

Freedom of information request NCC-029603-17

Thank you for your recent Freedom of information request for the following information:

Please would you supply the answers to the following three questions relating to pothole claims:

1. How much money overall has been paid out by Nottinghamshire County Council in connection with compensation claims (whether or not liability was accepted) relating to potholes involving a/ cyclists and b/ motorists in each of the last five years?
2. How many individual a/cyclists and b/motorists have received compensation as a result of claims relating to potholes in each of the last five years?
3. What is Nottinghamshire County Council's total expenditure on legal costs defending and settling claims, including both their own and the Claimants' legal costs, for pothole related claims in each of the last five years?

Our response to questions 1 & 2:

Nottinghamshire County Council "NCC" do not record the type of road user or vehicle on our systems and therefore I am unable to provide the information in the exact format that has been requested.

It may be of assistance to you that NCC have received a number of similar Freedom of information requests for information on pot holes. I have provided you the following links to the disclosure log as follows:

<http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/ncc-029446-17-pot-hole-costs-2016-2017>

<http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/pot-hole-compensation-ncc-028349-17>

<http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/pot-holes>

<http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/pot-hole>

Our response to question 3:

Please can you clarify are you requesting the previous 5 years expenditure from the current date, the previous 5 complete financial years (2012/13 to 2016/17) or the previous 5 complete calendar years (2012-2017)?

I will await your early response in relation to question 3.

With kind regards

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