

Public Health Funerals conducted by the Public Protection Service between 1 April 2019 and 31 March 2020

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death	Gender	Type of Funeral	Referral to Duchy of Lancaster
James Dodd	24/05/1944	25/01/2019	Male	Burial	No
Arnold Brown	25/08/1967	13/03/2019	Male	Burial	No
Patricia Clegg	17/03/1963	26/05/2019	Female	Burial	No
David Baron	25/10/1958	06/05/2019	Male	Burial	No
Michael Farrer	05/02/1945	09/07/2019	Male	Burial	No
Iris Richardson	19/04/1935	07/07/2019	Female	Burial	No
Barrie Swayne	06/06/1953	14/08/2019	Male	Burial	No
Laszlo Geza Eros	15/10/1968	02/10/2018	Male	Burial	No
Dennis Lyle	12/04/1964	12/10/2019	Male	Burial	No
Frank Gawthorpe	16/09/1939	31/10/2019	Male	Burial	No
Robert Gascoyne	19/09/1942	02/10/2019	Male	Burial	No
Derek Ryle	03/07/1935	05/01/2020	Male	Burial	No
Christopher Pearson	20/08/1962	22/01/2020	Male	Burial	No
Darren Lomas	19/03/1971	01/03/2020	Male	Burial	No

Section 31 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Law Enforcement (prevention and detection of crime). Revealing details of the assets of an estate before the Duchy of Lancaster has undertaken their own enquiries would provide an opportunity for criminal acts to be committed (for example theft or fraud). Similarly, there would be concerns about making the last known address of the deceased public, as the property is likely to be unoccupied and might contain the deceased's identity. Taking into account the above issues, the Council considers that there is no over-riding public interest in releasing the information requested.

Any public interest would be best served by upholding the exemption under section 31 of the Act as disclosure of the information would be likely to prejudice the prevention of crime by enabling or encouraging the commission of offences.

The Net cost to Rochdale BC of conducting the above public health funerals was £8,605.15