

Date received:	8 th December, 2023
Date responded:	8 th January, 2024
Subject:	Revenue from parking tickets in Council owned car parks

Question:

I would like to know how much money was made from parking tickets over last 3 years broken down by months and the reason. And where this money was spent.

Response:

I can confirm that the Council has received a total of £8,312.19 in income from car parking fines for the previous three years.

Below is a table providing a breakdown of the income, month by month for the period from 1st December, 2020 to 1st November, 2023.

Month	2020	2021	2022	2023
January	N/A	£225	£60	£220
February	N/A	£400	£250	£20
March	N/A	£250	£40	£20
April	N/A	£125	£835	£120
May	N/A	£405	£50	£0
June	N/A	£245	£214.40	£0
July	N/A	£155	£1,037.20	£75
August	N/A	£55	£20	£438.93
September	N/A	£100	£186.66	£0
October	N/A	£130	£420	£375
November	N/A	£60	£320	£225
December	£455	£680	£100	

*please note that these figures relate to car parking fines for Shaw's Brow and Bottleneck car parks only. The Council is not responsible for on-street parking.

During the period from 1st December 2020 to 1st November 2023 there was a total of forty-seven parking tickets issued. The below table provides a breakdown of the reasons.

Description	Number of tickets issued
Parking on a reserved space with no valid permit	36
Parking other than wholly within a parking bay	1
Parking other than in a permitted bay	1
Parking in a disabled bay without a valid permit	9

The revenue contributes to the overall budget of the car park, which in turn supports the Borough Rate. Any fine related income is incidental to the budget and there is no specific use apart from supporting the delivery of this service.