



## Information Governance Team

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Dear Sir/Madam

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)**  
**Request ID: FOI357165404**

Thank you for your request for information relating to allotments and bonfires.

You have requested the following information:

### **1. Does your authority provide allotments?**

Coventry City Council does not manage the allotments in the Coventry area. Further information regarding allotments can be found on the Council's website using the following link:

[https://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/44/community\\_facilities/505/allotments](https://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/44/community_facilities/505/allotments)

### **2. If you do provide allotments:**

#### **a. Do you currently allow tenants to have bonfires on their plots?**

**b. If you don't allow bonfires on plots, is that a recent decision (since January 2020) and was climate change a stated factor in the decision being made?**

**c. If you do allow bonfires on plots, are you considering a change of policy within the next 18 months based on the damage to the environment that they cause?**

Please refer to the answer provided to Question 2 above.

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Yours faithfully

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