

NCC-037837-19 legal spending – external 2017-18 18/19

Dear Requester,

Further to your request for information under the freedom of information Act. The below information is a very frequent one responded to, which covers the information you also require.

Our response to the questions are:

1. The following figures represent our inhouse staffing costs for the permanent staffing establishment.

Financial Year	Inhouse staffing costs
2018-19	£1,927,771.81
2017-18	£1,842,902.72
2016-17	£1,786,393.97
2015-16	£1,580,914.98
2014-15	£1,556,361.76

2. The following shows our expenditure on disbursements which includes court fees, land registry costs, expert fees (such as medical reports etc) and external advisors.

Financial Year	Expenditure
2018-19	£1,225,318.52
2017-18	£1,154,363.21
2016-17	£1,303,458.50
2015-16	£1,728,401.91
2014-15	£1,329,721.33

3. We do not maintain records to determine the costs spent per council business.

We trust this now resolves your enquiry, however should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me directly on the details below.

Nottinghamshire County Council regularly publishes previous FOIR,s and answers on its website, under Disclosure logs. (see link)

<http://site.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/>

You can use the search facility using keywords.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to the Team Manager, Complaints and Information Team, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP or email complaints@nottscc.gov.uk .

Kind Regards

Nottinghamshire County Council
Complaints and Information Team
County Hall

Dear Sir/Madam,

I would like to know the amount of money the council spent on the services of external law firms and barristers for the tax years 2017/18 and 2018/19 (year ending March 31 2019). If this is not possible within the restrictions of the Freedom of Information Act, one year of data will suffice.

Please respond to this request via email.

Do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions about this request.