

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

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You asked:

I want to know the full costs of the failed City of Culture 2017 bid by Leicester City Council; including a full breakdown of where the monies came from, and minutes of all decision making papers

ANSWER

The full costs of the City of Culture 2017 bid by Leicester City Council were £125k. The monies came from Leicestershire County Council (£20k), De Montfort University (£30k), Leicester City Council (£60k) and University of Leicester (£15k).

Please see attached the minutes of all decision making papers – '4544 Attachment'.

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