

## 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:

**Can you supply me with information relating to City Wardens and how many "enforcement days" took place between January 2013 and January 2014, and on what date/day they took place, in the area's "wards" listed below:**

### ANSWER:

The City Wardens potentially enforce every day and don't have enforcement days as such. We do however have what we call targeted enforcement projects. These projects are to tackle specific issues such as dog fouling or littering but in most cases don't last all day. For example we may spend 2 or 3 hours twice a week at a specific location in response to complaints about dog fouling at that location. In some cases we may do two or three visits in a single day if we are tackling an issue that happens at specific times such as work breaks in the case of staff littering during breaks. The amount of time spent on any project would vary depending on the issue. I have listed the number of patrols or visits related to targeted enforcement projects but these could reflect 2 or more visits to one area in any one day as stated above.

<b>Wigston</b>	- 0 (this is Oadby & Wigston District Council not Leicester City Council)
<b>Eyres Monsell</b>	- 20
<b>Aylestone</b>	- 62
<b>Saffron Lane</b>	- 32
<b>Knighton</b>	- 1

**Also, can you tell me, relating to the city wardens, how many days where "non uniform days" or "plain clothes" for the period between January 2013 and January 2014 in the same areas detailed above? Which day/date also?**

This was not recorded separately until Jan 2014 prior to that date it would have been included in the targeted enforcement project figures but only a percentage of these are likely to have been in plain clothes. City Wardens are not in uniform for a number of reasons such as training, enforcement and community clean-ups.

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](#).

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**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](mailto: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](http://www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk)

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