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Dear Councillor Carter

Council Meeting – 11th November 2020

Thank you for submitting a question for the above Council meeting.

You ask **“How many businesses had their application for the business support grant refused by the council in the application period leading up to August”?**

For the main Covid-19 business support grants, Small Business Rates Grant and Retail, Hospitality and Leisure Grants, a total of 5,250 applications were received and processed, of these 3,946 were paid, 1,304 were rejected on the grounds of being a duplicate application or because the business did not meet the government’s criteria.

I hope above information adequately answers your question.

Yours sincerely



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