THORPE ST ANDREW TOWN COUNCIL

Publication Scheme

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Thorpe St Andrew Town Council will make the information in this definition document available unless:

- · it does not hold the information;
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The Datasets Code of Practice recommends that public authorities make datasets available for re-use under the Open Government Licence.

The term 'dataset' is defined in section 11(5) of FOIA. The terms 'relevant copyright work' and 'specified licence' are defined in section 19(8) of FOIA. The ICO has published <u>guidance</u> on the dataset provisions in FOIA. This explains what is meant by "not appropriate" and "capable of re-use".

Information to be published	How the information can be obtained	Cost
Class1 - Who we are and what we do	(hard copy or website)	Free
(Organisational information, structures, locations and contacts)		
This will be current information only.		
N.B. Councils should already be publishing as much information as possible		
about how they can be contacted.		
Who's who on the Council and its Committees	Website	Free
Contact details for Town Clerk and Council members (named contacts where	Website	Free
possible with telephone number and email address (if used))		
Location of main Council office and accessibility details	Website	Free
Staffing structure	Website	Free
Class 2 – What we spend and how we spend it	(hard copy or website)	
(Financial information relating to projected and actual income and expenditure,		
procurement, contracts and financial audit)		
Current and previous financial year as a minimum	Website	Free

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Annual return form and report by auditor	Website	Free
Finalised budget	Website	Free
Precept	Website	Free
Borrowing Approval letter	Website	Free
Financial Standing Orders and Regulations	Website	Free
Grants given and received	Website	Free
Class 3 – What our priorities are and how we are doing	(hard copy or website)	Free
(Strategies and plans, audits, inspections and reviews)		
Current and previous year as a minimum		
Annual Report to Parish Meeting (current and previous year as a minimum)	Website	Free
Class 4 – How we make decisions (Decision making processes and records of decisions)	Website	Free
Current and previous council year as a minimum		
Timetable of meetings (Council and any committee/sub-committee meetings and parish meetings)	Website	Free
Agendas of meetings	Website	Free
Minutes of meetings	Website	Free
Reports presented to council meetings	Website	Free
Responses to consultation papers	Website	Free
Responses to planning applications	Website	Free

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Class 5 – Our policies and procedures	Website	Free
(Current written protocols, policies and procedures for delivering our services and responsibilities)		
Current information only		
Policies and procedures for the conduct of council business:		
Standing orders	Website	Free
Committee and sub-committee terms of reference	Website	
Delegated authority in respect of officers	Website	
Code of Conduct	Website	
Policy statements	Website	
Policies and procedures for the provision of services and about the employment of staff:		
Internal instructions to staff and policies relating to the delivery of services Equality and diversity policy Health and safety policy Policies and procedures for handling requests for information	Website	Free
Complaints procedures (including those covering requests for information and operating the publication scheme) Disciplinary and Grievance Procedure		
GDPR policy	Website	Free
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Class 6 – Lists and Registers	(hard copy or website; some	
	information may only be	
Currently maintained lists and registers only	available by inspection)	
Assets register	Hardcopy	Free
Register of members' interests	Hardcopy	Free
Register of gifts and hospitality	Hardcopy	Free
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Class 7 – The services we offer		
(Information about the services we offer, including leaflets, guidance and		
newsletters produced for the public and businesses)		
Current information only		
Carrone information only		
Allotments	Website	
Burial grounds and closed churchyards	Website	
Village halls	Website	
Parks, playing fields and recreational facilities	Website	
Bus shelters and Streetlight Reporting	Website	
Public conveniences	Website	
Services for which the council is entitled to recover a fee, together with those fee	es	
(e.g. burial fees)		

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Council Contact details: The Town Clerk

Town HallPound Lane

Thorpe St Andrew

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SCHEDULE OF CHARGES

TYPE OF CHARGE	DESCRIPTION	BASIS OF CHARGE
Disbursement cost	Photocopying @ 10p per sheet (black & white)	Actual cost *
	Photocopying @ 25p per sheet (colour)	Actual cost
	Postage	Actual cost of Royal Mail standard 2 nd class
Statutory Fee		In accordance with the relevant legislation (quote the actual statute)
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Other		

^{*} the actual cost incurred by the public authority