

Freedom of Information Act 2000

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

You asked:

I'd like to report a pothole at the end of Middleton Street, Leicester, just before it joins Braunstone Lane. I'd also like info in to the city council under the freedom of information act about the roads inspection and maintainance routine.

ANSWER:

Leicester City Council as the highway authority operate a safety inspection regime of all public highways with the city. All carriageways and footways are inspected at least two times per year and any defects found during those inspections which exceed our safety inspection intervention levels are noted and repairs carried out. Middleton Street is inspected four times per year and the inspection is walked.

For your information a copy of the highway inspection register for Middleton Street is attached and it shows details of the routine safety inspections carried out over the past two years.

Copies of the repair orders for carriageway defects raised as a result of those inspections are attached, reference numbers 12131111, 12133205, 13141303 & 13147595. (Other works order numbers shown on the highway inspection register relate to footway works).

A copy of the safety inspection regime is also attached.

The legislation allows you to use the information supplied for your own personal use, or for journalistic purposes. If the information is a dataset (which does not relate to the environment), you may also use the information for commercial re-use under an [Open Government Licence](#).

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request please write to:

**Information Governance Manager
Information and Support
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 may also seek independent advice from 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 requests until the internal appeals process of the Council has been exhausted. You are therefore advised to appeal to the Information Governance Manager before contacting the Commissioner.