Further to your Freedom of Information request FOI67709 please find your questions and our responses below:

This request relates to spending power calculations and the extent to which they affect adult social care budgets.

Local Authority Spending Power figures are published annually by the Department for Communities and Local Government as the key measure of revenue available to local authorities, aggregating the resources that councils have available to support services for local citizens. These figures have been taken from publically available statistical releases, and represent annual Spending Power Per Dwelling.

Windsor and Maidenhead’s spending power calculation has been projected to be £1,571.10 by 2016, a fall of 6.19% since 2012. Please can you tell us whether:

a. This reduction is expected to be passed directly to adult social care budgets in 2016
b. Adult social care budgets should expect a greater reduction
c. Adult social care budgets should expect a less reduction

Response

This is not something we calculate

The comparison between years of these DCLG figures is questionable as changes such as Public Health Grant, BCF, and ILF will impact on these figures.

If you want to research this then the DCLG will be available on their website and our budget info is available on our website.

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

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