I am writing in response to your Information request:

**FOI66240**

How much has the Royal Borough spent on consultants (a member of staff from an outside body offering advice to the council), broken down by financial year, from 2008/2009 to 2013/2014?

Can you also please break down each individual spend made by the council on consultants, what that consultant advised on, and the time period in which they advised the council.

**Response:**

Please see the spreadsheet attached which contains a list of transactions coded as ‘Professional Fees’. We do not have a precise way of searching for the information you have requested so the list may contain information not relevant to your specific request but this list will contain all the costs you have requested.

If you are unhappy with the information we have provided in response to your request please write to:

Information Management Team Manager  
Royal Borough of Windsor & Maidenhead  
Town Hall, St Ives Road  
Maidenhead  
SL6 1RF

or send an e-mail to martin.tubbs@rbwm.gov.uk

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http://www.rbwm.gov.uk/web/foi_information_requests.htm

We are keen to hear about your experience with the Information Management Team here at the Royal Borough of Windsor & Maidenhead and look forward to receiving any comments you have about the way your information request was processed.

Please send any feedback to the Information Management Team Manager either by e-mail martin.tubbs@rbwm.gov.uk or in writing to the address above.

Yours sincerely

**Ben Savage**  
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