CITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON COUNCIL

Response to Request for Information

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Car Parking and Penalty Charge Notices

Request:

I'd like to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act. Note, all my queries relate to your council-operated or council-run car parking spaces and not commercial/private parking in the city:

1. How many paid car parking spaces does the Council operate in the city? Total numbers of chargeable On-street and Off-street pay and display bays/spaces is 2431

Applicable streets and car parks are listed below: **BELL STREET BERRY STREET BIRCH STREET BOND STREET CASTLE STREET** CHURCH STREET **CLARENCE ROAD CLARENCE STREET CLEVELAND STREET** GEORGE STREET NORTH STREET PATERNOSTER ROW PEEL STREET QUEEN STREET **RAILWAY STREET RED LION STREET** SALOP STREET SCHOOL STREET **ST. GEORGES PARADE ST. JOHNS SQUARE ST. PETERS SQUARE** STAFFORD STREET SUMMER ROW **TEMPEST STREET** TEMPLE STREET THORNLEY STREET **TOWER STREET** WATERLOO ROAD

WORCESTER STREET WULFRUNA STREET

BROAD STREET CAR PARK CHURCH LANE CAR PARK CIVIC CENTRE CAR PARK FAULKLAND STREET CAR PARK FOLD STREET CAR PARK MARKET CAR PARK OXFORD STREET CAR PARK PEEL STREET CAR PARK SCHOOL STREET CAR PARK SNOW HILL CAR PARK ST. PETERS CAR PARK TEMPLE STREET CAR PARK WHITMORE STREET CAR PARK

How many free car parking places does the Council operate in your city?
41 Council operated car parks
13 car parks have charges applicable (1976 spaces)
28 car park are free of charge (2046 spaces)

The Council also provide 97 city centre on-street disabled parking bays and many on-street limited waiting bays throughout the city all of which are free of charge'.

- 3. How many free car parking spaces do you offer for low emission vehicles in your city? None
- What is the lowest and highest cost for a 20-minute parking meter rate in your city? Can you share a list of streets this applies to? The lowest 20-minute parking charge is for on-street parking, costing £0.60p for 20 minutes.

This is our lowest and highest cost as no other on-street or off-street parking charge is applicable for a 20-minute payment period.

 What is the lowest and highest cost for a 1 hour parking meter rate in your city? Can you share a list of streets this applies to? The lowest 1 hour parking charge is on the council's short stay car parks which costs £0.70p.

FOLD STREET CAR PARK MARKET CAR PARK SCHOOL STREET CAR PARK SNOW HILL CAR PARK TEMPLE STREET CAR PARK WHITMORE STREET CAR PARK Our highest is on-street as parking time can be purchased in increments of 20 minutes therefore 1 hour on-street parking will cost £1.80.

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 For the last two years of your records, what was your annual income from car parking meters in the city? Annual income for off-street in 2015/16 = £1,831,534 Annual income for on-street in 2015/16 = £596,947

Annual income for off-street in 2016/17 £1,796,551 Annual income for on-street in 2016/17 £614,868

 For the last two year of your records, what was your annual income from car parking penalty charge notices? Annual income from Penalty Charge Notices (PCN) issued in relation to Onstreet and Off-street pay and display parking are:

PCN income for 2015/16 = £225,188

PCN income for 2016/17 = £251,434

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