

Newham Council – Gifts and Hospitality Register for Officers

Reporting Period: 2024/25 – Quarter 1 (April - June 2025)

Directorate	Employee's Name	Person Or Organisation Offering G&H	Gift Type	Offer Description	Date Of Offer	Estimated Value	Accepted Offer	Approval
Resources	Mr Samir (Sameer Suresh) Mody	Alice Ferrari of Ingleton Wood	Hospitality	Lunch with Ingleton Wood following site visit around Stratford Market Village.	9th April 2024	£10.00	Yes	Approved
Children and Young People (DCS)	Mr Carlos Galaz	Vik Verma - Previous Interim Director of Childrens Services. Has now left.	Monetary gift	The previous Interim Director of Childrens Services gifted an Amazon gift card to me as a thank you for all of the hard work and dedication. He stated in the message that it was for me to use for myself or to gift it to the service if I choose to do so.	9th April 2024	£150.00	Yes	Approved
Chief Executive	Ms Abi (Abosede) Gbago	Jeremy Rees, Chief Executive Officer, Excel Exhibition Centre	Hospitality	The Chief Executive was invited to tour the Excel Exhibition Centre and hear about their investment plans for the creative sector to unlock opportunity in Newham for residents. As part of the visit and as an example of the offer that Excel puts on she was invited to visit the Disney immersive exhibition. Three tickets were provided.	22nd April 2024	£183.50	Yes	Approved
Resources	Mrs Naima Kazmi	Rundle & Co Enforcement agents	Hospitality	Civia Conference dinner and hotel booking for the night	8th April 2024	£450.00	Yes	Approved
Environment and Sustainable Transport	Mr Dave (David) Adams	NRG Riverside	Hospitality	Networking / Charity event with other local authorities & vehicle / services suppliers @ Collingtree Park Golf Club, Northamptonshire	7th May 2024	£50.00	No	Approved
Inclusive Economy and Housing	Mr Paul Kitson	LLDC	Hospitality	Concert at the London Stadium as guest of LLDC	15th May 2024	£100.00	Yes	Approved
Children and Young People (DCS)	Ms Helen Tonge	Karen Blanchard - Pebbles Care	Gift	Small food hamper following prize draw. The competition was a promotion for Pebbles Care at the Commissioners Conference on 20-21/06.	24th June 2024	£40.00	Yes	Approved