

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information:

1. The number of Covid secure marshals employed by the local authority (please use equivalent full time positions if possible, see this [page](#) on gov.uk for definition) Alternatively, if no marshals are currently employed at the time of the request but will be shortly, how many you plan to employ.
2. The amount spent on Covid secure marshals since March 2020
3. The amount spent on Covid secure marshals 22 September 2020 (this was date on which the government announced £30m funding to go to local authorities for enforcement, see [here](#). The government guidelines recommend that spending on Covid secure marshals “under this grant is recorded under ‘Other – lockdown compliance and reopening costs’ in MHCLG’s Local authority COVID-19 financial management information survey.” Please provide this information where your own accounts are not available.)
4. Whether any Covid secure marshals are designated as a relevant person for the purposes of the Coronavirus regulations (i.e. are able to issue fixed penalty notices; see the relevant part of the most recent regulations [here](#))

If it is not possible to answer all these points, please answer as many as possible.

If you have pooled resources or are coordinating the use of Covid secure marshals with other authorities, please forward on this request to the relevant authority or body, and please state which authorities you are cooperating with.

Dear Requester,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information Request.

The Councils Response is as follows:

NCC do not employ any Covid Marshals, this falls under the district and borough councils. We do have colleagues doing spot checks but that is more part of their recognised duties

You can contact the District and Borough Councils at the addresses below:

Ashfield District Council: foi@ashfield-dc.gov.uk

Bassetlaw District Council: FOIrequests@bassetlaw.gov.uk

Broxtowe Borough Council: foi@broxtowe.gov.uk

Gedling Borough Council: inforequest@gedling.gov.uk

Mansfield District Council: freedomofinformation@mansfield.gov.uk

Newark & Sherwood District: freedom@nsdc.info

Rushcliffe Borough Council: customerservices@rushcliffe.gov.uk

Nottingham City Council: information.governance@nottinghamcity.gov.uk

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.

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)

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

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 foi@nottscc.gov.uk quoting the reference number above.

Kind Regards

Complaints, Information & Mediation Officer.
Complaints and Information Team
Chief Executive's Dept
Nottinghamshire County Council
County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP