

From: [Foi Enquiries](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: REV-17-1495 - Aberdeenshire Waste
Date: 20 December 2017 14:58:37

Dear [REDACTED],

I refer to your email requesting that Aberdeen City Council (ACC) review its handling of your request.

A Review has been undertaken. Please find below the Review Panel decision.

Please accept our sincere apologies for the incorrect response provided to you on 17 October 2017. It appears as though there was a misunderstanding with the content of your request due to a lack of knowledge about work undertaken by Aberdeenshire Council for Aberdeen City Council. Please see below a revised response:

Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

With regards to assistance from Aberdeenshire Council in relation to Waste collections the City:

Can you please detail the reasons for Aberdeenshire Council deploying Vehicles and Crews within the City.

There has been a shortage of resources over recent months in particular areas of the city following the implementation of the new recycling and waste services which involved the re-routing of the entire city's waste and recycling services. This, coupled with a change of base location (from Kittybrewster to Altens) meant that there were some areas identified requiring additional resources whilst the new routes bedded in. To assist with this we have worked with colleagues from Aberdeenshire Council to help mitigate the issue in the short term.

Can you please provide correspondence, emails, invoices; and any other notes made regarding this matter.

This temporary arrangement was made between staff by telephone.

Please specify what Aberdeenshire Council is charging for its services.

Vehicles used were a combination of Aberdeenshire standard collection vehicles (26 tonne with food pod) and REL's.

16/06/17

3 Drivers	£551.23	(3 crew x 9 hrs x 15.95ph + oncosts 28%)
7 Loaders	£1,182.18	(7 crew x 9 hrs x 14.66ph + oncosts 28%)
3 Vehicles	£210.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£239.75	
	£2,183.16	

04/08/17

3 Drivers	£535.94	(crew x hrs x 15.95ph + oncosts 28%)
6 Loaders	£900.72	(crew x hrs x 14.66ph + oncosts 28%)

Vehicles	£210.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£261.58	
	£1,908.24	

11/08/17

3 Drivers	£607.38	(crew x hrs x 15.95ph + oncosts 28%)
6 Loaders	£1,050.84	(crew x hrs x 14.66ph + oncosts 28%)
Vehicles	£210.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£299.12	
	£2,167.34	

18/08/17

5 Drivers	£980.98	(crew x hrs x £16.22ph + oncosts 28%)
9 Loaders	£1,519.26	(crew x hrs x £14.93ph + oncosts 28%)
Vehicles	£350.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£408.23	
	£3,258.47	

25/08/17

4 Drivers	£830.48	(crew x hrs x £16.22ph + oncosts 28%)
7 Loaders	£1,270.87	(crew x hrs x £14.93ph + oncosts 28%)
Vehicles	£280.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£232.39	
	£2,613.74	

01/09/17

4 Drivers	£830.48	(crew x hrs x £16.22ph + oncosts 28%)
8 Loaders	£1,490.64	(crew x hrs x £14.93ph + oncosts 28%)
4 Vehicles	£280.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£238.93	
	£2,840.05	

08/09/17

2 Drivers	£394.47	(crew x hrs x £16.22ph + oncosts 28%)
4 Loaders	£726.22	(crew x hrs x £14.93ph + oncosts 28%)
2 Vehicles	£140.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£222.36	
	£1,483.05	

15/09/17

1 Driver	£186.85	(crew x hrs x £16.22ph + oncosts 28%)
1 Loader	£171.99	(crew x hrs x £14.93ph + oncosts 28%)
2 Vehicles	£70.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£100.94	
	£529.78	

22/09/17

5 Drivers	£1,025.51	(crew x hrs x £16.22ph + oncosts 28%)
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4 Loaders	£649.74	(crew x hrs x £14.93ph + oncosts 28%)
2 Vehicles	£210.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£308.20	
	£2,193.45	

29/09/17

4 Drivers	£795.13	(crew x hrs x £16.22oh + oncosts 28%)
7 Loaders	£1,280.43	(crew x hrs x £16.22oh + oncosts 28%)
4 Vehicles	£280.00	(£70 per day per vehicle)
Fuel	£423.61	
	£2,779.17	

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Grant Webster
On behalf of Review Panel Clerk

FURTHER INFORMATION

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of your request for an internal review, you can apply directly to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner (OSIC) for a decision. Generally, OSIC cannot make a decision unless you have been through the ACC's review procedure. To make an application to OSIC, please write or email OSIC at:

The Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner
Kinburn Castle
Doubledykes Road
St Andrews
Fife
KY16 9DS
www.itspublicknowledge.info

An application to OSIC must be made in writing within six months of receipt of ACC's Review Decision Notice. When applying to OSIC for a decision you should give your name and address for correspondence. Please note that OSIC will not be able to investigate if you have not used your real name to make your information request. You must also specify:

- which request for information your requirement for review relates to
- the reason that you asked ACC to carry out a review of your request
- the reason why you are not satisfied with ACC's review outcome decision

The Commissioner will contact ACC and invite its comments on your application. Thereafter (if no settlement has meantime been reached), the Commissioner must reach a decision within 4 months of receiving your application, or within such other period as is reasonable. You will receive written notice of the outcome of the Commissioner's decision.

Should you wish to appeal against the Scottish Information Commissioner's decision, there is an appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only. Any such appeal must be made within 42 days after the date of the decision has been issued.

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