

By email:

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Housing

Housing Management

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Please ask for: Elaine Gosling Direct line: 02087087657

Our ref: FOI 1618233

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Dear Sir/Madam

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - INFORMATION REQUEST

Thank you for your freedom of information request, I understand your request to be:

The number of residential homes owned by the Council and the percentage owned by leaseholders.

The Council owns 6913 homes and 35.83% of which are owned by leaseholders.

Please state the method of apportioning service charges - whether by number of units, square footage, rateable value or by any other method for:

- 1. General service charges
- 2. Major works

For general service charges and major works we use lease fractions as a way of apportioning service charges. These fractions are based on the number of living spaces in a property as a percentage of the number of living spaces in a block and the number of living spaces on an estate.

If you are unhappy with the outcome of your request, you may ask for an internal review **within 20 working days** of the date of this response. Please contact the Information Officer at foi@redbridge.gov.uk or Town Hall, PO Box 2, High Road, Ilford, Essex, IG1 1DD who will arrange an internal review of your case.

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Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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