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Annwyl/Dear Peter

E & C - Playgrounds & Play Areas

Thank you for your letter dated 5th October, I very much welcome the interest, comments and observations made by the Committee, I'm also very pleased with the step change that has been made within the service, and the quality of schemes that are being delivered.

In terms of the request for information, relating to provision statistics, the most recent census dataset available providing population is for 2020. For Cardiff, the statistics are:

Children under the age of 14 (i.e., 0-13) - 60,188

Number of playgrounds - 116

This equates to 1.93 playgrounds per 1,000 children.

The populations stats for the whole of Wales are:

Children under the age of 14 - 491,989

Unfortunately, data relating to the total number of playgrounds for Wales is not available so a comparison cannot be made.

The Council policy in respect of playgrounds is based on distribution, not number of children per site and follows the Fields In Trust standard in the Local Development Plan, therefore the number of playgrounds is related to geographical distribution (we work on a 600m catchment). Figures on the number of children within the catchment of each playground are not held.

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I trust that the information provided is helpful, should any clarification or further information be required, please contact Steve Morris, Operational Manager, Sport, Leisure & Development on Cardiff 2233 0235.

Yn gywir
Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'jen', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Cynghorydd / Councillor Jennifer Burke-Davies
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