

Freedom of Information Request – Services provided by Shawyers

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Request and Response:

FOI for information relating to the services provided by Shawyers, namely

1. Details of work completed by Shawyers, defined as "consultants fees", in the EBC transparency report for the calendar year 2020.

- **Interim assessment of Tree Preservation Order applications and Conservation Area notifications.**

- **Interim specialist technical advice for Development Management and interim specialist support for Tree Services.**

2. Procurement process followed in selecting Shawyers.

- **Recruitment process followed whereby best applicant and value for money determined the successful applicant.**

3. All correspondence between elected members of Eastleigh Borough Council (EBC) and senior officers of EBC and Shawyers (whoever the entity or individual is).

- **Name and position of those involved in recruitment process were Brett Athow, Tree Officer and Paul Naylor Head of Direct Services.**