



My Ref: FOI4943
Enquiries to: Information Requests
E-Mail: informationrequests@barnsley.gov.uk

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: -

Cigarette butt collections

The total number (and weight/volume, if recorded) of cigarette butts collected from any beaches, parks, and the local high street in your council area during the following periods:

- 1 September 2022 - 31 August 2023
- 1 September 2023 - 31 August 2024
- 1 September 2024 - 31 August 2025

Please provide a breakdown by location type.

The Council does not hold this information.

Vaping product collections

The total number (and weight/volume, if recorded) of disposable vapes or other vaping products collected from public spaces during the same periods:

- 1 September 2022 - 31 August 2023
- 1 September 2023 - 31 August 2024
- 1 September 2024 - 31 August 2025

Please provide a breakdown by type of vaping product (e.g. disposable vapes, refillable devices/cartridges) and by location type (e.g. parks, beaches, high streets), with the data in a CSV file.

If the above data is not available separately, please provide any available data on cigarette butts and/or vaping products that your council holds, including where these items are recorded within broader litter categories for the same date ranges listed above.

Please note: if you are unable to retrieve 3 years of data for the above-requested information within the available FOI cost limit, please reduce the number of years to the last 2 years, or as far back as possible, to the latest available date.

The Council does not hold this information.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact Information Requests Via email.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are unhappy with the way the Directorate has handled your request, you may ask for an internal review. Please clearly mark your correspondence 'Complaint' and address it to:

Barnsley MBC
Information Requests Team
PO Box 634
Barnsley
S70 9GG
email: informationrequests@barnsley.gov.uk

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: -

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

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

Kind regards,

Information Requests Team, Barnsley MBC

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