## NCC-046546-20 Road Gritting

Dear Requester,

Further to your request for information under the Freedom Of Information Act. Our apologies that this is a day overdue.

Information as follows:

- 1. Routes are split into Priority 1 (Main) routes and Priority 2 (Secondary) routes
- 2. Length of routes Priority 1 35.25% Priority 2 11.23%
- 3. Call outs are obviously weather dependant. Routine pre-salting occurs when ice is expected to form on carriageways, treatment is confined to priority 1 routes unless severe weather is forecast. In the event of severe weather, treatment is extended to priority 2 route as resources allow once priority 1 routes are in a satisfactory and passable condition. Weather is monitored from 1<sup>st</sup> October through to the end of April, treatment may occur anytime within the 24 hour period depending on conditions and forecasted weather.
- 4. There are no defined snow or ploughing routes at present.
- 5. Jan 1<sup>st</sup> to Dec 31 2017 = Main routes 78, secondary routes 17 Jan 1<sup>st</sup> to Dec 31 2018 = Main routes 100, secondary routes 14 Jan 1<sup>st</sup> to Dec 31 2019 = Main routes 80, secondary routes 10 Jan 1<sup>st</sup> to Apr 30 2020 = Main routes 38, secondary routes 3

We trust this now resolves your enquiry and where we have not been able to provide details we expect that this information is not held by Nottinghamshire county Council at this time.

We suggest all requesters search under our publication scheme in advance of requesting information under the freedom of information act.

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. i.e. un regulated / care / home etc.

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

Complaints and Information Team

Nottinghamshire County Council

County Hall

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request information regarding gritting roads.

Specifically, please provide answers to the following:

- 1) With regards to Winter Gritting, could you confirm if your Road Network is split into Priority Routes (i.e. Priority 1 and Priority 2) routes for roads ignoring footpaths and other pedestrian paths.
- 2) If your Road Network is split into Priority Routes, could you please provide the extent of Road Network coverage each Priority Route comprises of (i.e. Priority 1 Routes account for 59% of the Network coverage)
- 3) If your Road Network is split into Priority Routes, how often are each Priority Routes gritted during the winter months? (i.e. are Priority 1 routes maintained 24/7)
- 4) Does your council have specific Snow Routes or equivalent Gritting and Snow Ploughing routes in place in the event of extreme weather emergencies?
- 5) If your council has specific Snow Routes or equivalent Gritting and Snow Ploughing routes in place in the event of extreme weather emergencies, could you provide their extent of the Road Network coverage? (e.g. Snow Routes account for 37% of the Network Coverage)
- 6) How many days of the year did your council grit the roads within your Road Network. Please provide figures for the years 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 (up to the latest month)