



My Ref: FOI/ 5453
Enquiries to: Information Requests
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Dear Requester,

Re: Request for Information – Freedom of Information Act 2000

I wish to confirm that the council has completed its search for the information which you requested.

The information requested and our findings are as follows: -

(1) the total number of fly-tipping incidents reported in 2023-24 in the Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council area

5220 Reports were made in financial year 2023-24

**(2) a list of the top 5-10 fly-tipping hotspot locations (street names or postcodes),
And**

Blenheim Road/St Georges Road Backings Kingstone
Castle Street/Day Street Backings Kingstone
Beever Street/Victoria Street Backings Goldthorpe
Doncaster Road/Osborne Street Backings Barnsley
St Georges Road Kingstone

(3) current enforcement measures (CCTV, patrols) and annual budget for fly-tipping cleanup/enforcement in 2023-24.

There is no specific budget for fly tipping clean up. The costs are held within Neighbourhood Services overall budget which includes grounds maintenance, street cleansing and arboricultural services.

We also don't have a dedicated budget for fly-tipping enforcement, costs form part of our Warden's salaries.

We have extensive use of both static and re-deployable CCTV, a team of investigating officers and a commitment to taking enforcement action including issuing FPNs and prosecution where appropriate.

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Information Requests Team
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Customer Services Team
Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
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SK9 5AF

Email: <http://www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints>

Kind regards,

Information Requests Team, Barnsley MBC

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