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List of Cases which do not proceed to investigation

DATE OF RECEIPT	PART OF CODE OF CONDUCT ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN BREACHED	NAME OF COUNCIL	WHETHER A POTENTIAL BREACH WAS FOUND	REASONS FOR DECISION
13/10/20 12/2020	Valuing my colleagues Always treating people with respect	North East Derbyshire District Council	Yes	Language went beyond what was acceptable - Cllr invited to apologise at future meeting.
	Always treating people with respect		Yes - borderline	Some may consider language used unacceptable but insufficiently serious to warrant formal action – Cllr issued with written warning.
	Always treating people with respect		No	No evidence Code of Conduct had been breached.
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	Valuing my colleagues		Yes	This was an isolated incident. An informal warning was issued and a caution as to use of language in the future.
	Not acting independently or without undue influence		No	Not sufficient evidence Code of Conduct had been breached.
			In the majority of allegations no further action was taken, either because there	

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			wasn't a breach or further action would have been disproportionate. One allegation, that Cllr M Foster had used disrespectful language in the meeting, was considered to amount to a breach of the Code. A local resolution, by which Cllr M Foster could apologise at a future meeting, was offered as a resolution. Although it is understood that this has not yet happened.	
12/01/21 1/2021	Disclosure of Exempt Information	North East Derbyshire District Council	No	No evidence Code of Conduct had been breached
06/04/21 <mark>2/2021</mark>	Asking a complainant to lie Complainant felt intimidated	North East Derbyshire District Council	No	No evidence Code of Conduct had been breached
10/05/21 <mark>3/2021</mark>	Not specified by complainant	North East Derbyshire District Council	No	Information/evidence not supplied to consider complaint
10/05/21 <mark>4/2021</mark>	Bringing the Council into disrepute	North East Derbyshire District Council	No	Information/evidence not supplied to consider complaint
22/07/21 6/2021	Not acting in best interests of constituents Not acting impartially Unduly influencing a planning committee decision	Dronfield Town Council/ North East Derbyshire District Council	No	No evidence Code of Conduct had been breached