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Peter Weir MLA has asked:

To ask the Minister of the Environment for a breakdown of his Department's spend in North Down in each year since 2011.

ANSWER

A copy of the breakdown of my Department's spend in North Down in each year since 2011, has been placed in the assembly library.



Signed: _____

Mark H Durkan MLA

26/02/16

Date: _____

Business Area	Description of Funding	2011-12 £000's	2012-13 £000's	2013-14 £000's	2014-15 £000's	Total £000's
Local Government- Councils included; North Down Borough Council and Ards Borough Council	Rates Support Grant *	887	845	818	820	3,370
	De-rating Grant *	1,073	1,042	1,071	1,064	4,250
	Scheme of Emergency Financial Assistance *	-	12	19	2	33
	Dereliction Grant *	-	-	140	-	140
	Network NI Grant *	-	28	-	-	28
	Council Transformation costs*	-	-	49	342	391
	Shadow council funding *	-	-	-	450	450
Historic Environment Division	Listed Building Grants	144	107	107	130	488
Road Safety	Road Safety Grants	19	8	8	-	35

Northern Ireland Environment Agency	Rethink Waste Grants	22	372	-	37	431
	Challenge Fund	32	28	165	108	333
	Natural Heritage Grant Programme	12	13	-	-	25
	Natural Environment Fund	-	-	-	12	12
Total		2,189	2,455	2,377	2,965	9,986

*Figures shown relate to amounts provided to North Down Borough Council and Ards Borough Council, and cannot be specifically attributed by the Department to the North Down Constituency as some District Council boundaries cross Constituencies lines.