

## Freedom of Information request reference number: 7473.1

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## Request:

How many fires in your area were caused by electric heaters in each of the months listed: Jan 2020 to April 2023.

How many deaths were caused by fires caused by electric heaters in each of the months listed? What was the age of the deceased in each case?

## Response:

Our Data team have provided the table below which shows the number of fires where the source of ignition was an electric heater:

Date	Number of Fires	Number of Deaths	Age of deceased
Apr-23	12	0	-
Mar-23	11	0	-
Feb-23	11	0	-
Jan-23	15	0	-
Dec-22	12	0	-
Nov-22	8	0	-
Oct-22	8	0	-
Sep-22	7	0	-
Aug-22	1	0	-
Jul-22	0	0	-
Jun-22	4	0	-
May-22	2	0	-
Apr-22	10	1	99
Mar-22	10	0	-
Feb-22	11	0	-
Jan-22	19	0	-
Dec-21	12	0	-
Nov-21	18	0	-
Oct-21	9	0	-
Sep-21	4	0	-
Aug-21	4	1	65
Jul-21	5	0	-
Jun-21	2	0	-
May-21	6	0	-
Apr-21	8	0	-

Mar-21	14	0	-
Feb-21	10	0	-
Jan-21	17	1	68
Dec-20	21	0	-
Nov-20	6	0	-
Oct-20	12	0	-
Sep-20	4	0	-
Aug-20	2	0	-
Jul-20	1	0	-
Jun-20	3	0	-
May-20	3	0	-
Apr-20	1	0	-
Mar-20	10	0	-
Feb-20	8	0	-
Jan-20	20	0	-
Total	341	3	-

We have dealt with your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. For more information about this process please see the guidance we publish about making a request <u>on our website</u>.