



Further to your information request FOI/EIR 24/25-076, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

- Can you tell me how many trees the council has ordered to be removed in the last 10 years?
- And how many have been replanted in that period?
- Can you specify how many trees were cut down because they faced insurance claims?
- Can you specify how many trees were cut down to allow the construction of housing developments?

Response:

Please note that our computerised records only go back to 2016-2017 financial year.

- Can you tell me how many trees the council has ordered to be removed in the last 10 years?
2016-2017: 29
2017-2018: 51
2018-2019: 46
2019-2020: 30
2020-2021: 36
2021-2022: 34
2022-2023: 23
2023-2024: 26+an unknown number removed along the A10 shelterbelts to clear fence lines
2024-2025: 6 (so far 14/06/2024)

- And how many have been replanted in that period?

2015-2016: 14
2016-2017: 15
2017-2018: 17
2018-2019: 15
2019-2020: 17
2020-2021: 26
2021-2022: 44
2022-2023: 103
2023-2024: 101

- Can you specify how many trees were cut down because they faced insurance claims?

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- Can you specify how many trees were cut down to allow the construction of housing developments?

We do not hold this information.

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 24/25-076.

If information has been refused, please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach foi@eastcambs.gov.uk and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.