

### 36693 Planning Permission Rejections - Protected Species

How many planning permission requests were received last year?

In 2021/2022 the City of Edinburgh Council validated 6,336 planning applications and determined 5,579.

How many planning permission requests were rejected last year?

In 2021/2022 the City of Edinburgh Council refused 314 planning applications.

How many planning permission requests were rejected due to protected species?

Of these, how many were rejected due to: badgers, bats, birds, dormice, newts, invertebrates, natterjack toads, otters, reptiles, water voles, white-clawed crayfish, or other?

This information is not separately recorded and to collate it would require a manual search of all refused applications. Based on an average of five minutes to search each refused application to determine if the rejection was due to a protected species would equate to 26 hours of work.

Total cost - £390.00