

## Major application determination times

From 1 April 2014 to 31 March 2016

The rolling two year period (until the end of March 2016) for the processing of major applications shows that performance is still improving.

The government requirement is for over 50% of major applications to be determined within an agreed time frame. Bromsgrove Council was below 40% at the time of designation. As a result of improved performance the Council wrote to the DCLG and requested that the designation be lifted. This was confirmed in February 2016.

Last time performance figures were reported to this Committee 63% of major applications were determined in time. Current performance, at the end of March 2016, has risen to 67%.

All major applications in the Planning Service have an allocated case officer, i.e. there are no unallocated major cases.

Number of applications	Number in time	Quarter
14	7	Jan - March '14 Q4
6	2	April - June '14 Q1
6	2	July - Sept '14 Q2
3	2	Oct - Dec '14 Q3
5	2	Jan - March '15 Q4
4	3	April - June '15 Q1
7	7	July - Sept '15 Q2
10	8	Oct - Dec '15 Q3
7	6*	Jan - March '16 Q4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>32</b>
		<b><math>32 \div 48 \times 100 = 66.7\%</math></b>

~~Previous quarter shown as crossed through.~~

\*All 6 applications used Extensions of Time.