

## **Response to Request for Information**

**Reference** FOI 000981 **Date** 20 March 2017

## Car Parking Meters

## Request:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, please could you provide me with information about the amount of money the council has collected in unreturned change or money recorded as over-vend from car parking meters/machines in 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14, 2014/15 and 2015/16.

In respect of your above question, it has been established after careful consideration that the Council does not hold all of the above information. Consequently, we are unable to provide information relating to the year 2010/2011, and are informing you as required by Section 1(1) (a) of the Act, that states:

"Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request".

Please see below the information provided for the remaining years:

2011/2012 - £6,102.33 2012/2013 - £8,140.25 2013/2014 - £5,722.14 2014/2015 - £7,122.78 2015/2016 - £8,920.10

Could you also provide me with the total number of car parking meters/machines the council was responsible and the number equipped to take non-cash forms of payment (e.g. card or mobile app) in each of those years (2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14, 2014/15 and 2015/16). For example, with the second part if a council car park has three payment machines but drivers can pay through an app for the car park as a whole, that would be three payment machines with non-cash forms of payment.

Please see below information:

2010/2011 - 1 pay on exit station (card payments)
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2013/2014 - 28 Pay and Display machines with RingGo plus 1 pay on exit station (card payments)

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2014/2015 - 29 Pay and Display machines with RingGo plus 1 pay on exit station

(card payments)
2015/2016 - 32 Pay and Display machines with RingGo plus 1 pay on exit station (card payments)