Discretionary Housing Payments for 2022/23 as at 31 March 2023

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2022/23	
Contribution from the DWP 2022/23	£600,199
Additional funding	£150,031
Total Funding available for 2022/23	£750,230

Applications Received in 2022/23		
Number Successful Applications	2248	
Number of Rejections	388	
Number of Applications Received	2636	

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2022/23 – Housing Benefit customers		
Reason for Application	Number	Committed Spend
Benefit Cap	38	£15,619.70
Removal of Spare Room Subsidy	273	£76,724.32
Local Housing Allowance	52	£10,341.72
Affected by multiple welfare reforms		
Other including hardship	79	£11,814.03
Total	442	£114,499.77

Discretionary Housing Payment Budget 2022/23 – Universal Credit customers		
Reason for Application	Number	Committed Spend
Benefit Cap	44	£32,180.40
Removal of Spare Room Subsidy	1347	£423,710.02
Local Housing Allowance	281	£132,378.68
Affected by multiple welfare reforms		
Other including hardship	134	£47,461.51
Total	1806	£635,730.61

Total awarded so far for 2022/23	£750,230
Remaining DHP fund available for 2022/23	£0