

EAST CAMBRIDGESHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

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Further to your information request FOI/EIR 23/24-081, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

- 1.Please can you confirm if this council used "greeters" at the entrance to voting stations?
- 2.Did you record the number of people turned away from voting stations by "greeters"?
- 3.Please provide ALL datasets you hold regarding the number, use and impact of "Greeters" at polling stations during the recent local elections held in May 2023
- 4.Please provide ALL datasets you hold regarding the use of voter ID and the impact of voter ID at the recent local elections held in May 2023

Response:

- 1. Yes
- 2. No.
- 3. Information Not Held
- 4. Numbers of electors turned away at the polling stations initially without voting (41), the numbers returning later and allowed to vote (27) and the number of voters who did not return to vote (14).

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 23/24-081.

If information has been refused please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach foi@eastcambs.gov.uk and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.