

**Request:**

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to request copies of the following:

- How much is the Council's budget for the replacement scheme of the Independent Living Fund?

In 2017/18 the budget for the replacement scheme for the Independent Living Fund was £673,993

- How much of the Council's Independent Living Fund grant for this financial year is being spent?

All of the grant will be spent in 2017/18

- Has the Council ring-fenced spending from the Independent Living Fund grant in this financial year?

The grant has been ringfenced to spend on care packages for adult social care users. It has not specifically been ringfenced to former recipients of payments from the Independent Living Fund.