

64336 Removing Unauthorised Flags

How much has your local authority spent removing unauthorised flags that have been erected on lamp posts and other street furniture in the year August 1st, 2025-August 1st, 2026 and if known, how many flags were removed.

If data is not available for this date range, can you give data for the last twelve months held and specify the date range.

The Council does not record the costs associated with the removal of unauthorised flags (that have been attached to street lighting columns) from its other routine activities.

In the requested timeframe, 183 flags were removed from street lighting columns.

How much has your local authority spent on erecting Union Jack or St Georges flags from August 1st, 2025- August 1st, 2026 and if known, how many.

If data is not available for this date range, can you give data for the last twelve months and specify the date range.

No cost, the Council has not attached Union Jack or St George's flags to any street lighting columns.

How many complaints has your local authority received about unauthorised flags being erected on lamp posts and other street furniture in the year August 1st, 2025-August 1st, 2026 and since August 1st, 2026.

If data is not available for this date range, can you give data for the last twelve months and specify the date range.

Between 01/08/25-01/08/26, the Council received 137 complaints and requests for the removal of unauthorised flags from street lighting columns. No complaints or requests have been received since 01/08/26.

If accessible within the cost limit, please also provide the same data for questions 1, 2 and 3 for the prior year in the same format.

(For instance, if providing data in the format August 1st 2025 - August 1st 2026, please also include August 1st 2024 - August 1st 2025.)

Between 01/08/24-01/08/25, the Council did not remove any unauthorised flags from street lighting columns and did not receive any complaints or requests for the removal of unauthorised flags from street lighting columns.

If there is another local authority that might also hold the same data (for instance, a higher or lower tier local authority - a county council or a district council), please name it.

Not applicable.