

## **Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service**

Please ask for: Service Information Team Leader

Tel: 01604 797000

Our ref:

Your ref: N/A

Date: 08 October 2019

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## Re: Request for information (our ref: NFRS2019-87-100)

I am writing in response to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, received 25 September 2019. Our response is provided below:

Q1 We are seeking to establish the ratio of applications to vacancies for Wholetime fire fighters. When was the last time your fire service recruited Wholetime (full time) firefighters?

Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service (NFRS) are currently running a Wholetime Duty System (WDS) recruitment campaign for full time firefighters.

Q2 How many vacancies were there and how many applications did you receive?

We are looking to recruit 32 WDS firefighters from this campaign. As the recruitment process is on-going we are unable to report on the number of applications received.

Q3 Did you fill all the Wholetime firefighter vacancies?

N/A, our recruitment campaign is on-going with an aim to fill the vacancies in early 2020.

If I can be of any further assistance please do not hesitate to contact me quoting reference NFRS2019-87-100.

Yours sincerely

Service Information Team Leader

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If you are unhappy with the response, you can ask the Service to review it. To do this, please email <a href="mailto:enquiries@northantsfire.gov.uk">enquiries@northantsfire.gov.uk</a> or alternatively write to the address below:

Service Information Manager Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service Moulton Logistics Centre Moulton Way Northampton NN3 6XJ

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Information Commissioner Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF