



Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service

Please ask for: Service Information Team Leader
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Our Ref:
Your Ref: N/A
Date: 13 August 2020

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Re: Request for information (our ref: NFRS2020-200-228)

I am writing in response to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, received 14 July 2020. Our response is provided below:

Q1 How many people are employed by your organisation, including full time and part time?

We are exempting this under Section 21 and 22 of the Act as this information is publicly available from the [published fire data tables \(workforce and workforce diversity\)](#), select table 'FIRE1101 – Staff in post employed by fire and rescue authorities by headcount and full time equivalent by role and fire and rescue authority'. Once opened, enable editing and then change the drop down option to 'Northamptonshire'. This provides data as of 31 March 2019 but data for 31 March 2020 will be published in the next few months.

Q2 What is your current intranet solution? (SharePoint, Wordpress, Invotra, etc)

Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service (NFRS) use SharePoint for our intranet.

Q3 How long have you been using this intranet solution?

NFRS has been using SharePoint since 2012?

Q4 When is your intranet contract up for renewal?

NFRS does not have a contract in place for our intranet.

Q5 What is your annual intranet budget?

NFRS does not have a separate intranet budget; any costs associated with our intranet are covered by the Information and Communication Technology (ICT) budget.

Q6 Do you share an intranet/IT services with other organisations, if so who?

For some internal requirements, we access a SharePoint provided by Local Government Shared Services (LGSS).

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Q7 *Which team and/or individual(s) are responsible for managing your intranet internally?*

Our Information Systems Group (ISG) are responsible for managing our intranet internally.

Q8 *Are you using the Office 365 suite? If so, which applications from the suite are in use?*

NFRS is not currently using Office 365.

Q9 *Which team and/or individual(s) are responsible for your intranet's procurement within the organisation?*

Our Information Systems Group (ISG) are responsible for procuring our intranet software.

Q10 *Is your Active Directory hosted on premise or in the cloud?*

NFRS' active directory is hosted on premise.

Q11 *Could you provide us with a link to your Digital Workplace Strategy?*

NFRS does not have a Digital Workplace strategy but our [Asset strategy](#) includes ICT strategic objectives.

If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me quoting reference NFRS2020-200-228.

Yours sincerely

Service Information Team Leader

If you are unhappy with the response, you can ask the Service to review it. To do this, please email enquiries@northantsfire.gov.uk or alternatively write to the address below:

Service Information Manager
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Moulton Logistics Centre
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Information Commissioner
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