

Ref: FOI / 6107

10th December 2025

Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request - Fixed Penalty Notices (FPNs)

I refer to your FOI request and respond as follows:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding the issuing of Fixed Penalty Notices (FPNs) within your local authority area.

Please could you provide the following information:

- 1. Does your council employ a private contractor or external company to issue environmental FPNs? If yes, please provide the name(s) of the contractor(s) and the date when the contract commenced.**

No

- 2. Please provide the total number of environmental Fixed Penalty Notices (e.g. for littering, fly tipping, dog fouling) issued by your council for each of the following financial years: 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 and 2024-25.**

Please see the information requested in the tables below.

- 3. Please state the total income received by the council from environmental FPNs in each of the following years: 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 and 2024-25**

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Please see the information requested in the tables below.

Littering		
Date	No of FPN	Amount
2021	11	£575
2022	10	£500
2023	11	£550
2024	9	£450
2025	0	£0

Fly Tipping		
Year	No of FPN	Amount
2020	55	£2875
2021	36	£1950
2022	36	£1900
2023	34	£1800
2024	25	£1375
2025	11	£550

Dog Fouling		
Year	No of FPN	Amount
2020 – 2021	2	£100
2021 – 2022	4	£250
2022 – 2023	2	£100
2023 – 2024	4	£200
2024 - 2025	6	£350

NB. The £100 fixed penalty notice for dog fouling is discounted to £50 when paid early.

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
Derry BT48 7NN
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
CHESHIRE SK9 5AF
Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate) or email: casework@ico.org.uk

I would however advise that the Information Commissioner has indicated that a review will not be undertaken unless the Council has first had an opportunity to re-consider its decision.

Yours sincerely

Conor Canning
Head of Environment & Building Control