

**NCC-038707-19 carbon neutral**

Dear Requester,

Further to your request for information please see below from the department/s;

Good afternoon

I am writing to request details of the date/year Nottinghamshire County Council has committed to becoming carbon neutral, in light of the climate emergency declared by the government in May.

The Council has not committed to any date at which it or the county of Nottinghamshire should become carbon neutral or net carbon zero. However, this was the subject of motion debated, amended and then approved by Full Council at its meeting last month, details of which can be found under item 13 of the minutes of the last meeting (item 1), [here](#)

I would also like to know:

- Whether you have declared a climate emergency

No formal declaration has been made - the response to the approved motion is work in progress, and yet to be reported back to Policy Committee, but this should happen early autumn 2019.

- Whether you have scheduled any future meetings to discuss or address climate change within your county (if this hasn't already been addressed)

N/K

- Details of any specific plans in place to help you achieve any goals you have

N/K

Kindest regards

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.

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

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Kind Regard

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