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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 1366

I write further to your email dated 06 October 2020.

Your request has been dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), explained on our [freedom of information](#) page.

Your request:

Can you please confirm whether the Council has applied for (or is planning to apply for) any of the below Government funds:

- Transforming Cities Fund
- Reopening High Streets Safely Fund
- Local Growth Fund
- Towns Fund
- Access Fund

If so, can you please confirm whether you have been successful in accessing funds and how much has been awarded?

Please confirm if the council has any plans in place on how to use this funding?

Please confirm the individual and department (name and job title) responsible and how we can potentially contact them to discuss further?

Our response:

The person responsible for the government funds cited is Barrie Walford, Business Focus Team Manager, BARRIE.WALFORD@NWLeicestershire.gov.uk.

I can confirm that North West Leicestershire District Council holds the remainder of the information you have requested. However, the information is intended for future publication and is, therefore, exempt from disclosure under section 22 of the FOIA.

When applying an exemption under section 22 of the FOIA, the Council must consider whether to do so is in the public interest. In this case, we consider that the public interest favours withholding the information at this time because it will be available at a future date.

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If you are dissatisfied with the information supplied please feel free to contact me on the number above for any queries in relation to this response. Please note that in responding to further enquiries I can only comment on the information contained within this correspondence and cannot provide any further information that may pertain to an additional FOIA request.

Please remember to quote the Authority's four digit reference number given at the top of this email in any future communications.

If you remain dissatisfied following the conclusion of the above informal review, you have the right to ask for an internal review. A request for a review whether formal or informal should be submitted within two calendar months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be sent to DPO@NWLeicestershire.gov.uk or the address above.

Further details on our appeals and complaints procedure can be found on our website [here](#).

If you remain dissatisfied following the conclusion of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at accessicoinformation@ico.org.uk.

Yours sincerely

Mackenzie Keatley
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