

60980 Planning Services

Over the last five years, how many listed building consent applications has the planning department received? Please list year by year.

2021 – 1,153

2022 – 1,255

2023 – 1,143

2024 – 1,260

2025 – 1,273

2026 (01/01/26-21/03/26) - 275

Over the last five years, how many listed building consent applications has the planning department:

Granted within the eight week target date?

2,168

Granted within a longer period?

2,251

Refused within the eight week target date?

150

Refused within a longer period?

289

Not determined at all for any unspecified reason, i.e. what proportions of applications are just left hanging? Please list these by year.

The list below is for current live applications within 2026. This will include applications that are pending decision for sign off or for committee consideration.

2021 - 0

2022 - 0

2023 - 0

2024 - 2

2025 - 25

2026 - 139

How many listed building consent applications are just left hanging after their target dates have lapsed with no advice given to the applicants for why their applications are not being determined - please list year by year.

Advice given to applicants is not recorded in a way that we can report on, as advice may be provided by phone, email, in person and not recorded on our software. Applications might also be delayed for a variety of reasons outwith our control and not recorded in a way that we can report on.

How many planning officers have received specialist architectural conservation training to enable them to determine listed building applications? Please list them individually with their qualifications.

There are 50 members of the Royal Town Planning Institute, and all members received regular training and requirements to retain Continued Professional Development Records up to date. In addition, there are 4 officers who are members of IHBC.

Please provide the current policy or standard for communication with applicants for listed building consent.

Our [Planning and Building Standards charters](#) are available on the Council's website.