

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

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You asked:

As of January 2013, please could you tell me:

As of November 2012, (this is the most appropriate date as rent year ends the number plots let start to fluctuate wildly) the figures requested are as follows:

1) How many allotment sites are there in Leicester for which the Council has access to waiting list data?

Answer:

44 sites

2) What is the total number of plots on these sites?

3178 plots

3) What is the total number of people on waiting lists for these sites?

238 (this will include people on more than one waiting list)

4) Are any of these waiting lists closed to further applications?

None (but 1 may have closed list at 1 time during the year)

5) How many new allotment sites on council land were brought into use in 2011 and 2012? Please give:

a) number of new sites

None

b) names of new sites

None

c) total area of new land in hectares

0.42 hectares

d) total number of new plots

Increased plots 30 by expanding a current site – Whitehouse Allotment Society

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