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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI746886673

Thank you for your request for information relating to Cigarette and vaping product litter.

You have requested the following information:

Cigarette butt collections

1. The total number (and weight/volume, if recorded) of cigarette butts collected from any beaches, parks, and the local high street in your council area during the following periods:

- 1 September 2022 - 31 August 2023
- 1 September 2023 - 31 August 2024
- 1 September 2024 - 31 August 2025
- Please provide a breakdown by location type.

Vaping product collections

2. The total number (and weight/volume, if recorded) of disposable vapes or other vaping products collected from public spaces during the same periods:

- 1 September 2022 - 31 August 2023
- 1 September 2023 - 31 August 2024
- 1 September 2024 - 31 August 2025

- Please provide a breakdown by type of vaping product (e.g. disposable vapes, refillable devices/cartridges) and by location type (e.g. parks, beaches, high streets), with the data in a CSV file.

If the above data is not available separately, please provide any available data on cigarette butts and/or vaping products that your council holds, including where these items are

recorded within broader litter categories for the same date ranges listed above.

Please note: if you are unable to retrieve 3 years of data for the above-requested information within the available FOI cost limit, please reduce the number of years to the last 2 years, or as far back as possible, to the latest available date.

We do not hold this information and advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. The general litter we collect is not separated (it's collected as mixed).

For information, we publish a variety of information such as: [FOI/EIR Disclosure Log](#), [Publication Scheme](#), [Facts about Coventry](#) and [Open Data](#) that you may find of useful if you are looking for information in the future.

If you are unhappy with the handling of your request, you can ask us to review our response. Requests for reviews should be submitted within 40 days of the date of receipt of our response to your original request – email: infogov@coventry.gov.uk

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our review, you can write to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF or email icocasework@ico.org.uk.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in your response.

Yours faithfully

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