

56869 Unfixed Potholes and Claims

Please can you disclose the following information:

The number of unfixed potholes currently recorded under the council authority (as of August 15, 2025)?

- a. Could you provide the location of these unfixed potholes, i.e. what road they are located on?

[Please refer to the attached spreadsheet which provides the number and location of potholes outstanding, as at 04/09/2025.](#)

How much the council has spent on pothole repairs in the last three years. (Broken down by years 2022/23, 2023/24, 2024/25)

[We are unable to provide figures that relate specifically to potholes as all repairs are charged against the one budget. Financial information that we hold includes all repair types.](#)

The number of claims that have been lodged against the council relating to damage caused by potholes in the last three years. (Broken down by years 2022/23, 2023/24, 2024/25)

[The number of claims lodged:](#)

[2022 – 619](#)

[2023 – 917](#)

[2024 – 385](#)

- a. How much the council paid out in compensation to successful claims. (Broken down by years 2022/23, 2023/24, 2024/25)

[Settled payments to date:](#)

[2022 – £20,119.40](#)

[2023 – £32,447.93](#)

[2024 – £937.95](#)

[Please note that settlement payments are not always made in the same year the claim was lodged and that we record claims by calendar year rather than financial year.](#)