

Please can we request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act? If the work outlined below takes you over your allotted time, please prioritise the questions in the order they appear below.

- 1) How many complaints for noise nuisance have you had in your council area over the past three years? Please provide a figure for each year (i.e. 2023 so far, 2022 and 2021).
- 2) How many of these complaints are for road noise, i.e. noise caused by driving, traffic, etc? *Please provide a figure for each year as outlined in Q1.*

2023 to date – 1349
 2022 – 1388
 2021 - 1209

Wigan Council do not investigate this type of complaint, however we have the following reports logged that could come under this category;

March 2023	Off road vehicle noise
May 2023	Off road vehicle nuisance
June 2023	Off road vehicle noise
Sept 2023	Vehicle Noise

Please see our website for further information;
<https://www.wigan.gov.uk/Resident/Environmental-Problems/Noise/index.aspx>

- 3) Please can you provide the top 10 streets/roads for the greatest number of road noise complaints relating to Q2, with the number of complaints for each street/road in the top 10? *Please can we also have these figures per year as outlined in Q1.*

As stated, Wigan Council do not investigate this type of complaint. However, the locations for the above reports are as follows;

Sycamore Avenue
Holborn Avenue
Barnsley Street
Princess Road

- 4) Please can you provide the top 10 streets/road for the greatest number of noise nuisance complaints overall, with the number of complaints for each street/road in the top 10? *Please can we also have these figures per year as outlined in Q1.*

2021 - Top Ten	
Scholes, Scholes	96
Atherton Road, Hindley	12
Library Street, Wigan	11
Belle Green Lane, Ince	9
Manchester Road, Astley	7
Chapel Street, Leigh	6
Linden Grove, Leigh	7
Liverpool Road, Hindley	7
Glebe Street, Leigh	6
Leopold Street, Pemberton	6
Maple Crescent, Leigh	6
Siddow Common, Leigh	6
Windsor Road, Golborne	6

2022 – Top Ten	
Scholes, Scholes	84
Wyre Avenue, Platt Bridge	10
Castle Street, Tyldesley	10
Greenhey, Orrell	10
Market Street, Hindley	9
Library Street, Wigan	9
Preston Road, Standish	9
Atherton Road , Hindley	8
Crompton Street, Wigan	7
Devonshire Road, Golborne	7
School Lane, Standish	7

2023 - Top Ten	
Scholes, Wigan	47
East Lancashire Road, Leigh	18
Kiribati Way, Leigh	9
Withington Lane, Aspull	9
Library Street, Swinley	8
Saddleback Road, Wigan	8
Coniston Park Drive, Standish	7
Linney Square, Wigan	7
Oxford Road, Atherton	7
Bolton Road, Ashton-In-Makerfield	6
Castle Street, Tyldesley	6
Hope Street, Leigh	6
Prestt Grove, Wigan	6
St Marys Road, Aspull	6

- 5) Please can you provide the figures for the number all noise nuisance complaints, broken down by type of complaint (in the way it's recorded), e.g. noisy pubs, building work, dogs, parties, etc), *also for each year as outlined in Q1.*

Please see attached spreadsheet