

54295 Local Roads Repair Costs

Can I ask what the estimated costs are of fixing the area's local roads as of now (April 2). This should include any legal costs.

£85.719m.

And can I ask what those costs were in 2024, 2023, 2022, in 2015 and in 2005?

The backlog figure is calculated every four years. The backlog figure was last calculated in 2023, that of £85.719m. The previous calculation was in 2019, of £77.346m.

We are unable to provide you with the cost for 2005 as it is not held by the Council.

Can you provide a breakdown of these costs, for instance, how much spent on potholes, on general repairs, and legal.

We do not hold this information as the backlog figure cannot be broken down into specific costs.

Can I ask what the budget was for roads in each of the above years including 2024/25.

Financial Year	Budget
2024/25	£26.33m
2023/24	£22.72m
2022/23	£16.08m
2021/22	£20.73m
2015/16	£16.57m
2005/06	Not held

And can I ask what the outturn costs (actual spend) was for each of the years (that may well be the same as above questions).

Financial Year	Spend
2024/25	£26.21m
2023/24	£27.14m
2022/23	£23.53m
2021/22	£11.03m
2015/16	£13.92m
2005/06	Not held

Can I ask what the costs were for legal advice in relation to potential liability for the state of roads in 2024/25, 2023/24, 2022/23, 2021/22, and in 2014/15 and in 2004/05.

None in all requested years.