

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000
ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION REGULATIONS 2004**

Your request for information has now been considered and the Council's response to your questions is shown below.

You asked:

if I could also have the minutes of any meetings relative to (38 Evington Lane) the property under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Please accept my apologies for the long delay. We had to assess which data we held related to yourself, ie personal data of the owner of 38 Evington Lane, and which could properly be released under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (or Environmental Information Regulations 2004).

Firstly, I can confirm that upon further investigation, the application was considered under 'delegated powers'. This means that officers made the decision, and not councillors. There are therefore no committee minutes relating to this decision. The Council therefore does not hold this information. This letter acts as a refusal notice under section 17.1 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 because, in accordance with section 1.1 of the Act, this information is not held by Leicester City Council.

I can confirm that Leicester City Council does hold some information relating to your request. It holds correspondence and information about you regarding meetings and complaints relating to 38 Evington Road.

Unfortunately this information cannot be released under the Freedom of Information Act. This is because if we release it to you, we have to release it to everyone, and it is published on the Council's website. You may not want your personal information published on the internet. This information is therefore exempt under section 40(2). You can however access this information through the Data Protection Act on the payment of a £10 fee. If you wish to do this, please send payment made payable to 'Leicester City Council'.

Other information relating to this property is the personal data of the owner of 38 Evington Rd and similarly cannot be released to you. Both the Freedom of Information Act (s40(2)) and Environmental Information Regulations (Reg 13) absolutely exempt other people's personal data from release.

I am sorry that this response will be disappointing. If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request please write to:

**Information Governance Manager
Information and Customer Access
Leicester City Council
FREEPOST (LE985/33)
New Walk Centre
LEICESTER LE1 6ZG**
e-mail: info.requests@leicester.gov.uk

Your request for internal review should be submitted to the above address within 40 (forty) working days of receipt by you of this response. Any such request received after this time will only be considered at the Council's absolute discretion.

You can also complain to the Information Commissioner at:

**Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow SK9 5AF
Telephone: 01625 545 700**
www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk

Please be aware that the Information Commissioner does not normally consider appeals or complaints until the internal appeals and complaints processes of the public authority which is answering the request have been exhausted. You are therefore advised to complain or appeal to the Information Governance Manager before contacting the Commissioner.