

**FOI Reference Number:** FOI/224/1920

**Date:** 09 October 2019

**Request:**

- 1)a. For the last financial year (2018-2019) how many fines did your authority issue for fly-tipping?
- b. What was the total revenue received from these fines?
- c) How much was spent on issuing these fines?
- 2)a. For the last financial year (2018-2019) how many times did your authority prosecute individuals or businesses for fly-tipping?
- b. How many resulted in convictions?
- c. Was any revenue received as compensation?
- d) How much was spent on these prosecutions?
- 3) For the last financial year (2018-2019) how many cases of fly-tipping did your authority deal with?
- 4) For the last financial year (2018-2019), what the was total cost to your authority of dealing with fly-tipping?
- 5) How many people live in your local authority area?

**Response:**

Thank you for your information request which Mid and East Antrim Borough Council received on 16 September 2019.

Please find below Mid and East Antrim Borough Council's response in relation to your request.

- 1)a. For the last financial year (2018-2019) how many fines did your authority issue for fly-tipping? **76 Fixed Penalties issued for fly tipping/Littering**
- b. What was the total revenue received from these fines? **£4,030**
- c) How much was spent on issuing these fines? **Do not understand question**

- 2)a. For the last financial year (2018-2019) how many times did your authority prosecute individuals or businesses for fly-tipping? **5 offenders**
- b. How many resulted in convictions? **5 convictions**
- c. Was any revenue received as compensation? **No**
- d. How much was spent on these prosecutions? **£120 per prosecution x 5 cases**

3) For the last financial year (2018-2019) how many cases of fly-tipping did your authority deal with? **469 reported case**

4) For the last financial year (2018-2019), what the was total cost to your authority of dealing with fly-tipping?

Year	No. Incidents	Tonnage	Landfill cost	Wages and fuel cost	Total Cost
2018/19	469	23.45	£2,579	£11,725	£14,304

#### Assumptions

Each fly tip averages 50 kg

£110 per tonne landfill

Fuel, wages per fly tip, transport and bulking (£25 total per fly tip)

5) How many people live in your local authority area?

**139,000**

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of part of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to the Chief Executive at the Braid Ballymena Town Hall, 1-29 Bridge Street, Ballymena, BT43 5EJ.

Please remember to quote the reference number FOI/224/1920 in any future communications./

If you are not content with the outcome of an internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Please be advised that Mid and East Antrim Borough Council may release the response to this information request into the public domain via our website at <https://www.midandeantrim.gov.uk/>.

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