



Reference: FOI0343

Request:

1. how much land [in sq metres] used for parks and green recreational spaces has the authority sold off from 2006/7 up to and including 2016/17?
2. has the council acquired any new land to be used for parks and recreational spaces in the same period, if so how much?

Response:

1.

Financial Year 2006/2007 – 0sqm

Financial Year 2007/2008 – 0sqm

Financial Year 2008/2009 – 0sqm

Financial Year 2009/2010 - 1,466 sqm

Financial year 2010/2011 - 7,864 sqm

Financial year 2013/2014 - 4,845 sqm

Financial year 2014/2015 - 6,830 sqm

Financial year 2015/2016 - 13,465 sqm

Financial year 2016/2017 - 3,835 sqm

Since the financial year 2010/11 the Council has been committed to overseeing the delivery of 3,000 new affordable homes in the Borough over a 10 year period.

This has required the disposal of some areas of recreational green space for development by a number of Registered Housing Providers (formerly Housing Associations).

2. The Council has not acquired any land for this purpose during the period referred to.