

## **Response to Request for Information**

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## Marketing and Communications

## Request:

Please can you tell me the following information:

- The number of staff employed in the Marketing & Communications unit.
  Nine
- 2. The total wage costs of the department in the last financial year £431,062 (including employers national insurance and pension fund contributions). IMPORTANT NOTE: It is worth noting that the City of Wolverhampton's corporate communication department has contributed significant savings to the council's overall plan to be more affordable. In 2012/13 the comparable cost for the department was £863,626. The current cost therefore represents a saving of 50 per cent on the cost in 2012/13.
- 3. The total amount of employer's NI contributions made for the department in the last financial year £40,211
- 4. The total cost of expenses claimed by the staff in the last financial year £1,348.93