**Ashfield District Council**

**Trade Union Facilities April 2024 – March 2025**

Under the requirements of the Data transparency – Local Government Code 2015, the Council is required to publish details of time paid to employees to carry out trade union duties, annually.

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| Branch Chair, Operational and Health and Safety Rep  | Branch Secretary, Lead Rep, Health & Safety Rep and LGPS NCCC pension board member  |
| Branch Secretary, Operational and Health and Safety Rep  | Branch President, Operational and Health & Safety Rep |
| Branch Treasurer  | Deputy President and Health and Safety Rep  |
| Asst Branch Secretary and Operational and Health and Safety Rep  | Health & Safety Rep |
| Branch Equalities Coordinator and Branch Rep and Vice Chair | Branch Audit ,Operational and Health & Safety Rep (X2) |
| Branch Membership and Welfare Rep  |   |
| Branch Retired Members Secretary |  |
| Branch Welfare Rep |  |
| Branch Education Co-ordinator |  |
| Branch Operational and H&S Rep |  |
| Branch Young Member's Rep |  |
| Branch Social Secretaries (x2) |  |
| Branch Environmental Rep |  |
| **Total = 13 employees covering above**  | **Total = 6 employees covering above**  |

Frequently Asked Questions

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| No. | Question | Response |
| 1 | What is the total number of staff who are union representatives? | 19 (18 FTE) |
| 2 | What is the total number of union representatives who devote at least 50% of their time to union duties? | None |
| 3 | Which Trade Unions are represented at the Council? | UnisonGMB |
| 4 | What is the basic estimate of spending on unions?\* | £10,127 |
| 5 | What is the basic estimate of spending as a percentage of the total pay bill?\*\* | 0.04%  |

\* spending is calculated as the number of full-time equivalent hours spent on union duties, multiplied by the average (median) salary hourly rate – the average salary being £30,060.00

\*\* spending is calculated as the number of full-time equivalent hours spent on union duties, multiplied by the average salary divided by the total basic pay bill of £25,651,858.77