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Official Information Request No. 8140007581
 (Please quote this in any correspondence)

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Dear Thomas

Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987

Re: public use dustbins

I refer to your email, which we received on 05 October 2020, requesting information about public use dustbins.

- **How many public use dustbins have been installed over the last 3 years in the Auckland region.**
- **How many public use dustbins have been replaced over the last 3 years in the Auckland region.**

Waste Solutions

Our Waste Solutions department have advised that there have been 131 new litter bins installed. Out of those 131 bins, 69 were replaced in the past 3 years.

Decisions pertaining to the release of this information have been made by **Parul Sood, General Manager Waste Solutions.**

The Waste Solutions departments figures are separate from our Community Facilities bin numbers (from when they took over streetscapes work in 2019 and their own Parks bins) and Auckland Transport bin numbers (for their Park and Ride and transport hubs-Britomart etc).

Community Facilities

The table below details the approximate number of bins we have installed and replaced broken down by bin type. Street bin numbers are only available from July 2019, as these assets were handed over from Auckland Transport to Auckland Council at this time.

Rubbish Bin Types	New 2018-2020	Replacement 2018-2020	New street bins since July 2019	Grand Total
Dog Bag Dispenser	6			6
Doggy Doo Bin	2			2
Litter Bin	484	55	4548	5087
Littler Bin	39	2	17	58
Recycling Bin	11		151	162
Grand Total	542	57	4716	5315

Decisions pertaining to the release of this information have been made by **Jennifer Rose, Head of Business Performance Community Facilities.**

We have also transferred your request to Auckland Transport who will respond to their element of your query directly.

Should you believe Auckland Council has not responded appropriately to your request, you have the right by way of complaint, under section 27(3) of the LGOIMA, to apply to the Ombudsman to seek an investigation and review of the decision.

If you have any further queries please contact me on 09 301 0101 quoting Official Information Request No. 8140007581.

Yours sincerely



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