From: Foi Enquiries

To: Subject: Date:

EIR-17-1764 - Fly Tipping 12 December 2017 10:03:41

Attachments: Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf

Dear

Thank you for your information request of 20 November 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

Under Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 I would like to request the following:

## How much the council has spent clearing up fly-tipping in the last three years? Could this please be broken down by year.

Fly tipping wastes are collected with the Domestic Residual waste and it is not currently possible to isolate these tonnages and consequent costs.

## If possible, can you break down the number of incidents/call outs or issues which have been dealt with? If not, the total cost for each year's clean-up is great.

The flytipping requests contain addresses and there are over 10,000 lines of data for the last 3 years. As we are not currently able to separate out this waste stream from the domestic residue it is not possible to assign costs to these call outs.

ACC is unable to provide you with information on **fly-tipping** as it is not held by ACC. In order to comply with its obligations under the terms of Section 17 of the FOISA, ACC hereby gives notice that this information is not held by it.

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Grant Webster
Information Compliance Officer

## 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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