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Our Ref: FOI028423
Your Ref: AF519059068
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Date: 20th June 2023

Dear Alexander Wells

Information request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000
FOI028423 – Finance Structure of the Council

Thank you for your request for information received on 25th May 2023.

Your request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Any information that is refused will clearly indicate the exemption that applies to the refusal.

I am writing to inform you that your request is being partially refused under Section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Section 40 – Personal Information

*(2) Any information to which a request for information relates is also exempt information if -
(a) it constitutes personal data which does not fall within subsection (1)*

Details such as names of officers who are considered as ‘junior’ members of staff will not be disclosed into the public domain and have therefore been refused under the exemption above. Details of the Chief and Deputy Chief Finance Officers have been provided and can be found below.

Further information explaining the Council's process for responding to information requests is available in our reception or on our website. If you have any queries regarding the process or your request, please do not hesitate to contact me.

If after receiving our full response, you feel dissatisfied with the information provided, or you disagree with a refusal decision, you have the right to ask for a review of the decision with the Council. We will accept review requests up to 60 days after our response. After that date we consider the case closed.

Review requests should be addressed to the Information & Asset Team Manager at North Hertfordshire District Council, Council Offices, Gernon Road, Letchworth, Herts, SG6 3JF or emailed to FOI2@north-herts.gov.uk

It is important that you include the above FOI reference number on all correspondence related to this request.

If following a review you are still dissatisfied with the Council's response, you can contact the Information Commissioners Office for guidance or to make an appeal at:-
Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire. SK9 5AF
Telephone: 0303 123 1113 (or 01625 545745 if you would prefer not to call an '03' number, or +44 1625 545745 if calling from overseas) www.ico.org.uk

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nathan', with a stylized flourish underneath.

Nathan Godfrey PC.foi.
Information & Asset Officer

Finance Structure of the Council

Request:

I am requesting the release of pertinent information, regarding the finance structure of the council.

This includes all of the finance positions at the council and the names of the people holding these positions.

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Ian Couper, Service Director: Resources (Chief Finance Officer)

Antonio Ciampa, Accountancy Manager (Deputy Chief Finance Officer)

Corporate Support Accountant

Group Accountant

Group Accountant

Assistant Accountant