## **Dear Requester**

I refer to your recent Freedom of Information request:

I would like as much data as you can provide on the attendance record of councillors at council meetings.

By council meetings, I mean all the full meetings, committees, scrutiny panels.

Please can you provide attendance information for all council meetings attended per named councillors for the period April 2011 until present.

Please include the numbers of meetings attended, number expected to attend and number of apologies received per named councillor.

Please provide this data in an Excel or ODT format.

While some of this data is already in the public domain, there is no simple way to view this on your website, and this is vital information in terms of holding councillors to account for the work and duties they carry out, including attending meetings.

This data should be easily accessible as it is already searchable on your website so please could I have the data that sits behind public portal as well as any other attendance data you hold.

The response is that the Authority does not collate data in any other way that what is entered on the website on a meeting-by-meeting basis:

Democratic Management System > Committees > Full Council (nottinghamshire.gov.uk)

I hope this assists. Should you have any further enquiries please do not hesitate to contact me directly on the details below.

Complaints, Information and Mediation Officer Nottinghamshire County Council

In addition to this and for future reference Nottingham County Council regularly publishes previous FOIR,s and answers on its website, under Disclosure logs. (see link) <a href="http://site.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/">http://site.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/</a>

You can use the search facility using keywords.

If you wish to raise any concerns about the way your request was dealt with, then please write to the Team Manager, Complaints and Information, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP or e-mail <u>foi@nottscc.gov.uk</u> quoting the reference number above.