

**FOI Reference Number:** FOI/260/1920

**Date:** 15 October 2019

**Request:**

1. How many dog owners there are within the Larne area?
2. If not able to determine 1., then how many dogs are licensed in the Larne area?

**Response:**

Thank you for your information request which Mid and East Antrim Borough Council received on 11 October 2019.

Please find below Mid and East Antrim Borough Council's response.

***NB, As dogs may be licenced at any of the 3 main council sites, i.e. Ardeevin, Carrickfergus Civic Centre or Smiley Buildings irrespective of the owners address within the Borough the breakdown is indicative only.***

1. How many dog owners there are within the Larne area?

**Answer: Unable to determine how many dog owners are within the Larne area as there may be some that do not have a licence**

2. If not able to determine 1., then how many dogs are licensed in the Larne area?

**Answer: *4391 Licences in the Larne area***

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/260/1920 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/>.

If we publish our response to your request, your personal data will be removed to protect your privacy.