

CITY OF  
WOLVERHAMPTON  
COUNCIL

## Response to Request for Information

Reference      FOI002918  
Date            29 October 2018

### ***Business Rates***

All information requested relates to Business Rates.

Required Information;- A list of all live business rates accounts with a 2017 list Rateable Value greater than or equal to £5,000.

- Property Reference Number (also known as Billing Authority Reference Number) of the property on which the charge is made. Please note that this is not the Rate Demand or Rate Account Number.
- Current rateable value
- Account holder name
- Property address
- The billing address (where different to the property address), the contact telephone number and email address
- The date the current ratepayer became liable for the business rates – we do not require any historical account liability dates only the current ratepayers liability start date
- whether a property is empty or occupied
- Where a property is currently empty please provide the date the ratepayer became liable for empty rates
- Where there is an exemption on the account please provide the start and end date and type of exemption applied (e.g. listed building)
- Where there is a relief on the account please provide the date it was applied and the type of relief (e.g. charity)
- We do not require any personal information or sole traders.

### **Response:**

[your request is exempt under section 21 of the FOI Act 2000, "Information accessible by other means."](#)

I am pleased to provide you with the link accordingly,

<http://data.wolverhampton.gov.uk/View/business/all-business-rates-accounts>

More information on Section 21 of the Act can be located at <http://ico.org.uk>