

63278 Fly-Tipping 2016 – 2026

Please could you provide the following information relating to fly-tipping within areas that fall under City of Edinburgh Council's authority for the period 1 June 2016 to 30 June 2026:

The total number of fly-tipping reports received.

Please refer to the tables below which provide the recorded 'Dumping' and Fly-Tipping' Service Requests held by our Street Cleansing and our Street Enforcement services.

Street Cleansing Dumping Service Requests – June 2016 to June 2026:

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2016	-	-	-	-	-	624	716	809	699	507	458	417
2017	478	406	474	474	592	298	356	446	522	675	531	449
2018	509	489	597	642	735	734	704	778	667	861	778	651
2019	906	673	728	641	675	683	952	879	830	793	798	764
2020	906	779	597	518	590	906	928	1,019	1,166	1,012	1,000	940
2021	956	1,028	1,268	1,045	992	1,156	1,154	1,227	1,223	997	1,000	935
2022	1,039	1,052	1,080	997	989	1,076	1,151	680	724	860	813	679
2023	926	722	835	827	943	937	1,007	1,024	932	930	965	849
2024	1,008	1,026	1,027	1,024	1,090	1,035	1,196	1,174	1,008	881	819	777
2025	871	890	1,061	1,034	1,029	1,100	1,184	1,334	1,340	1,280	1,082	1,178
2026	1,252	1,141	1,527	1,388	1,350	1,489	-	-	-	-	-	-

Street Enforcement Fly-Tipping Service Requests – June 2016 to June 2026:

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2016	-	-	-	-	-	107	87	136	135	128	158	147
2017	130	108	151	100	110	60	64	90	79	69	70	47
2018	76	60	70	64	102	78	56	82	66	67	69	38
2019	63	61	57	31	37	24	32	43	47	29	29	46
2020	36	28	32	9	31	52	47	45	50	45	45	25
2021	31	47	59	47	37	77	50	61	58	61	50	45
2022	50	48	67	47	37	92	44	53	49	52	51	40
2023	72	52	67	60	68	67	42	19	22	15	21	13
2024	18	22	26	19	31	28	29	26	40	31	15	34
2025	41	67	71	63	69	74	83	68	77	85	54	44
2026	46	53	63	72	69	49	-	-	-	-	-	-

The total number of Fixed Penalty Notices (FPNs) issued.

The City of Edinburgh Council does not issue FPNs specifically for fly-tipping. They are recorded and issued as Domestic or Trade Waste offences.

The total number of prosecutions commenced.

As above, we do not issue FPNs specifically for fly-tipping.

The total number of fines imposed by the courts following prosecution, where this information is held.

Please provide this information broken down by:

- Year; and
- Month, if this is readily available.

If held, please also provide a breakdown of the location type where the reported fly-tipping incidents occurred (for example: parks, highways, commercial land, private residential property, public open spaces, or any other categories you use).

[Not applicable.](#)