

Freedom of Information Request – Public Waste Bins

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Request & Response:

Please can you tell me the number of public bins the council has provided in your area for the past five years (1 January 2018 - 19 January 2023).

2018-19 – 981
2019-20 – 1002
2020-21 – 1011
2021-22 – 1342
2022-23 – 1410

Please could this be broken down by month, the type of bin, the location (eg park or street).

We do not record the months when bins are installed during each financial year, nor do we differentiate between bins on the public highway and those within our greenspaces, we simply add the number installed to the total from the previous year.

Please can you tell me the number of public bins removed from your area over the past five years (1 January 2018 - 19 January 2023).

As you can see from the above numbers we have not removed any bins from their current locations, we have increased the numbers of bins on an annual basis. We do however have an annual replacement/renewal programme for all of our bins of 10% each year, we aim to renew bins approximately every 10 years based on condition.

Please could this be broken down by month, the type of bin, the location (eg park or street) and the reason for removal.

As stated above, we do not record this information on a monthly basis nor do we differentiate between on street and greenspaces

Please can you tell the savings made from the removal of the bins, broken down annually from 1 January 2018-19 January 2023.

We have not made any savings from the removal of bins as we have increased the number of bins.