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Subject: EIR-17-1175 - Abandoned Vehicles
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Attachments: [Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf](#)
[EIR-17-1175 - Abandoned Cars.xls](#)

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your information request of 11 August 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

This is a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act for years, 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16, 2016/17 and 2017/18 so far:

1. The total number of abandoned vehicles removed by Aberdeen City Council in each year.

2013/2014	86
2014/2015	96
2015/2016	96
2016/2017	272
2017/2018 to date	21

2. A breakdown of the make and model of each vehicle, the date it was removed and the street it was removed from.

Please refer to the attached spreadsheet.

3. Details of what happened to the vehicle after it was removed in each case, e.g. sold on, scrapped, etc.

All vehicles have been scrapped. None have been sent for resale.

4. The total cost of removal of abandoned vehicles to Aberdeen City Council in each year.

In the current financial year the cost to Aberdeen City is £0 as we have an agreement with the disposal company to collect and scrap free-of-charge

5. The total amount of money made from resale and scrapping etc of abandoned vehicles removed by Aberdeen City Council in each year.

No income is made from the resale and scrapping of abandoned vehicles as they are not resold. The company that currently uplifts and scraps the vehicles does it free-of-charge.

Please note that this information relates to vehicles collected and scrapped and does not relate to vehicles that were stickered for removal and subsequently were removed by the owners.

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Information Compliance Team

INFORMATION ABOUT THE HANDLING OF YOUR REQUEST

As the information which you requested is environmental information, as defined under Regulation 2(1) of the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004 (the EIRs), ACC considered that it was exempt from release through FOISA, and must therefore give you notice that we are refusing your request under Section 39(2) of FOISA (Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002). However, you have a separate right to access the information which you have requested under Regulation 5 of the EIRs, under which ACC has handled your request. Please refer to the attached PDF for more information about your rights under the EIRs.

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