



Reference: FOI1528

Request:

Please disclose how many incidents have been reported to your council regarding either 'gulls', 'seagulls' or 'herring girls' since January 1 2016.

Please redact any information which would otherwise prohibit disclosure.

For each incident, please disclose:

The location (i.e. street name if known, if not a more general location such as Tynemouth will suffice)

1. Bedford Street North Shields
2. Henley Road Tynemouth
3. Military Road North Shields
4. Siloth Place Cullercoats
5. No address given
6. Haswell Gardens North Shields
7. Charles Avenue Whitley Bay
8. Brook Farm Court North Shields
9. No address given
10. Birkdale Whitley Bay
11. No address given
12. Marden Road Cullercoats.

The exact nature of the incident, as reported to the council. For example (A 30-year-old woman has complained that a seagull has attacked her child on the pier in North Shields. The child suffered a bruised arm)

1. Request for no feeding signage to be put up.
2. Can something be done about the number of seagulls in our area.
3. Can something be done about the number of seagulls in the borough
4. Complaint about number of seagulls in the area due to residents feeding them, wanted the council to stop these residents from feeding them.
5. Complaint about the neighbours feeding the seagulls and wanted to know if there were any laws or legislation to stop them.
6. Complaint about the neighbours feeding the seagulls and wanted the council to stop them.
7. Complaint about the neighbours feeding the seagulls and wanted to know if it was illegal.
8. Complaint about the neighbours feeding the seagulls and wanted the council to send a letter to tell them to stop.



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9. Wanted to know who was responsible for issuing PSPO's regarding feeding seagulls in public areas and outside of bedroom windows.
10. Complaint about seagulls nesting on their roof despite them having measures put in place to stop this and wanted council to deal with the issue.
11. Wanted to know what the council were going to or can do about the number of seagulls flying around.
12. Resident contacted council to report aggressive seagulls who had hit them on the head twice that week when they were out running.

Environmental Health have received one request for a leaflet drop following an issue to provide information on the proofing of properties

This incident occurred as follows:

Woodburn Square, Whitley Bay
Seagull swooping on dog in garden.

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