

FOI number: **HBC_FOI_20210175**
Date FOI Received: **26/03/2021**
Department: **Planning**
Title: **Dropped kerb planning permissions**
Description: **Dropped kerb planning applications**

Request: (As Redacted sent by requestor)

1. In the past three years, please state the total number of planning applications received by your council relating to dropped kerbs:

- 2018/19
- 2019/20
- 2020/21

2. Over the same timeframe, please state the total number of these applications that were approved:

- 2018/19
- 2019/20
- 2020/21

3. Over the past three years, how many investigations have you made into driveway developments that had not been granted planning permission?

- 2018/19
- 2019/20
- 2020/21

4. Over the past three years, how many investigations have you made into dropped kerb developments that had not been granted planning permission?

- 2018/19
- 2019/20
- 2020/21

Response: (Response as Redacted sent by service)

Questions 1 and 2:

The information you have requested is publically available and is contained in the Planning Register on the Council's website, which can be viewed using the advanced search, accessible via the following link:

<http://www6.hertsmere.gov.uk/online-applications/search.do?action=advanced>

Under Application Details insert a Description Keyword, and select an appropriate Application Type from the drop-down menu.

Application Details

Description Keyword:	<input type="text"/>
Applicant Name:	<input type="text"/>
Application Type:	All <input type="button" value="v"/>
Ward:	All <input type="button" value="v"/>
Parish:	All <input type="button" value="v"/>
Conservation Area:	<input type="text"/>
Status:	All <input type="button" value="v"/>
Decision:	All <input type="button" value="v"/>
Appeal Status:	All <input type="button" value="v"/>
Appeal Decision:	All <input type="button" value="v"/>
Development Type:	All <input type="button" value="v"/>
Address:	<input type="text"/>

Finally insert your date parameters in the Date Received fields.

Dates

Enter a date range (a start date and an end date) for the criteria that you are interested in. The date fields may be entered manually using the date format dd/mm/yyyy (e.g. 21/05/2008). Alternatively, click on the calendar button and pick a date.

Date Received:	<input type="text"/>	to:	<input type="text"/>
Date Validated:	<input type="text"/>	to:	<input type="text"/>
Date Actual Committee:	<input type="text"/>	to:	<input type="text"/>
Decision Date:	<input type="text"/>	to:	<input type="text"/>
Appeal Decision Date:	<input type="text"/>	to:	<input type="text"/>

Questions 3 and 4:

The necessity for planning permission depends on road classification. As a result of this for the Council's working purposes, with regard to your request, only partial information is recorded. Consequently the Council holds insufficient information to answer these questions.

Hertfordshire County Council has responsibility for key services including Highways, and Hertfordshire Highways will hold all the information relevant to your request. A request to them may be sent via Hertfordshire County Council, whose contact details are as follows:

Hertfordshire County Council
County Hall
Pegs Lane

Hertford SG13 8DQ

Tel: 0300 123 4040

Web: <http://www.hertsdirect.org/your-council/work/foi/>

If you have any queries about the processing of your request then please do not hesitate to contact me. Further information explaining the Council's process for responding to information requests together with a complaints/appeals procedure is available in our reception or via our website at:

<https://www.hertsmere.gov.uk/Your-Council/Official-Publications--Guides--Policies/Access-to-Information.aspx>

The Information Commissioner oversees the application of the Freedom of Information Act. You may contact the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioners Office
Wycliffe House, Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire SK9 5AF
Telephone: 0303 123 1113
Website: www.ico.org.uk

Please include the above reference number on all correspondence related to this request.

Thank you for your request.

Kind regards

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