



Request

1. Within your council, please provide the documented tree-planting strategy for the whole of 2024?
2. Within your council, how many trees did the council have the goal of planting for the whole of 2024?
3. Within your council, what was the tree-planting budget for the whole of 2024?
4. How many trees were planted by the council or contractors of the council in the whole of 2024?
5. Within your authority area, what was the volume of land allocated for planting in 2024?
6. Within your authority area, from the beginning of 2023 to the end of 2024, how many planted trees have failed/died?

Response

The council's strategy for tree planting is embedded into wider climate emergency strategy commitments. The overarching aim is to protect existing trees and increase the number of trees across the borough to combat climate change and biodiversity loss.

The council does not hold a central budget for tree planting; schemes are delivered under existing department budgets.

In 2024 the council recorded 1750 trees planted on council owned land.

The council had no land solely allocated for tree planting in this year.

We hold no record of individual failure rates.