



I would like to request the following information from the council:

The amount being spent on dog wardens to catch stray dogs.

1. The amount being spent to house stray dogs

We don't have a dog warden solely assigned to dog related duties. Our stray dogs are handled as part of the duties of a team of Pest & Dog Control Officers. As their duties are combined, I can advise that approximately 1 full time equivalent officer is required. This role has an annual salary of £28,624.00.

2. The amount of income the council has received from fees from people collecting stray dogs.

This amount includes vet fees, out of hours collections, and some other additional costs involved. We would have to download 60 invoices, and extract just kennel fees from each one to give an exact answer. This would take a considerable amount of time.

Financial Year	Paid to kennels
2020/21	£50994.29
2021/22	£43886.02
2022/23	£57111.55
2023/24	£63690.43
2024/25	£61958.15

3. I would like this information for the last five financial years, broken down by year.

Financial Year	Fees Received
2020/21	£3625.41
2021/22	£2931.52
2022/23	£2353.65
2023/24	£1549.79
2024/25	£2441.79