

Dear Requester,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information Request.

The response from the departments concerned is as follows:

- [The date of the first notifications of potholes on Victoria Road, Kirkby In Ashfield during 2019](#)

First Pothole repair: Job Entry Date: 27/03/2019 09:53:23 Completion:
27/03/2019 11:44:00 (Job Number 2708890)

The earliest Carriageway Pothole customer enquiry raised during 2019 was on 12/11/2019

There were no Footway Pothole customer enquiries raised during 2019

- [The number of potholes on said road that were filled in and had to be re filled in during 2019 and 2020.](#)

The number of repairs are detailed below. We do not identify whether a pothole is refilled/re-repaired. The material we use is very stable and long lasting. Tests have shown that where failure occurs, it is due to further deterioration of the surrounding surface material.

Victoria Road, Kirkby in Ashfield - Pothole repairs during the period 01/01/2019 to 22/04/2020			
Street Name	Repair pothole to CW in Viatec Viafix	Repair pothole to FW in Viatec Viafix	Grand Total
Victoria Road	22	4	
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The number of pothole claims in 2019 and 2020 thus far and the decisions on them in the first instance. How many appeals were made and how many went to court.

Calendar Year	Total Pothole Claims Received	Liability Accepted	Repudiated
2019	304	59	245
2020*	332	32	300

*up to and inc. 17 April 2020

There is no internal appeal process once the Council has made a decision on liability. The next course of action for claimants is to seek legal advice and take their claims through the litigation

process. Only two of the claims detailed in the table above were litigated, both in 2019. In both cases the court upheld the Council's decision to deny liability and repudiate the claims.

I hope this now satisfies your request, and should you have any further enquiries 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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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 foi@nottsccl.gov.uk quoting the reference number above.

Kind Regards

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