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I write further to your email dated 23 June 2020.

Your request has been dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), explained on our [freedom of information](#) page.

Your request:

Please can I ask:

- how many tonnes of kerbside recycling you collected in each of the past three years broken down by (a) plastics (b) glass, (c) paper (d) card.

Please can I ask if since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic any of these groups (a), (b), (c) or (d) are still being sent for recycling or are now being sent to landfill or an incinerator.

If any of these groups (a), (b), (c) or (d) are now being sent to landfill or an incinerator, when and why was this decision taken?

Our response:

Tonnes of kerbside recycling

	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Plastics	984.63	986.5	990.32
Glass	2,359.53	2,451.79	2,441.92
Paper	1,634.14	1,451.32	1,420.06
Card	1,549.83	1,672.31	1,800.39

Since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic, all materials listed above and other recyclable materials (aluminium, steel, garden waste, textiles, batteries and mobile phones) are still being sent for recycling.

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If you remain dissatisfied following the conclusion of the above informal review, you have the right to ask for an internal review. A request for a review whether formal or informal should be submitted within two calendar months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be sent to DPO@NWLeicestershire.gov.uk or the address above.

Further details on our appeals and complaints procedure can be found on our website [here](#).

If you remain dissatisfied following the conclusion of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at accessicoinformation@ico.org.uk.

Yours sincerely

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