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Freedom of Information Request, Oxford City Council – Reference: **FOI2026/00262**

Further to our acknowledgement, we can confirm that Oxford City Council can advise as follows in response to your Freedom of Information Request received on 11 March:

Request

I am requesting the following information for each of the financial years 2019/20 through to 2024/25, or as many of those years as your authority holds data for:

- * The total number of businesses or properties liable for business rates within your local authority area; and
 - * The total income received by the council from business rates (if not already published).
- If any information is unavailable, please provide as much as is available. I am happy to receive this information in any format that is convenient for your team.

If you need any clarification about this request, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to your response.

Response

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25
The total number of businesses or properties liable for business rates within your local authority area	4611	4610	4609	4639	4575	4543
The total income received by the council from business rates (£'000)	10,974	9,096	10,754	11,906	8,842	11,394

If you disagree with any part of the response to your request, you are entitled to ask the Council for an internal review of the decision(s) made. You may do this by writing to the Monitoring Officer, by either email monitoringofficer@oxford.gov.uk – or by post to Monitoring Officer, Oxford City Council, Town Hall, St Aldate's, Oxford, OX1 1BX. After the result of the internal review, if you remain dissatisfied, you may ask the Information Commissioner to intervene on your behalf. You may do this by writing to the Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Officer

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