Discretionary Housing Payments for 2024/2025 as at 30 November 2024

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2024/25		
Contribution from the DWP 2023/24	£600,199	
Additional funding	£0	
Total Funding available for 2023/24	£600,199	

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2024/25 – Housing Benefit customers			
Reason for Application	Number	Committed Spend	
Benefit Cap	3	£780.00	
Removal of Spare Room Subsidy	129	£32,791.18	
Local Housing Allowance	20	£3,980.51	
Affected by multiple welfare reforms			
Other including hardship	42	£1,756.73	
Total	194	£39,308.42	

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2024/25 – Universal Credit customers		
Reason for Application	Number	Committed Spend
Benefit Cap	20	£14,702.63
Removal of Spare Room Subsidy	715	£242,995.11
Local Housing Allowance	114	£62,139.41
Affected by multiple welfare reforms	0	
Other including hardship	87	£36,769.05
Total	936	£356,606.20

Total awarded so far for 2023/24	£395,915
Remaining DHP fund available for 2023/24	£204,284

Applications Received in 2024/25		
Number Successful Applications	1130	
Number of Rejections	291	
Number of Applications Received	1421	