

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:

How many crematoria, if any, does Leicester Council expect to (i) own, and (ii) operate, as at 1 April 2012?

Leicester City Council has only owned one crematorium, they have held this since 1902 and have no plans at this time to build another in the year 2012.

How many crematoria, if any, did Leicester Council (i) own, and (ii) operate, as at 1 April 2010?

See above answer.

For all crematoria operated by Leicester Council, as at 3 January 2012, what will be (i) the nature of the cheapest standard cremation service listed on your standard price list, for an adult, and (ii) the cost of that service on your standard price list?

Cremation Fee 1st April 2011 to 1st April 2012 is £613 (Environment surcharge of £113 included) this includes Chapel use and Cremation.

For all crematoria operated by Leicester Council, as at 6 May 2010, what was then (i) the nature of the cheapest standard cremation service listed on your standard price list, for an adult, and (ii) the cost of that service on your standard price list?

Cremation Fee 1st April 2010 to 1st April 2011 was £460, this included Chapel use and Cremation.

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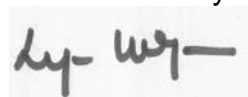
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Yours sincerely



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