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**Hull Municipal Corporation Local
Fuel Committee records**

1939-1951

Historical Background: At the start of what would be known as the Second World War, the UK government introduced statutory controls on house coal supplies and prices. Under these same control orders, local authorities were also required to appoint Local Fuel Overseers. In Hull in April 1943, an Advisory Committee of elected members and representatives of local businesses was established to assist and advise the local overseer. This committee would later become known as the Local Fuel Committee or even just the Fuel Committee. As hostilities continued, the committee would later go on to ensure there were sufficient supplies of coal across the city. With the central government ending controls on the supply of the coal in the June of 1958, the committee was wound up the following month, July 1958.

Custodial history: Records created as part of the work of the Hull Local Fuel Committee and routinely transferred from the Town Clerks Department

Description: Committee records including minutes, correspondence, memos and reports. Former reference number TL/9242.

Extent: 3 bundles and 2 volumes

Related material: See council minutes in the searchroom and any associated reports at reference C TCR/1

Access conditions: Access will be granted to any accredited reader

C TCLF/1	Hull Local Fuel Committee draft minutes of meetings 1 bundle	24 Apr 1939- 30 Aug 1945
C TCLF/2	Hull Local Fuel Committee correspondence 1 bundle	27 Jan 1941- 23 Feb 1951
C TCLF/3	Correspondence of the Hull Local Fuel Overseer 1 bundle	2 Nov 1939- 2 Nov 1942
C TCLF/4	Hull Local Fuel Committee Coal Control Order book 1 volume	12 Sep 1939- 12 Oct 1942
C TCLF/5	Hull Local Fuel Overseer's petty cash book 1 volume	4 Sep 1939- 22 Dec 1942