

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - Stray Dog

Your request for information has now been considered and the Council's response to your questions is shown below.

You asked: I would be grateful if you could advise me what the TOTAL annual expenditure is for your Stray Dog Control.

Please provide a breakdown of all related costs within this to include –

Staffing, Office Space, Telephone Costs, Administration Costs, Kennelling, Food, Medication, Provision for Micro-Chipping, Vehicles, Education and any other related costs that have not been listed here.

We are unable to provide a breakdown exactly as you have requested. However, we have matched headings as closely as we can.

Please see total and breakdown below for the Dog Wardens 2010/11.

The total annual expenditure is £116,934.67

Staffing	£58,159.29
Premises Costs	£3,748.79
Transport Costs	£8,351.58
Parking	£1,242.00
Kennelling & Out Of Hours (incl Vets Bills)	£32,246.88
Printing, Stationery etc.	£1,496.13
Overheads (HR, Finance, Management etc.)	£11,690.00
Total	£116,934.67

Medication costs are included in kenneling & out of hours cost. We don't purchase food as we don't have our own kennels.

There is no cost for microchips as we have a stock purchased the previous year.

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If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request please write to:

Head of Information Governance
Information and Support
Leicester City Council
FREEPOST (LE985/33)
New Walk Centre
LEICESTER LE1 6ZG
e-mail: FOIA@leicester.gov.uk

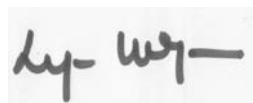
Your request for internal review should be submitted to the above address within 40 (forty) working days of receipt by you of this response. Any such request received after this time will only be considered at the Council's absolute discretion.

You can also complain to the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow SK9 5AF
Telephone: 01625 545 700
www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk

Please be aware that the Information Commissioner does not normally consider appeals or complaints until the internal appeals and complaints processes of the public authority which is answering the request have been exhausted. You are therefore advised to complain or appeal to Head of Information Governance before contacting the Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lynn Wyeth', is shown on a light-colored rectangular background.

Lynn Wyeth
Head of Information Governance