



**NOTTINGHAMSHIRE
POLICE & CRIME
COMMISSIONER**

COMMISSIONER CAROLINE HENRY

Name: [REDACTED]

Ref: FOI NO00309

Date: 10 April 2024

Dear [REDACTED]

Re: Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information, received by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Nottinghamshire (OPCC) on 14 March 2024.

INFORMATION REQUESTED

I would like to know why I have received a notification of the Police council tax for 2024-25 which states that your office costs £2.8m per annum to run, please provide breakdown details under the freedom of information.

RESPONSE

The Freedom of Information Act 2000 covers any recorded information that is held by a public authority; this includes printed documents, computer files, letters, emails, photographs, and sound or video recordings.

The Act does not require us to answer questions or provide access to opinions or comments unless they are held in a recorded form. There is no requirement to create new information to satisfy a request.

RESPONSE DETAILED BELOW

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The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner budget 2024/25

The PCC budget is split into two specific elements. The first relates to the Democratic Core which are the costs directly associated with the elected PCC. If there was a Deputy PCC, their costs would also be in this budget. There is currently no Deputy PCC in Nottinghamshire.

The second relates to the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC). The OPCC exists to enable the PCC to carry out their legal responsibilities* and support the delivery of the Police & Crime Plan.

The budget is reviewed in detail every year. The detailed budget for 2024/25 is shown in the table below.

2024/25 Budget	
	£000
PCC Democratic Core	
Remuneration, NI & pension	102
Travel, Subsistence & other expenses, incl. Assoc. of PCCs	62
Total PCC Democratic Core	164
Office of the PCC	
Staff Costs incl travel/expenses	1,650
Audit/Legal & Professional Fees	272
Training & Conferences	44
ICT/Office Costs	56
Volunteers expenses/Audit Committee allowances/ICSP allowances	21
Engagement/research/consultation/ media	95
Commissioning, Structure Review, provision for Deputy PCC	500
Total Office of the PCC	2,637
Total	2,801

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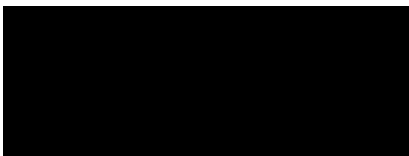
* The key PCC's responsibilities are:

- Holding the Chief Constable to account for the exercise of the Chief Constable's statutory functions, including ensuring an efficient and effective police force.
- Setting a Police and Crime Plan with the policing objectives for the area; the annual budget for policing in Nottinghamshire; and the PCC's annual report.
- Consulting, engaging and communicating with Nottinghamshire's communities.
- Convening community safety and criminal justice partners to ensure local priorities are joined up.
- Reviewing the Force's handling of complaints against the police.
- Appointing the Chief Constable.
- Commissioning services for victims, plus extended commissioning responsibilities including reducing reoffending, youth diversion and drug and alcohol services, and giving community grants.
- Bidding for and managing the use of specific grants. The office has received significant specific grant awards for 2024/25 of c£7m, (some £6m in 2023/24).

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to ask us to review our handling of your request. If this is the case, please contact us on telephone number 0115 8445998 or e-mail officepcc@notts.police.uk quoting the reference number.

If you remain dissatisfied after the outcome of the review, you have the right to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). We will provide further details of this right in a review outcome letter.

Yours sincerely



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