Aberdeenshire Council Reputation Tracker Dec 2023



Aberdeenshire Reputation Tracker is a summary of statistics and information on Aberdeenshire Council's performance, including details of feedback provided by residents on key themes

Reputation:

Percentage of respondents agreeing with the following statements

65%



-7% this month

57%



The Council is efficient and well run.

-3% this month

50%



I would speak highly of Aberdeenshire Council

-10% this month

49%



The Council services are value for money.

-7% this month

46%



The Council takes account of residents' views.

-11% this month

Vehicle Users:

94%



I drive a motor vehicle or ride a motorcycle regularly.

11% this month

8%



I ride a bicvcle or e-bike regularly

-3% this month

6%



Neither of the previous options.

-11% this month

Satisfaction key services:

Parks & open spaces



82%

-3% this month

Waste and recycling collections



63%

-4% this month

Keeping the streets clean



76%

-5% this month

Social work services



+12% this month

Library services



73%

-12% this month

Sports and physical activities



74%

-3% this month

Provision of appropriate housing



57%

-7% this month

Local roads



25%

-10% this month

Teaching & learning for school pupils



-14% this month

Social care services



82%

+9% this month

Museums and visitor attractions



80%

-6% this month

Local pavements and footpaths



75%

3% this month

Contacting the Council:

Methods used	YES	NO	NOT SURE
Through the council's website	60%	29%	11%
By telephone	55%	32%	13%
By visiting one of the Council's service points in either Banff, Ellon, Fraserburgh, Huntly, Inverurie, Peterhead, Stonehaven or Turriff	15%	73%	11%

Methods likely to use in future	YES	NO	NOT SURE
Through the council's website	65%	23%	11%
By telephone	72%	17%	11%
By visiting one of the Council's service points in either Banff, Ellon, Fraserburgh, Huntly, Inverurie, Peterhead, Stonehaven or Turriff	41%	45%	14%

Rating of Methods of Contact Used:

Experience of using Council Website	86%	-3% this month
Experience of contacting Council by Telephone	69%	-13% this month
Experience of visiting Council Service Point	91%	-1% this month

Preference for Future Service Delivery:

Remotely where possible (including telephone or online) unless they need to be delivered face-to-face	15%	-4% this month
Delivered face-to-face unless it is not practical to do so	12%	+2% this month
Delivered both remotely and face-to-face	73%	+1% this month

Customer Care:

December	
Telephone Calls	(2)
Answered Call Volumes	6,484
Queries/Cases	?
Total Queries	7,116
Queries solved at first point of contact	6,547
% of Queries solved at first point of contact (75% target)	92%
Email	<u>@</u>
Email Queries	3,248
% of email Queries solved at first point of contact	98%
Webchat Queries	2,111
% of Webchat Queries solved at first point of contact	100%
Personal Visits	
Queries in person	4,859
% of Queries in person solved at first point of contact	98%

November	
Telephone Calls	(2)
Answered Call Volumes	8,322
Queries/Cases	?
Total Queries	8,574
Queries solved at first point of contact	7,802
% of Queries solved at first point of contact (75% target)	91%
Email	@
Email Queries	3,331
% of email Queries solved at first point of contact	98%
Webchat Queries	1,616
% of Webchat Queries solved at first point of contact	100%
Personal Visits	
Queries in person	6,551
% of Queries in person solved at first point of contact	99%

October	
Telephone Calls	
Answered Call Volumes	8,704
Queries/Cases	?
Total Queries	8,995
Queries solved at first point of contact	8,275
% of Queries solved at first point of contact (75% target)	92%
Email	@
Email Queries	3,079
% of email Queries solved at first point of contact	98%
Webchat Queries	2,010
% of Webchat Queries solved at first point of contact	99%
Personal Visits	2
Queries in person	6,297
% of Queries in person solved at first point of contact	98%

Customer Care: Social Media



FACEBOOK in DECEMBER

- 42,613 Total number of Followers
- 382 new Followers

Top Posts:

1st: PEOPLE REACHED **193,275** ENGAGEMENT **15,068**

An important update for road users in the south of Aberdeenshire - our Bridges team is just a few short hours away from completing the emergency repair works at the Lower North Water Bridge near St Cyrus. They are working flat out and had expected today's temporary off-peak closure to be lifted as planned at 3pm today. However the crew needs just a couple more hours to finalise things so the bridge will be opened permanently once again at 6pm.

2nd: PEOPLE REACHED **96,961** ENGAGEMENT **9,148**

From Monday 8 January 2024, cars will be allowed to visit all household recycling centres—except for Inverurie and Westhill—without booking. Please note that there are no changes to the current booking system until Monday 8 January 2024.

A permit system for vans and trailers will be reintroduced across all household recycling centres in January to stop trade waste entering the sites. Due to high demand at Alford, Fraserburgh, Huntly, Insch, Laurencekirk, Portsoy, Turriff, and Westhill household recycling centres, pedestrian access will be reintroduced. Pedestrians, bicycles, and bikes with trailers will be allowed safe access without the presence of other vehicles at these sites from noon to 12:30 pm each day from Monday 8 January 2024.

3rd: PEOPLE REACHED **57,954** ENGAGEMENT **4,316**

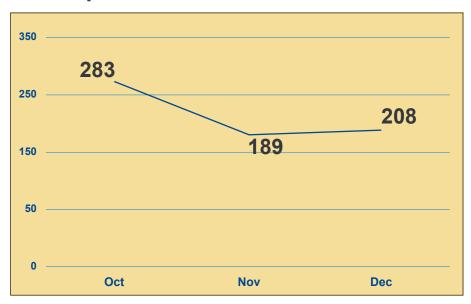
Road users are advised that owing to patching works being carried out, we will be closing the B9031 Fraserburgh to Macduff road from the B9123 at Dubford to U103L at Greenskares for 5 days from Monday (Dec 11). Access will be provided for emergency and vehicles requiring access to immediate properties. The formal diversion will be via the C15S at Dubford to C16S near Clochforbie, C16S to A98 at Fisherie Green, A98 to B9031 at Bloodymire and vice versa.



TWITTER in **DECEMBER**

- **38,468** Total number of **Followers**
- +24 New Followers
- 114,434 Impressions on 54 Tweets
- 5,331 Engagements
- 412 Profile Visits

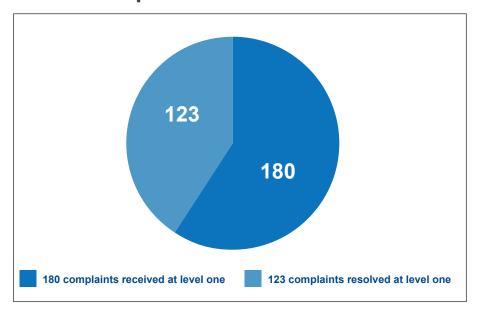
208 Complaints Received in December



140 Complaints Closed in December



Frontline Complaints



Investigation Complaints

