

FOI number: **HBC\_FOI\_20200275**  
Date FOI Received: **28/04/2020**  
Department: **Waste and recycling**  
Title: **Fly tipping 2014-2019**  
Description: **Figures relating to fly tipping or illegal dumping of rubbish.**

**Request: (As Redacted sent by requestor)**

1. How many incidents of illegal dumping of rubbish (also commonly known as fly dumping or fly tipping) occurred within the jurisdiction of your authority each year for the last five whole years (i.e. 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019)?
2. How many incidents of illegal dumping of rubbish (also commonly known as fly dumping or fly tipping) occurred within the jurisdiction of your authority have occurred since the beginning of 2020?
3. How many incidents of illegal dumping of rubbish (also commonly known as fly dumping or fly tipping) were reported by the public to your jurisdiction each year for the last five whole years (i.e. 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019)?
4. How many incidents of illegal dumping of rubbish (also commonly known as fly dumping or fly tipping) have been reported by the public to your jurisdiction since the beginning of 2020?
5. What was the cost of clearing illegal dumping (also commonly known as fly dumping or fly tipping) to your authority each year for the last five whole years (i.e. 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019)?
6. What was the cost of clearing illegal dumping (also commonly known as fly dumping or fly tipping) to your authority since the beginning of 2020?

If information for the last five years is likely to exceed cost limits then please supply information for the last two years.

**Response: (Response as Redacted sent by service)**

Information available in relation to the first four questions is available through accessing the link below:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/statistical-data-sets/env24-fly-tipping-incidents-and-actions-taken-in-england>

The link below may also be useful:

[https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\\_data/file/878193/FlyTipping\\_201819\\_Statistical\\_Release\\_FINAL\\_Accessible\\_v2.pdf](https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/878193/FlyTipping_201819_Statistical_Release_FINAL_Accessible_v2.pdf)

Q5. Information not held.  
Q6. Information not held.

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Please include the above reference number on all correspondence related to this request.

Thank you for your request.

Kind regards

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