



Reference: FOI-653

Request:

1. In the last financial year (2021/22)
 - a. how much money was paid as compensation for property damage and personal injury caused by potholes (please include legal expenses), and
 - b. how many individual claims did this represent?

2. Please tell me the value of the biggest claim settled in 2021/22, and the location of the pothole that caused the incident. Please provide a brief description of the incident (e.g. cyclist fell off bike going over pothole and broke their leg). If possible, please break up the cost of the claim between compensation paid and legal expenses.

Response:

1. a. £1147.88
b. 53 claims were received. Payments were made to 14 of these.

2. £190.49. An alloy wheel was damaged by a pothole on Killingworth Way. Payment represented replacement of the wheel.

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