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Dear Sir/Madam.

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)  
Request ID: REQ06253**

Thank you for your request for information relating to fly-tipping.

You have requested the following information:

**1a. For the last financial year (2018-2019) how many fines did your authority issue for fly-tipping?**

10. Please note that this includes fly-tipping/littering and fines for duty of care infringements.

**b. What was the total revenue received from these fines?**

£1,250

**c. How much was spent on issuing these fines?**

We can confirm that we do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. The issuing of fines is part of the team's day to day work, so it is impossible to determine the cost of each individual fine. Investigations are made on each case and the fine is simply an extension of that work.

**2a. For the last financial year (2018-2019) how many times did your authority prosecute individuals or businesses for fly-tipping?**

4 people were prosecuted for fly-tipping or other waste related offences

**b. How many resulted in convictions?**

4

**c. Was any revenue received as compensation?**

£1,530 in fines plus costs of £1,750.

**d. How much was spent on these prosecutions?**

£1,750 was spent on taking such cases to court (recovered).

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

6,922 incidents.

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

£120,768

**5. How many people live in your local authority area?**

366,800.

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Yours sincerely