



I would like to request the following information as a freedom of information request.

By public litter bin I mean a bin provided by the council for the public to put their rubbish in, on the street/park etc.

1. How many public litter bins has your council provided for each of the years 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024?

We are unable to provide the total for each year, as the data held is live. We currently have 2,458 bins recorded.

2. How often have each of your public bins been emptied for each of the years, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024?

This data is not held

3. How many complaints have you received related to public litter bins for each of the years 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024? And if possible, broken down by topic of complaint e.g. not enough bins, overflowing bins.

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Year	Damaged bin	Overflowing bin
2020	No data due to system change	
2021	No data due to system change	
2022	5	69
2023	56	477
2024	55	443

4. What was the cost to your council to provide, maintain, and empty public bins for each of the years 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024?

An accurate figure for the cost to provide, maintain and empty litter bins is not available as the staff involved carry out other duties as part of their roles and responsibilities.