

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 for a contingency plan in case of zombie outbreak.

Unfortunately the media coverage which resulted from the last request for information relating to a zombie attack was slightly misleading. The media reported that Leicester City Council did not have a plan for a zombie invasion. This is not necessarily true. Whilst the Council does not have a specific plan for solely combatting zombies, it does, along with the local resilience forum, have robust plans in place which would cover many different eventualities. The plans are designed to cope with any emergency irrespective of how, where or when it occurs. The plans can be found at <http://www.localresilienceforum.org.uk/library/> and are therefore accessible elsewhere under s21 of the Act.

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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: foia@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.

Yours sincerely

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