

Derry City & Strabane

District Council

Comhairle **Chathair Dhoire &** Cheantar an tSratha Báin

Derry Cittie & Stràbane

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Ref: EIR / 1209

18 May 2017

Email:

Dear

Environmental Information Regulations 2004 Request Household Waste Recycling Charges

I refer to your EIR request as above and would advise that Derry City and Strabane District Council do not apply any charges to residents. The response to Q1-Q4 are therefore non-applicable.

- 1) Please detail what charges there are, if any, at your Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRC)?
- 2) Please state when charges were introduced and whether they have increased or decreased from their introduction to date.
- 3) Please provide a copy of the minutes of the meeting where it was decided to introduce charges, if your authority has done so.
- 4) Please state the total income generated by your local authority from any charges in the following financial years:
- 2013/14 i)
- ii) 2014/15
- iii) 2015/16
- 2016/17 iv)

5) Please state whether opening hours at your HWRC's have been reduced in the past financial

Response: Due to the closure of a recycling facility in the area, Derry City and Strabane District Council opened a new facility during the past financial year which opens from 8am-8pm Monday to Friday, 8am-6pm Saturday and 1pm-6pm Sunday. No other change was made to opening hours at our other facilities.

If you are dissatisfied with our response you have rights of review and appeal; these rights consist of two review processes.

Firstly our internal review procedure is available by contacting:

John Kelpie **Chief Executive** Derry City and Strabane District Council 98 Strand Road **BT48 7NN** Derry Tel 028 71253253 or email john.kelpie@derrystrabane.com

Secondly, you can appeal directly by contacting the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow

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Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate) or email: casework@ico.org.uk

Yours sincerely