

REQUEST 18681

I would like to confirm through this Freedom of Information request the following questions relating to affordable housing development and newbuilds built by the local authority (LA) or a development company on behalf of the LA:

- Is Wigan Council developing any new social housing? YES/NO
 - a. If yes.
 - How many units were built and completed in the financial year 2024/25?
 - 1. How many of these units are for rent?
 - 2. How many of these units are for sale?
 - b. How many units are predicted to be built and completed in the financial year 2025/26?
 - c. How many units are predicted to be built and completed in the financial years 2025/26 – 2030/31 (next five years)?
- Does Wigan Council have its own Development Company? YES/NO
 - a. If yes, what is its name, postal address, and phone number?
- 3. How many new social housing units are the development company (separate from any development Wigan Council are building themselves) Predicting to complete in the financial year 2025/26?
- 4. How many new social housing units are the development company (separate from any development Wigan Council are building themselves) Predicting to complete in the financial years 2025/26 to 2030/31 (next five years)?
- 5. Please can you provide the name, e-mail, and postal address of the person responsible for running the Development Company?

RESPONSE

- 1. Yes
 - a.
 - i. 91 units completed 24/25
 - 1. 91 units for rent
 - 2. zero units for sale
 - b. 22 units
 - c. 197 units please note our forecast only extends for the next three years
- 2. No
- 3. Not applicable
- 4. Not applicable

5. Not applicable