, engineer's calculations, inspection of decayed timber deck sitting on said defective gabion and blockwork retaining structures, Report and Recommendations to Thomas McEvoy Director of Services LCC and all internal and external communications on the matter. 3. Record of the Dangerous Structure entered into the Register of Dangerous Structures as required under the 1964 Act. 4. Copy of DWDS Report instructed and obtained by LCC under Dangerous Structure Notice dated 14/7/2023. Report was subsequent to an inspection requested by DWDS and carried out by them from our property on 06/9/2023. 5. Copy of independent Reports obtained by LCC in connection with DB 2023 017. 6. Information on legal advice sought and legal action taken by LCC under Section 3(4) and Section 3(5) of the 1964 Act in connection with the failure of the gabion wall owner to comply with the Notice in terms her disavowed Engineer's Report and her Engineer's refusal to Supervise the works under Section (2) of the Notice, and her failure to complete works within 90 days under section (3) of the Notice. 7. Information on the basis for assurances given by T McEvoy to Sheila Fagan on 24/10/2023 that remedial work would commence shortly. Information on why this did not happen. 8. All communications between the Health and Safety Authority (HSA), LCC and the owner of DB2023 017 regarding Safety of Workers and Falling from Height. 	CLIENT	06.03.24	PART GRANT
24.24	14.02.24	<p>Under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, we are hereby submitting a formal request for all information held by LCC in relation to the disposal and registration of LH 4460F. We have a material interest in this matter since part of newly registered LH 4460F encroaches on and overlaps the Triangle in our possession for 20 years shown on the South West corner of our Registered Title Deed LH 229L attached. This information should encompass all investigations, reports, photographs, maps, correspondence, site visits and notes, measurements, emails, memos of conversations and phone calls, due diligence investigations, minutes of internal LCC meetings, Legal Declarations, comprehensive Section 183 details and other relevant meetings, along with their respective dates.</p> <p>We appreciate your attention to this matter and request prompt consideration of our request. Please acknowledge receipt of this correspondence and LH229L Land Registry Sealed and Certified Copy Folio attachment at your earliest convenience.</p> <p>Refinement received: 15.02.24 You are quite correct and the Folio No. in question should read LH44607F as per the attached map from Land Registry. Apologies for our error.</p> <p>The time frame is from April 2021 to present date and I understand Corporate Estate and Meeting Administration would have records.</p>	CLIENT	13.03.24	PART GRANT
26.24	26.02.24	<p>I wish to receive copies of the following records under the Freedom of Information Act related to the vacant site levy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A list (preferably in tabular format such as a spreadsheet) of each site owner (where the owner is a company, please exclude individuals) and the amount outstanding in payments for the vacant site levy. I am happy to review details per site or per owner, whichever is least timing-consuming for the council. <p>Please provide the requested documents in electronic format - and in spreadsheet format where available - and provide an acknowledgement letter as soon as possible.</p> <p>Please also contact me as early as possible where any potential refinement may be required and/or where costs are envisioned and can be reduced or eliminated through request refinement.</p>	OTHER	25.03.24	REFUSED
27.24	28.02.24	<p>Under FOI I request all and any information held by LA relating to any works carried out between May 2009 and 1st June, 2017 to the road, kerbs or footpaths at the are shaded red on attached maps.</p>	CLIENT	22.03.24	PART GRANT

30.24	04.03.24	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to seek the following records for 2023 - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •The number of potholes reported to the local authority last year •The number of claims received regarding pothole damage last year •The number of claims paid out arising from pothole damage last year •The total amount paid out arising from pothole damage to vehicles and bicycles last year •The biggest single claim payout arising from pothole damage last year. •A copy of the local authority procedure for dealing with pothole damage claims. 	JOURNALIST	08.04.24	PART GRANT
31.24	11.03.24	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of records relating to the tendering of training/education services by the Council's Local Enterprise Office for the past five years (2018-2023). By this, I mean a copy of the request for tender and associated documents, a copy of the submission received from the eventual award winner and a copy of the contract signed between the Council and the award winner. I would prefer to receive this information electronically, preferably in its original format. If you feel that the request is too broad, or that it may not be possible to respond to this request in a reasonable time, please contact me at this email address and inform me of how I can refine my request.	OTHER		WITHDRAWN
35.24	25.03.24	Under Section 12 of the FOI Act we are making a request for access to non-personal records held by LCC which contain the following information: 1. all providers of emergency accommodation, including dedicated homeless accommodation, family hubs, B&B's or any other form of accommodation provided by the Council under Section 10 of the Housing Act 1988 to persons who have been assessed as homeless, in contact with LCC at any time since 25 September 2023; 2. the total number of beds available to LCC for use as emergency accommodation on a week to week basis from 25 September 2023 to present and; 3. Any alternative arrangements utilised by LCC to provide for accommodation under Section 10 of the Housing Act 1988 since 25 September 2023, for example the provision of vouchers to facilitate self-accommodation or the provision of own door interim accommodation	OTHER	18.04.25	GRANT
36.24	09.04.24	Under the FOI for records created in relation to the following company and or its officers: Reg No: 599212 Reg Name: Yes Foodz Limited Type Ltd: Private Company Limited by Shares Reg Address: 7 Boyne Valley Cottages, Drogheda, County Louth Directors: Nigel Lewis Finnegan & Owen Louis Finnegan All internal, external and interdepartmental emails, notes or memos concerning the above company from 1st day of July 2020 to present date. Refinement:10.04.24 : The FOI is related primarily to the Louth County Local Enterprise Office - but would also include any correspondence on file (internal, external and interdepartmental emails, notes or memo's) related to YES Foodz Ltd from the LEO section of the Department of Enterprise Trade & Employment, Minister/Ministers Office. Enterprise Ireland, - CEO , Chairman of the Board, Board Secretary, Legal Section, the Industrial Development Authority, the Department of Local Government - Ministers Office, Kildare County Council. Kildare Local Enterprise Office, Meath Local Enterprise Office.	CLIENT	02.05.24	PART GRANT
37.24	26.03.24	I would like to under FOI Legislation request any records to include emails and minutes of meetings in relation to the Gap between Moneymore & Castlemanor	OTHER	09.05.24	REFUSED
39.24	05.04.24	Under the FOI Act 2014, I request any communication in hardcopy or digital format sent from LCC offices to the representatives of Louth Tidy Towns Together, Blackrock Tidy Towns and/or Councillor Maria Doyle end of August to 30th September 2020 regarding Phase 2 TVRS (Sandylane to Elm Park, Rock Road). My request also includes a phone call record or text message communication	CLIENT	05.04.24	WITHDRAWN
40.24	04.05.24	I was looking for FOI on how many houses have been given out in Drogheda in the past 5 years by the Co. Council and how I would go about getting the information.	CLIENT	25.04.24	GRANTED

41.24	10.04.24	<p>I now have confirmed 4 properties and owners in close proximity to this home acting on information that came from LCC contract update in September 2020.</p> <p>The simplest one is this: I want a footpath - Subject Pronoun/Verb/Object LCC on September 15th 2020 is the object in that sentence and it is hand written by a member of AGS in a statement. I am sure that person wanted a footpath before September 15th 2020 and was delighted to get the update. Bullies can be well dressed and well off too but you would never hear our Minister for Justice call them scumbags. I hope you realise that I am not what anyone expected and will not be treated in such a manner by my peer age group who just came back to visit and brought the kids after 30 years of privilege in this society due to good health, good jobs and all opportunities this society provided to them since teenager years. Not all of us had that life but I am not here for their entertainment or exploitation. I want my right under the law to defend my name and person. I am asking for your help in LCC with that final FOI for September records please.</p>	CLIENT	10.04.24	WITHDRAWN
42.24	11.04.24	<p>I have refined my request on new analysis. Please advise if the following is acceptable wording to proceed: Under the FOI Act 2014, I request hard or soft copy communications from the Community Section and/or Infrastructure Section to Cllr Maria Doyle and/or Mr John Horan (Chairman Blackrock TT) regarding the awarding of roads contract for phase 2 TVRS usage on the Rock Road (Sandylane to Elm Park). The timeframe is 1st to 30th September 2020.</p>	CLIENT	08.05.24	REFUSED
43.24	11.04.24	<p>St. Dominics Bridge refurbishment, I would like to know who signed off the steelwork on the bridge. The work that was carried out is welding, steel fitting, refurbishment and repair etc. Bridge work was in 2022.</p>	OTHER		WITHDRAWN
44.24	11.04.24	<p>Sedgwick Ireland would like to make a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>We have the following questions with regards to Louth County Councils legislative requirements to complete inspections under the housing (standards for rented houses) regulations 2019.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How is Louth County Council fulfilling its legislative requirements to complete inspections under the Housing (Standards For Rented Houses) Regulations 2019 How many rented properties in Louth County Council fall within the scope for the Minimum Housing Standards Legislation? How many people/resources are employed to carry out these inspections for Louth County Council? Are these resources in-house or outsourced? If outsourced, who is providing this service to Louth County Council? Approximately how much does Louth County Council spend annually on fulfilling the legislative requirements? How many surveys would each inspector fulfil on a weekly basis? When do Louth County Council expect to tender for the inspection services? What technology is Louth County Council using to carry out these inspections on site? Is Louth County Council doing any virtual re-inspections? - if so, what technology are you utilising to conduct virtual inspections? How long does it take Louth County Council to conduct an initial/first inspection? 	OTHER	24.04.24	WITHDRAWN
45.24	16.04.24	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I request hard or soft copy communications from the Community Section and/or Infrastructure Section to Mr Larry Magnier (LAMA; Blackrock TT; Louth Tidy Towns Together) regarding the awarding of roads contract for phase 2 TVRS usage on the Rock Road (Sandylane to Elm Park). The timeframe is 1st to 30th September 2020.</p> <p>Note: In previous years, Mr B Eaton did his job and sent communication to Mr L Magnier regarding such updates.</p>	CLIENT	08.05.24	REFUSED
46.24	23.04.24	<p>I request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, details of all Public works, permissions and or tenders carried out by Louth County Council, their agents , servants or whomsoever, relating to the area of the bryanstown cross route between the roundabout on said route West to the Blackbush lane junction between the dates of september 2014 and May 2017</p>	OTHER	17.05.24	REFUSED
47.24	22.04.24	<p>I am writing to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for access to records which I believe are held by Louth County Council. Specifically, I am seeking information regarding the current status of the "Taking in Charge" process for Riverbank Estate located in Drogheda.</p> <p>The details I am requesting are as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> All documentation and correspondence related to the "Taking in Charge" process for Riverbank Estate, Drogheda. Records of any decisions made regarding the process. Timelines, notes from meetings, or communication between Louth County Council and any other relevant parties concerning the Taking in Charge of Riverbank Estate. Any assessments, reports, or inspections carried out as part of this process. 	OTHER	02.05.24	WITHDRAWN

48.24	26.04.24	All records and requests by Mr Owen Finegan Messrs Finnegan Jackson following inspection of property on Rock Road Blackrock, Co. Louth on or around 2nd March 2024 to date together with any other documentation submitted by Finegan Jackson in this matter in this period.	OTHER	23.05.24	GRANTED
53.24	30.04.24	<p>We are researching the welfare and outcomes of dogs in local authority shelters (sometimes termed 'pounds'), including euthanasia. We intend to analyse the data and include it in a scientific publication. We request the following information:</p> <p>For each of the last 3 years (2021, 2022, 2023), please provide the following information</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The number of dog places that you have available at any one time in your shelter(s) or pound(s) 2. The number of dogs that have spent any time in your dog shelter(s) or pound(s). 3. The number of stray dogs that have entered a shelter/pound(s) 4. The number of dogs that have entered a shelter/pound(s) that were seized for welfare reasons 5. The number of dogs that have entered a shelter/pound(s) that were seized for human safety reasons 6. The number of dogs that have entered a shelter/pound(s) that were relinquished 7. The top 3 breeds of the dogs that entered the shelter/pound(s) plus amount of each breed 8. The number of dogs that were rehomed directly from your shelter 9. The number of dogs that were moved to another rehoming centre (e.g. run by a charity) in the UK/Ireland and abroad 10. The average length of stay of dogs in your shelter/pound(s) 11. The number of each type of breed of dog that were euthanased. <p>Currently:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Do you have any written policies on <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Welfare of the dogs in your shelter/pound(s), including requirements for exercise, enrichment, formal behavioural assessment? Yes/ No (If yes, please provide) b. Euthanasia of dogs in your shelter/pound(s)? Yes/ No (If yes, please provide) 2. Please provide your most recent inspection report including the recommendations for improvement 3. Please provide the Full Time Equivalent staff and level of formal training of the staff that work in your shelter/pound(s) 	OTHER	28.05.24	PART GRANT
54.24	30.04.24	Under the FOI Act 2014, I request a copy of the contract offer letter to Wilkins & Son; the returned acceptance letter and associated documentation for Wilkins & Son, County Monaghan, created in September 2020 regarding phase 2, Sandylane to Elm Park, Town and Village Renewal Scheme.	CLIENT	08.05.24	REFUSED
55.24	30.04.24	All records relating to any prior planning applications/submissions made by any entity now approved for IPAC contracts, All records relating to the tender process for current and proposed IPAS sites and all environmental impact assessment, waste management plans and sustainability studies on current or proposed	OTHER	23.05.24	REFUSED
56.24	01.05.24	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a copy of all invoices/receipts associated with St Patrick's Day travel for the local authority in 2023. - a record of who travelled. - a table/spreadsheet/record of all costs if possible. - the itinerary for the trip. - an information note on the trip if you or your communications department wish to provide one. <p>I would prefer to receive this information electronically, ideally in its original electronic format. Just to clarify the request that I sent yesterday re: costs incurred for St Patrick's Day.</p> <p>Clarificaion - This request should have stated I am seeking such records for any travel that took place in 2024, not 2023 (which you have previously released to me).</p>	TBC	29.05.24	PART GRANT

57.24	07.05.24	<p>We request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act. Please provide details of total funding provided by the Louth Local Enterprise Office to enterprises in the Drogheda Co Louth Urban area as per attached map for each of the 5 years ended 31 December 2019 to 31 December 2023. We attach a schedule with headings for each of the funding schemes. Refinement received : 23.05.24 Thank you for your email and request for clarification on our request. To clarify on the townlands the relate to our request they are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • West Gate • Fair Gate • St Laurences Gate • St Peters Urban • Bryanstown Co Louth • Stameen Co Louth • Moneymore • Newtown • Newtownstalaban • Tredagh • Bathmullen Co Louth • Riverbank • Mell • Ballsgrove • Greenbatter • Yellowbatter 	OTHER	20.06.24	PART GRANT
58.24	08.05.24	<p>Refined: 20.05.24 After speaking to you I am clarifying the search for records in relation to: 1) Copies of all correspondence between council and the Irish Coursing Club (ICC) between 2019 and 2023. Is in relation to hares, coursing and hare welfare.</p>	JOURNALIST	07.06.24	REFUSED
59.24	09.05.24	<p>Under the FOI Act, I am seeking the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The total number of vehicles your organisation currently owns or operates. • The total number of electric vehicles your organisation currently owns or operates. • The total number of vehicles your organisation currently owns or operates that use telematics. • A copy of the most up-to-date policy or guidance document (or other similar document/advisory/guidance) that covers, underpins, or relates to council decisions over vehicle fleet purchase, and in particular choosing whether those vehicles should be diesel, petrol, electric, hybrid, or use telematics. • A copy of the council's EV strategy <p>I would prefer to receive this information electronically, preferably in its original formatting. As you are aware, Section 17(4) of the FOI Act allows for a requester to seek "information" of a type that can be easily gathered by a public body, as per the above request. If you would prefer, however, to deal with this request for information under the Access to Information on the Environment (AIE) Regulations, please feel free to do so. I wish to receive this information electronically, ideally in an excel or csv format.</p>	OTHER	13.06.24	GRANTED
60.24	13.05.24	All records and correspondence between LCC and the Doyle Morris Group regarding the vacant home property grant application and assesment process.	CLIENT	10.06.24	PART GRANT
61.24	15.05.24	Under FOI Act 2014 I hereby request all information documents or correspondence pertaining to sale of 'Wallace's Row' previously owned by LCC and subsequently purchased by Mr Sullivan and G Morgan & Sons. 'Wallace's Row' is located on the Ballykenny Road, Drogheda. We currently reside at the end of Wallace's Row Eircode A92WV7R. Any additional information required please do not hesitate to contact me at the above address or phone number.	OTHER	21.06.24	REFUSED
63.24	16.05.24	Under the Freedom of Information Act (2014), please find enclosed in this email an FOI request regarding the use of weed killers by the Council between the years 2010 to present.	OTHER	14.06.24	GRANT

64.24	20.05.24	<p>I request the following records under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>1. Copies of all Chief Executive Order Registers Placemaking and Physical Development from 01 November 2023 to 31 January 2024.</p> <p>2. Copies of all Chief Executive Order Registers from 01 November 2023 to 31 January 2024</p> <p>Please provide the requested records to this email address. I do not wish to receive the information by way of cloud service or online portal.</p>	OTHER	14.06.24	GRANT
66.24	29.05.24	<p>Táim ag scríobh chun iarratas a chur isteach faoin Acht Saorála Faisnéise. Tá an t-iarratas le fáil thíos:</p> <p>Sonraí an Iarrthóra Sloinne: Sardina Ainm: Seathrún Seoladh: 24 Newmarket Sq, Cnoc Mhic an Bhaird, BÁC 8 Uimhir fhóin: 089 263 6737</p> <p>Sonraí Pearsanta Ba mhaith liom an t-eolas seo a fháil ar seachadadh trí ríomhphost agus é i nGaeilge amháin.</p> <p>Sonraí na hIarrachta I gcomhréir le hAlt 12 de chuid an Acht um Shaoráil Faisnéise, iarraim rochtain ar thaifid neamh-phearsanta.</p> <p>Seo iad na taifid atá iarraidh agam ná: An meid airgead a caitheadh ar earraí, ar sheirbhísí, ar bia nó ar eile ó na comhlachtaí seo a leanas: AXA Insurance, Puma, Carrefour, Caltex, Siemens, Hewlett Packard, Chevron, RE/MAX, Texaco, AHAVA, sodastream, McDonalds, Domino's, Burger King, Papa John's, Wix.</p> <p>Ba mhaith liom an t-eolas seo a fháil ón tréimhse 1 Eanáir 2024 - 25 Bealtaine 2024.</p> <p>Ba mhaith liom an t-eolas caiteachais airgid a fháil mar scarbhileog mhiondealaithe de réir na gcomhlachtaí. Muna bhfuil aon airgead ar bith íoctha chun comhlachta ar bith ar an liosta thuas, ba maith liom ráiteas a dheimhniú é sin mar PDF i nGaeilge.</p> <p>Táim ag scríobh chun iarratas a chur isteach faoin Acht Saorála Faisnéise. Tá an t-iarratas le fáil thíos:</p> <p>Sonraí an Iarrthóra Sloinne: Sardina Ainm: Seathrún</p>	OTHER	26.06.24	GRANT
67.24	29.05.24	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- copies of any records held referring or relating to the removal of a 'fairy tree' by Louth County Council as per the following article: https://www.lmfmm.ie/news/lmfmm-news/removal-of-fairy-tree-was-approved-by-louth-county-council/</p> <p>This request to cover the period 1 Jan 2024 to date.</p> <p>I would prefer to receive this information electronically, ideally in its original electronic format.</p>	JOURNALIST	26.06.24	PART GRANT

69.24	07.06.24	I am writing to formally request access to specific records under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 (FOI Act) regarding planned Information and Communication Technology (ICT) procurements for the current financial year 2024/25. As part of our organization's interest in your upcoming ICT procurement initiatives, we kindly request the following information: 1. Documentation outlining the planned ICT procurements, including hardware, software, maintenance agreements, and related services, scheduled for this year. 2. Information on any planned ICT projects or initiatives for the current fiscal year. 3. Details on budget allocations earmarked for ICT procurement. 4. Timelines associated with the procurement processes. 5. Any tender notices or requests for proposals related to ICT procurement, if available. Transparency and accountability in public expenditure are paramount to us. We kindly ask for as much information as possible regarding these points. If there are any exemptions or limitations in disclosing certain information under the FOI Act, please provide them with the reasons for the exemptions. If you are not the appropriate contact person or cannot locate the requested information, we kindly request that you forward this email to the relevant ICT team or department.	OTHER	04.07.24	PART GRANT
70.24	14.06.24	I wish to apply under the freedom of information act for all correspondence which is in the possession of Louth County Council relating to concerns on public safety, dangerous building concerns, structural concerns and dereliction related issues regarding the listed building at no 74-76 West Street Drogheda. I wish to seek this correspondence over the years 2021 to date.	COUNCILLOR	27.06.27	WITHDRAWN
72.24	17.06.24	I wish to apply under the freedom of information act for all records in possession of Louth County Council, in relation to the condition of the listed building at number 74 to 76 West Street Drogheda /Scholes Lane, Drogheda also known formerly known as Bradys since Jan 2021 to date	COUNCILLOR	11.07.24	PART GRANT
74.24	20.06.24	Dear Sir/ Madam, under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: 1) In 2022, 2023, and the first five months of 2024, how many stray dogs were taken by the dog warden and brought to a shelter? 2) In 2022, 2023 and the first five months of 2024, how many on-the-spot fines were issued to dog owners? How much was each fine? And how many of these were paid? I would prefer to receive this information electronically, preferably in its original formatting.	OTHER	17.07.24	PART GRANT
75.24	20.06.24	I wish to apply under the Freedom of Information Act for all correspondence within the council relating to the tanks and silos that were part of the Old Oil and Cake site on the Marsh Road in Drogheda EAP 016498. 02.07.24 REFIMENT RECEIVED Further to our conversation I now wish to seek a subset of the original FOI request submitted, leaving my original request as is. The subset is to seek all correspondence related to environmental and health and safety concerns with regard to the tanks and silos that were part of the Old Oil and Cake site on the Marsh road in Drogheda, from the 1st of January 2023 to date.	COUNCILLOR	29.07.24	GRANT
78.24	05.07.24	I am making the following requests under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 about Annagassan Bridge: 1. Please provide me with the most recent structural engineering survey of Annagassan Bridge (Protected Structure). 2. The last time a structural survey was conducted by Louth County Council engineers on Annagassan Bridge or engineers on behalf of Louth County Council. 3. Any existing or proposed restricted load rating under section 93(1) (a) of the Road Traffic Act 1961 for Annagassan Bridge, a protected structure. 4. A record of any previously proposed load rating by any Louth county council engineers report or third party engineers report to Louth county council.	CLIENT	26.07.24	GRANT
79.24	05.07.24	I am making the following requests under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 about Annagassan Mill and attached Mill wheel, a Louth County Council listed protected structure owned and operated by Standard Brands Kilsaran: 1. Please provide me with the most recent structural engineering survey of Annagassan Mill and attached Mill Wheel (Protected Structure) conducted by or on behalf of Louth County Council. 2. The last time a structural survey was conducted by Louth County Council engineers on Annagassan Mill and Mill wheel or engineers on behalf of Louth County Council. 3. The last time Louth County Council inspected the status of Annagassan Mill and Mill Wheel as a protected structure.	CLIENT	12.08.24	REFUSED
80.24	10.07.24	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: - a record, database, spreadsheet, list, map or any other record held giving a list of all official and non-official Traveller halting sites in your local authority area. Please provide the address and postcode of each site and the date when it was opened. I would prefer to receive this information electronically, ideally in its original electronic format.	OTHER	22.07.24	GRANT

82.24	25.07.24	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to the following records which are non-personal and which I believe are held by Louth County Council:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A list of all former county councillors who are due to receive retirement gratuities following the local elections in May 2024. • A list of former councillors who were in receipt of gratuity payments due to vacating their seats in the period between the 2019 and 2024 local elections. • A list of any other former councillors who were in receipt of gratuity payments between the 2019 and 2024 local elections. • The amount that each individual councillor has received or is due to receive in their retirement gratuity. <p>My preferred form of access is to receive copies of the records via email. I am happy and willing to receive my information in Microsoft Excel format.</p> <p>I would also appreciate if you could differentiate between payments that were paid and those due to be paid. For any due to be paid, please outline when is it anticipated that they will be made. I would also like to know how much time each of these councillors served on the council.</p> <p>Where sensitive information that cannot be released under the Freedom of Information Act is an issue, I am willing to receive redacted information.</p>	JOURNALIST	20.08.24	GRANT
83.24	03.07.24	16 Point FOI Request	CLIENT	16.07.24	REFUSED
85.24	02.08.24	<p>As LCC have issued that the public express a view as to an increase or decrease in local property tax therefore so that can have the knowledge to make a rational reply I request:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Total LCC annual budget 2022 or 2023. 2) Total level of property tax for Louth% of that tax each named electoral area. 3) Is a % of property tax ring fenced for area from which gathered. 4) Is a % of property tax expended in each electoral area (E.A) 5) Is a % of property tax in areas of a) roads, footpaths, transport, b) tourism, c) education, d) activities for public i) gardens ii) sports facilities. 6) The amount of annual expenditure on enhancing street scapes in ear electoral area. 	CLIENT	29.08.24	PART GRANT
86.24	12.08.24	All documentation including electronic and paper connected with the tender contract of all strategy, collaboration and innovation fund 2023 project, including the names and copies of the tender applications of all applicants and the details of the successful applicants.	OTHER	13.08.24	TRANSFERRED
87.24	02.08.24	I wish to apply under the Freedom of Information Act for all written and electronic correspondence within Louth County council relating to the council's decision to remove sites from the Roads Work Programme (RWP) 2024 following higher tender pricing, including all correspondence relating to the decision making process and methodology used to remove the sites by location.	TD	22.08.24	PART GRANT
88.24	05.08.24	<p>Under the FOI ACT 2014, I am seeking copies of the following records:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All Credit Card Statements for December 2023, January 2024, and June 2024 2. All Bank Account Statements for December 2023, January 2024, and June 2024 	OTHER	11.09.24	REFUSED
89.24	07.08.24 11.02.25	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act we hereby request a copy of the complete LCC file on the above dangerous structure 2023 017 from the date of us first reporting it to you on the 7th June 2022 up to the present time. This request is necessary due to matters and decisions contained that directly affect our Safety on which we have received inadequate communication and consultation from LCC.</p>	CLIENT	03.09.24 09.04.25	PART GRANTED PART GRANTED
90.24	02.08.24	<p>I hope you are well, I have received the initial response to the sub set FOI request as per below Reference FOI Request 75.24.</p> <p>I consider the FOI to still be live and therefore I am now seeking a further subset as follows "The subset is to seek all correspondence related to environmental and health and safety concerns with regard to the tanks and silos that were part of the Old Oil and Cake site on the Marsh road in Drogheda, from the 1st of January 2020 to the 1st of January 2023.</p>	CLIENT	30.08.24	GRANT
91.24	09.08.24	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, we kindly request the following information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Confirmation of the registered legal owner of the green spaces within the Sandfield Gardens estate. 2. Copies of any communications between Louth County Council (or its legal team) and St. Oliver Plunkett's NS, Sandy Lane, including its committee, board, or principal, concerning the green space in Sandfield Gardens. 3. Information on any planned developments or changes to the estate by parties other than the residents. 4. Confirmation of the current status of the 'taking in charge' of the estate, including the process that was followed and the date it took effect. 	CLIENT	05.09.24	REFUSED
92.24	11.08.24	<p>I am making the following requests under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 about the engineering survey conducted on Annagassan bridge in 2022 by Atkins and the newly appointed consultant for bridge surveys in County Louth:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What was the cost of the Atkins survey conducted by same on Annagassan Bridge dated 13 July 2022? 2. What is the name (individual or company) of the newly engaged consultant to conduct surveys of County Louth Bridges? 	CLIENT	03.09.24	WITHDRAWN

93.24	12.08.24	Under the FOI act 2014 I request the following please. a copy of the footpath opening section outside house no 7 mountain view dunleer co Louth which extended to the entry of no 6 mountain view Dunleer co couth in may 2023. and a copy of the road opening licence section of road opened in order from outside houses in order no 9,8,7,6 mountain view dunleer co Louth in September 2023.	CLIENT	05.09.24	PART GRANT
94.24	13.08.24	In accordance with Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I would like to request access to the following records for 2023 and 2024: 1) Copies of all communications between the county council and the county council dog pound in relation to weekly/ monthly/ annual information about the dogs held at the pound, to include all documents, spreadsheets, presentations etc. that are referenced in the communications	OTHER	09.09.24	REFUSED
96.24	12.08.24	I would like to make a freedom of information request for the 2020-2023 inspection reports of the dog breeding establishments registered in county Louth.	OTHER	05.09.24	PART GRANT
99.24	27.08.24	Folio Number: LH17648F, Ref Houses 13.14.15.16.17.18 Elmore Lawns. Following sales of the above properties by receivers Mazars of Block 3 Harcourt Centre Harcourt Road, Dublin 2 DO2 I am requesting under FOI to confirm that Mazars has complied with the financial conditions 9.10a.10b.10c under LCC planning reference 97730 for the following and that these financial conditions have been paid in full before the closing of the sales of the above properties. • Bond, • Water Supply, • Roads, • Public Sewage. Please supply this information within 14 days of this document.	CLIENT	23.09.24	REFUSED
100.24	27.08.24	Folio Number: LH17648F, Ref House 13,14,15,16,17 & 8 Elmore Lawns, 08-08-23 D2023 LR119244H Following the sale of the above property by recievers Mazara, I am requesting under FOI that the €960,000.00 County Court Judgement order made against the above properties and Lorstev Construction Ltd under the above folio number have been paid by receiver, Mazars of Block 3 Harcourt Centre, Harcourt Road, Dublin 2 D02 A339. REFINEMENT: On Saturday 31st August, John Higgins of Lorstev Construction Ltd. emailed to agree the revised wording for FOI request FOI 100.24 as follows; “Forvis Mazars were appointed as Receiver to Lorstev Construction. Mazars have sold a number of properties (Nos. 13-18 Elmore Lawns, Knocknagoran, Omeath) which are contained within Folio LH17648F. Louth County Council has a judgement mortgage registered against Folio LH17648F. I am seeking under FOI, records of any payment(s) by Forvis Mazars to Louth County Council towards discharging the judgement mortgage registered against LH17648F”.	CLIENT	26.09.24	REFUSED
101.24	27.08.24	Folio Number: LH17648F, Ref Houses 13.014.15.16.17 & 18. I am requesting under FOI, that due to the fact that the Receivers Mazars have unlawfully sold off the properties, that Receiver Mazars have paid the NPPR and LPT on the closing of the sales of the above properties, the NPPR and LPT has been outstanding since 2009. Please confirm the LCC have received these taxes on the above properties from the receiver Mazars of Block 3 Harcourt Centre, Harcourt Road, Dublin 2, DO2 A339.	CLIENT	23.09.24	PART GRANT

103.24	30.08.24	<p>RE Request for information records via the FOI act</p> <p>Background:</p> <p>I previously requested access to some records from the BCMS system connected to a commencement notice in Co. Louth by contacting Louth County Council building control department. They indicated that they could not share any documents and therefore, unlike accessible planning submissions, there is no method for the public to view building control submissions, other than by making a FOI request.</p> <p>For your information other Councils have accepted this type of FOI request already.</p> <p>I am happy to receive the information electronically and do not wish your office to have to print anything or to take time searching through records for specific information. My request is intended to be simple and can be summarised as follows:</p> <p>Source of information: ref CN0113361LH</p> <p>Commencement date Monday 22 April 2024</p> <p>Owner name James O'Callaghan</p> <p>Address of development: Walterstown, Castlebellingham, Co. Louth</p> <p>Planning permission: 191054</p> <p>(all of the above is from a public record)</p> <p>Information sought:</p> <p>All general arrangement plans, specifications, calculations etc. submitted as part of the commencement notice.</p> <p>Other incidental information such as emails, cover letters, memos etc are not requested and all names can be redacted if you like. This request is simply a request of technical information and not of anything personal.</p> <p>I am not asking for any printing, or effort to account for large format drawings etc other than ask that the file size integrity of the original drawings is retained, otherwise the content will be difficult to see within a reduced file size pdf. For instance in the past I received pdfs based on A4 printouts of the BCMS file which in effect meant I was looking at thumbnail images of a detailed drawing that were submitted, as opposed to the actual large format drawings.</p> <p>Please use this email as the method of delivery.</p>	CLIENT	18.09.24	REFUSED
104.24	02.09.24	<p>I am making the following request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>I am requesting the following records which can include an invoice or other written or printed material in any form (including in any electronic device or in machine readable forms) of any purchase made by Louth County Council for a parting retirement gift and or retirement event/dinner for Louth Council Council Chief Executive, Ms. Joan Martin.</p>	CLIENT	26.09.24	REFUSED
105.24	04.09.24	<p>I am making the following request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>I am requesting the following records which can include an invoice or other written or printed material in any form (including in any electronic device or in machine readable forms):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The contract between Louth County Council (and or its housing agency) and the Doyle Morris Group 2. The records of correspondence associated with the appointment of the Doyle Morris Group 3. The management point of contact between Louth County Council and the Doyle Morris Group 	CLIENT	30.09.24	REFUSED
106.245	04.09.24	<p>I am making the following request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>I am requesting the following records which can include an invoice or other written or printed material in any form (including in any electronic device or in machine readable forms):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A full list and name of all consultancy firms hired by Louth County Council in the last 5 years • The full list of all advertisement for tender of Louth County Councils Requirement for consultancy firms in the last 5 years 	CLIENT	01.10.24	REFUSED

107.24	04.09.24	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014, I wish to request access to the most recent internal guidelines or policy document issued by your FOI body regarding</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. the use of messaging apps or platforms (such as, but not limited to, SMS text messages, MMS messages, WhatsApp, Telegram, Signal, Snapchat, Instagram, Viber, WeChat, Hago, Messenger, BitMessage, Ring, Line, bulk SMS systems), or 2. the retention and archiving of messages sent using messaging platforms, or the transfer of such messages to a central repository with a view to ensuring compliance with FOI requests and data protection SARs. <p>My request should be limited to cover the period from 1 January 2021 to date, and I will be satisfied if I receive the most recent guidance note / office notice / internal circular dealing with the use of messaging apps and the retention of all types of communications.</p>	NP	01.10.24	REFUSED
109.24	18.09.24	<p>I am writing to request access to records held by the Department of the Taoiseach under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014. Tuath Housing Association has reported meeting with council officials between 1 May and 31 August.</p> <p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – minutes for the meeting – records of all material presented at the meeting <p style="text-align: center;">REFINED: 19.09.24 would like to amend my request to the following:</p> <p>"I am writing to request access to records held by Louth County Council under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014."</p> <p>The linked lobbying entry in the request relates to the meeting with council officials.</p>	OTHER	10.10.24	PART GRANT
110.24	24.09.24	<p>Please provide all Louth County Council information in relation to the property, 1 Granagh, Earlsfort, Blackrock Co. Louth. A91 KP2V (folio LH2432) under the freedom of information act. REFINEMENT SOUGHT AND RECEIVED 01.10.24 In response to your email please include information on property, 1 Granagh, Earlsfort, Blackrock Co. Louth. A91 KP2V (folio LH2432)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Council Departments - Department of Housing & Planning 2. Dates - 01/1999 - Present (10/2024) 	CLIENT	15.10.24	REFUSED
111.24	22.09.24	<p>I am making the following request for the following records and information , physical, printed, electronically retained or otherwise retained regarding the tendering process that was used to award Atkins the Contract to survey 57 bridges on behalf of Louth County Council in 2022 and the record of the tendering process applied to award a similar contract to Atkins in 2024 to survey 64 Principle Inspections on bridges throughout Co. Louth in 2024.</p> <p>A copy of the record that awarded the contract and the decision maker who awarded the contract to Atkins in 2022 and 2024.</p>	CLIENT	31.10.24	PART GRANT
112.24	22.09.24	<p>i am making the following request for records held by Louth County Council under the Freedom of information Act 2014.</p> <p>I request a copy of the following records:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. With the exception of the Atkins survey report on Annagassan Bridge , please provide me with a copy of the remaining 56 survey reports Atkins provided Louth County Council in 2022. <p>I can provide a USB stick for your convenience to copy same onto or indeed it can be transferred through WeTransfer.</p>	CLIENT	04.10.24	FEES
114.24	30.09.24	<p>Dear Sir/Madam, Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All documents and communication from 2024 between Harcourt Technologies Ltd and Louth County Council as they relate to the three three-bedroom social housing units at Grange Close in Dundalk, Co. Louth. <p>I would prefer to receive this information electronically, preferably in its original formatting.</p>	OTHER	29.10.24	REFUSED
115.24	30.09.24	<p>Dear Sir/Madam, Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All documents related to the planning of the public awareness campaign by Louth County Council related to the coming into force of regulations on XL Bully type dogs on October 1st , 2024 	OTHER	11.10.24	GRANTED
116.24	02.10.24	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a record/spreadsheet/database of all costs incurred in the construction of Louth Co Co's new civic offices project in Drogheda. This record to be broken down in as much detail as possible e.g. design, construction materials, labour etc. - a copy of the business case, cost benefit analysis, cost estimates, or scoping documents associated with the above project. <p>I would prefer to receive this information electronically, ideally in its original electronic format.</p> <p>If you need to clarify anything in this request, please contact me via email,</p>	OTHER	29.10.24	PART GRANT

117.24	07.10.24	I am emailing with a formal request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The request relates to a planning enforcement file at Louth County Council, which concerns unauthorised development at Arthurstown, Ardee, Co. Louth (Reference: UD/24/240). I understand that a Warning Letter was issued to the landowners on 21 August 2024. I hereby request a copy of the response submitted on behalf of the landowner to Louth County Council, together with a copy of all correspondence on the file.	OTHER	04.11.24	PART GRANT
119.24	09.10.24	To whom it may concern I catriona browne of 7 feran drive louth village request aine shevlin under the freedom of information to send me a copy of the engineers report highlighting there response and show me his discision on the report and show me where they say in black and white that the neighbours haven't impeded on to the property of 7 feran drive louth village	CLIENT	14.11.24	GRANT
121.24	12.10.24	I wish to make a request under the FOI Act 2014 for any contact between LCC and Ann/Paul/Siobhan/Padraic Cooney, Rock Road, Blackrock, County Louth in hard copy or electronic format/communication that includes the following name and address between September 2020 and October 2024: Butterly, Rock Road, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth, A91 C2W4.	CLIENT	14.11.24	REFUSED
122.24	14.10.24	I wish to make a request under the FOI Act 2014 for any communications created, sent or received by Mr Kieran Lawless, Administrative Officer, LCC that contains the following name and/or address and/or identifying content including videos/imagery: Butterly, Rock Road, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth, A91 C2W4. The date range is September 2020 - October 2024 inclusive.	CLIENT	14.11.24	REFUSED
124.24	17.10.24	Apologies, I would like to amend my FOI request as follows: -Please provide me with all data held by the Council / Pound in relation to dog breeds who were involved in incidents of aggression to either dogs or humans between 2021 – 2024 (i.e. my request is not limited to those dogs who were seized, it also includes those where reports were made but the dog was not seized).	OTHER	14.11.24	PART GRANT
125.24	21.10.24	I am requesting the followign records which can include an invoice or other writtern or printed material in any form (including in any electronic device or in machine readable forms): 1. what terms of reference were provided by Louth County Council to the Doyle Morris Group regarding how the Doyle Morris Group, its servants or agents, were to assess properties for the Croi Conaithne Vacant Home property grant scheme 2. what insruction() was provided to the Doyle Morris Group, its servants or agents, to assess properties at stage one services and stage two services Please see attahced memo from John Lawrence approving the appointment of same.	OTHER	14.11.24	REFUSED
126.24	24.10.24	I would like to make a freedom of information request on the handling of the dog taken into louth council dog pound, puppy #11390, and the handling of this case. Including the determination of dog breed, steps taken to return dog to their owner, advertising of the dog on social media and the ultimate decision to put to sleep rather than engage with rescue charities offering to take the dog.	OTHER	20.11.24	PART GRANT
127.24	24.10.24	I am writing about this dog that was aparently killed by the Louth Pound and you are the contract on their website. I would like to know if this is true and if so, who typed this dog and on what criteria as he clearly does not meet the criteria. I request a FOI on the details regardgin this dog including the height he was measured at. This had better not be the start of culing of any dog that vaguely resembles a bully breed. There is massive awareness happening regards this atrocity.	OTHER	20.11.24	PART GRANT
128.24	29.10.24	Records of the last traffic survey conducted on Annagassan Bridge, the date the survey was conducted and the report and record of data that survey produced	OTHER	25.11.24	REFUSED
129.24	29.10.24	I would like to Request access to the Veterinary inspection Service report for louth Dog Pound for the last 5 years under the Freedom of information Act, also I'm asking to gain access to the full names of dog wardens and louth pound employees including Management under the Freedom of information Act. Council employees provide public service and according to the law they are obligated to provide their names to the public if citizens ask for it.	OTHER	22.11.24	REFUSED
131.24	01.11.24	I would like to make the following freedom of information request under the Freedom of Information Act: •The number of incidents of illegal dumping/fly-tipping in the local authority, this year to date •The name of any street where there have been more than two incidents and exactly how many total incidents of illegal dumping there have been there, this year to date. •The amount of times the council has fined or taken action against a person found to be fly-tipping this year to date? •The number of total reports made by members of the public of illegal dumping overall in the local authority, this year to date.	JOURNALIST	26.11.24	GRANT

132.24	01.11.24	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am requesting access to records held by Louth County Council regarding the response times for traffic light repairs within the county. Specifically, I am seeking the following information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Statistics on the number of traffic lights reported as out of service within the past 24 months. 2. Average response times for addressing and repairing broken traffic lights. 3. Details of any specific incidents where the response time exceeded 48 hours, including reasons for the delay and measures taken to prevent recurrence. 4. Records of any performance targets or service level agreements related to traffic light maintenance and repair. <p>I would prefer to receive this information electronically, in a format that is easy to read and analyse.</p>	OTHER	05.12.24	PART GRANT
133.24	29.10.24	<p>Last week it was alleged that Louth pound picked up a dog that appears to be a staffy or small pitbull and killed it within days of having it. I have requested under the FOI Act to be advised if this male dog was 19' at the wither per your unusually cruel legislation that seems to target any large dog regardless of breed. In this case the dog did not look to be XL in size. It is alleged the owner tried to stop them, but they killed Kodi anyway. There will be a march #justiceforkodie next week. Other dogs are "allegedly" being threatened to be killed by dog wardens. I have an English bulldog. This breed was made famous by Winston Churchill and is well known among people who are "breed aware" to be gentle family orientated dogs. The history of this dog goes back to the 16th century. Eventually becoming domesticated as a house pet in the early 19th century. If I was to look at most breeds they come from a hunting background. Dogs were originally for work, for purpose, NOT for sitting on couches. Will all these dogs now get killed? Your legislation appears to give way to this. Your legislation actually targets ANY dog 19' at the wither that is perceived to be in good muscular shape. A fit labrador can fall into this category. A Cane Corsa, the same breed that Messi (the famous soccer player) also fits into this category. What assurances do I have that your uneducated inexperienced dog wardens wont "mis identify its breed", take it and kill it after February 1st? If my dog got incorrectly taken and killed I would more than likely have a heart attack. What appeals process do you have in place to stop mistakes by Dog Wardens and vets? It seems unconstitutional to NOT have an appeals process in place to claim back ones property? And in this case, a living breathing, feeling animal that is a family member. This cull seems very anit-human rights and undemocratic.</p>	OTHER	25.11.24	PART GRANT
134.24	05.11.24	<p>Description: I would like to request information under the FOI Act. A dog named Kodi was allegedly recently killed in your pound after being offered rehoming at Wag.ie. Its understood the warden and vet identified the dog as an xl bully. I would like the records of determination tests and evidence they did to establish the dog being an xl bully please. For assistance to my inquiry an image is attached. I would be grateful if you could respond with a reference number.</p>	OTHER	25.11.24	PART GRANT
135.24	09.11.24	<p>I would like to make a Freedom of Information request for all communication and correspondence between Louth County Council, including but not exclusively with the Community Section, Chief Executives Office, Corporate Section and the Archdioceses of Armagh, Ardee & Collon Parish, and Canon Peter Murphy in relation to the Parish Hall Site, Ardee Street, Collon, Co Louth and proposed playground and community hall since January 2020.</p>	OTHER	06.12.24	GRANT
136.24	14.11.24	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am writing to request a copy of the report or correspondence relating to the recent conservation work done on the protected structure listed as Cappock's Gate, Ardee Town Wall (Lhs017-030). I believe the work was carried out by the McCabe Group, County Cavan. If you require any further clarification please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to hearing from you.</p>	OTHER	28.11.24	WITHDRAWN

137.24	21.11.24	<p>I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 to request the following information about registered dog breeding establishments, please (N.B. in the event of formatting issues, a copy of this request is also attached):</p> <p>1. How many dog breeding establishments are currently registered with your council pursuant to the Dog Breeding Establishments Act 2010?</p> <p>2. Please provide a breakdown by establishment of the number of 1. breeding female adult dogs, 2. breeding male adult dogs, 3. litters of puppies and 4. other (non-breeding) dogs permitted at each dog breeding establishments currently registered with your council (please provide this information in the format shown below): 3. Please provide a blank copy of the inspection form/s used by your council during the inspection of dog breeding establishments.</p> <p>If this request exceeds the minimum threshold, please advise via email how I may refine my request to ensure it fits within the scope of the threshold.</p>	OTHER	03.12.24	PART GRANT
138.24	22.11.24	<p>I hope all's well. I would like to make a request under the freedom of information act 2014. I would like to request records relating to animals that have been euthanised since the new XL bully regulations were announced.</p>	OTHER	06.12.24	PART GRANT
139.24	25.11.24	<p>I attach herewith two Requests to Louth County Council for access to records under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 and I request access to the records as therein indicated and as indicated hereunder:-</p> <p>1. All reports, records, minutes of meetings, decisions, orders, information, data and documentation whatsoever held by Louth County Council, in respect of the Dangerous Place and the Dangerous Structure at Rock road, Blackrock, Co. Louth and the Dangerous Place Notice dated 11.05.2023 and the Dangerous Structure Notice dated 11.05.2023, from 01. October 2024 to date and</p> <p>2. All reports, records, minutes of meetings, decisions, orders, information, data and documentation whatsoever held by Louth County Council, in respect of the enforcement of the Dangerous Place Notice dated 11.05.2023 and the Dangerous Structure Notice dated 11.05.2023 in relation to the property at Rock road, Blackrock, Co. Louth, from 01. October 2024 to date.</p>	OTHER	23.12.24	PART GRANT
140.24	26.11.24	<p>I would like to submit an FOI request to see copies of any notifications for exempted development article 10(6) Change of use exemption to temporary accomodation received by Louth Co Council for the above property.</p> <p>I would also like to see copies of any pre planning consultations which may have taken place in regards to this.</p>	OTHER	28.11.24	WITHDRAWN
142.24	29.11.24 PM	<p>I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 concerning the decision made regarding a complaint I made, which was dealt with by the Planning Compliance (Enforcement) & Active Land Management Unit (Reference number UD/24/208).</p> <p>I am seeking to understand why my complaint regarding the external lighting was not addressed in the decision-making process, despite the photographic evidence I submitted, which clearly demonstrates the issue. In addition, if necessary, I could have provided a recent mri brain scan which shows the damage caused by migraines which are being triggered by these external lights. The lack of response to this concern is a key point I wish to clarify.</p> <p>Specifically, I am requesting the following:</p> <p>1. All documentation, including reports, memos, assessments, or communications, that detail how the decision was made regarding the complaint referenced above. This includes any records outlining the reasoning or considerations taken into account in making the decision.</p> <p>2. The grade or position of the person or persons responsible for making the decision.</p> <p>Please note that I am not requesting personal information related to any individuals involved, nor am I seeking to appeal the decision itself in this FOI request.</p> <p>My request is purely focused on the decision-making process and the role of the relevant personnel involved.</p> <p>I would appreciate if the requested documents could be provided in electronic format where possible. If any of the requested information is exempt from disclosure, I would appreciate an explanation for each exemption invoked.</p>	OTHER	03.01.25	GRANT
143.24	01.12.24	<p>I am requesting a full copy of the complaint file reference UD/24/077.</p> <p>As I don't have access to an index of the documents it contained, I would like to get access to the full file</p>	CLIENT	07.01.25	PART GRANT
144.24	05.12.24	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I request an electronic copy of the letter sent by C Matthews, Project Engineer, LCC, in January 2022 to the 'residents' of Rock Road, Blackrock regarding notification of the commencement of phase 3/3 of road developments using the TVRS allocated by the DRCD.</p>	CLIENT	11.12.24	GRANT

145.24	06.12.24	<p>Could we please request the following under the Freedom of Information Act 2014:</p> <p>Euthanasia Statistics</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How many dogs were euthanised in 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024; Please provide a breakdown of breed and rationale for all dogs euthanised; Please confirm if efforts were made to reunite these dogs with owners (where they were found straying) or to rehome them (in all instances). Please provide a copy of the euthanasia policy utilised by the pound. If there is no such policy, please provide information as to how decisions are made re euthanasia and who is responsible for making the decision. <p>Aggressive Behaviour / Dog Attack Statistics</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The Control of Dogs Statistics note that statistics on aggressive behaviour / dog attacks have been compiled by local authorities. Please provide a copy of these statistics for 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024. We obviously do not need personal details but would like to understand: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How many incidences of aggression / dog attacks there were in total; A breakdown by category of type of incident / attack if available; Breed(s) involved; If dogs entered the pound as a result of such incidence / attack (whether by way of straying, surrender or seizure); and If these dogs entering the pound were euthanised as a result. <p>XL Bully Ban Implementation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Copies of all materials / information / guidance provided to all dog wardens in relation to the XL Bully Ban; Confirmation as to what training was provided to dog wardens in relation to the XL Bully Ban and copies of all materials / information / guidance provided to dog wardens as part of any training in respect of the XL Bully Ban. <p>We understand training took place over 3 days (2 in September and 1 in October) – is this correct? Was this part of a standard training programme or additional training given?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How many dog wardens are in your local authority and conformation as to whether all dog wardens attended all training days in respect of the XL Bully Ban and, if not, confirm which 	OTHER	23.12.24	PART GRANT
146.24	10.12.24	<p>I wish to submit a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>I am seeking all relevant records related to the Active Travel Plan for the R132, specifically the diagrams, maps and plans associated with all potential options that were put forward to the NTA in respect of the stretch of the road between the road entrance to the railway station and McGrath's lane, to include all measurements and dimensions. In addition, I seek all records in all formats that mention or specify any text in relation to the impact of the above options on my home situated at Ardkeen, Dublin Road, Drogheda, Co. Louth, A92 E17W.</p>	OTHER		
147.24	13.12.24	<p>Under the freedom of Freedom of Information Act 2014 I would like to see the Pre Planning Meeting minutes and notes from 2015 to December 2024 of all and every pre planning meeting between Louth County Council and EDF, its agents, representatives and personnel for the planning application, Kellystown Wind Farm, reference number 2460766 submitted to Louth County Council.</p> <p>Closing date for objections/observations is 16th January 2025.</p>	CLIENT	06.01.25	REFUSED
149.24	17.12.24	<p>I am emailing with a formal request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.</p> <p>The request relates to a planning enforcement file at Louth County Council, which concerns unauthorised development at Arhurstown, Ardee, Co. Louth (Reference: UD/24/240).</p> <p>I previously received information via a separate FOI request, which was issued to me on 4 November 2024 (Reference 117/2024). However, I understand that a further site inspection has taken place. I hereby request a copy of all correspondence on the file, including any internal correspondence between members of the Planning Enforcement Team and any other employees and/or representatives of Louth County Council. I also request any correspondence between Louth County Council and the landowner.</p>	CLIENT	21.01.25	PART GRANT

150.24	17.12.24	<p>I am emailing with a formal request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.</p> <p>I hereby request a list of all enforcement files opened by the Planning Enforcement Team at Louth County Council from 1 January 2024 to 16 December 2024. In addition to the list of enforcement cases, I hereby request a copy of the Warning Letters and any Enforcement Notices issued by the Council during that period.</p>	CLIENT	22.01.25	REFUSED
151.24	22.12.24	<p>The attached executive summary lists 55 bridges surveyed in County Louth by Atkins consultants in 2022, which recommended repairs. These Inventory and Principle Inspection Reports recommended repairs and or preparatory works in advance of a general inspection. The 55 bridges I reference exclude the following from the executive summary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Structure 1659 - Not Surveyed • Structure 3636 - No repairs recommended • Structure 1761 - No repairs recommended <p>With that in mind I am making the following request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>I am requesting the following records which can include an invoice or other written or printed material in any form (including in any electronic device or in machine readable forms):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How many of the listed/referenced 55 bridges subsequently had repairs and or preparatory general inspection works completed as recommended in their individual Atkins Survey Reports and as listed/detailed in the attached executive summary • Of those (if any) that had repairs completed, please list which ones they are 	CLIENT	07.02.25	GRANTED
153.24	18.12.24	<p>Can you please forward a copy of the below document? Can you please ensure that this is the version relevant to 08th of April 1998?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guide-lines for the Design and Construction of Housing Estates in Drogheda (version relevant to 08-04-98) 	OTHER	06.02.25	REFUSED
154.24	18.12.24	<p>Can you please forward on a copy of the proposed plans for the pedestrian link between Moneymore & Castlemanor estate on the Ballymakenny Rd, Drogheda?</p> <p>Can you please forward all drawing and design documents?</p>	OTHER	13.01.25	Grant