



**Derry City & Strabane**  
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Ref: EIR / 2109

05 November 2018

Mr  
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Email: @teneoconsult.com

Dear Mr

**Environmental Information Regulations 2004 Request Waste and recycling collections**

I refer to your EIR request and apologise for our short delay. We respond as follows:

**General:**

1. What frequency are residual waste and recycling collections made in your Authority?

**Alternate fortnightly collections**

- i. Are collections for residual waste and recycling made separately or together? (Please advise if separate collections are made for dry and organic recycling)

**Residual and recycling collections are made separately. Dry recycling and organic recycling are also kept separate.**

2. Is residual waste collection for your authority carried out by in house resources or is it outsourced to a third party?

**In house resources**

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Derry  
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3. Is recycling collection carried out by in house resources or is it outsourced to a third party? (Please advise if there are separate contracts for dry recycling and organic recycling)

**Both dry recycling and organic recycling collections are carried out by in house resources.**

**If waste collection is managed in house:**

4. What is the approximate expenditure, per annum for:

- i. Residual waste - **£1,143,368**
- ii. Dry recycling - **£1,143,638**
- iii. Organic recycling - **£545,801**

*Please provide gross expenditure (before any income). Please include expenditure on collection only (i.e. no disposal costs)*

**If waste collection is outsourced:**

**Not applicable**

**Other:**

15. Over the latest available period, what proportion of total collections were 'missed'? (please state the period provided) –

**Council does not hold this information**

16. If garden waste is collected in your authority, which of the following options apply:

- i. Garden waste collections are free of charge to residents (i.e. the authority cover the full cost of this service) – **This option applies.**

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@derrystرابane.com](mailto:john.kelpie@derrystرابane.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](mailto:casework@ico.org.uk)

I would advise however, 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

**Waste Services Manager**



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