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20 October 2014

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I write further to your request for information received 16/07/2014.

I note you seek access to the following information:

Please could I request copies of all correspondence between Sir Clive Loader (Police and Crime Commissioner), and Sir Peter Soulsby (Mayor of Leicester), between January 1st 2014 and July 8th 2014. Please include any correspondence sent or received by staff or officials acting on their behalf.

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted within Leicestershire Police to locate information relevant to your request.

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Morris Steven

From:Wilcox TeresaSent:22 July 2014 10:00To:Subject:Subject:RESTRICTED:- FOI - Sir Peter Soulsby

Sir Peter Soulsby

Teresa

From: Wilcox Teresa Sent: 10 March 2014 16:27 To:

; Sir Peter Soulsby;

Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED: - Lubbesthorpe Development - Press Release

Please find last week's press release to accompany the questions and answers emailed to you earlier today.

Yours sincerely

Paul Stock Chief Executive

PRESS RELEASE

We can confirm that the Police and Crime Commissioner for Leicestershire has lodged a Judicial Review with the High Court of Justice, against Blaby District Council.

The reason for doing so is that Blaby District Council has recently granted permission for 4250 new homes at Lubbesthorpe in Leicestershire and the development will significantly increase the demand on policing in that area. In order to maintain the level of policing presently offered to residents in the District, Leicestershire Police require a financial contribution from the developers of the Lubbesthorpe urban extension towards police equipment and buildings.

Both the Council and developer agree that a financial contribution should be made towards policing in Leicestershire, but have entered into an agreement that means no funding will be put in place for very many years, until thousands of new homes have been built. Furthermore, there is no firm commitment in the Agreement to contribute anything towards the buildings that will need to be expanded to house the additional officers and staff required to police the development.

As a consequence, acute pressure will be placed on the Force's ability to police the development effectively which is likely to impact on policing elsewhere in the area reducing

the level of service provided to existing residents.

The police are not opposed to the building of new homes in principle, but if the funding isn't put in place during the early stages of development, the impact on the service offered by Police across the county will be unacceptable.

The current situation is therefore untenable, not least because it is unfair on the local communities who depend on the police service and will see a reduction in the level of service if new development isn't prepared to properly contribute towards the extra demand it places on police resources. Accordingly, there was no option but to seek Judicial Review of the Council's decision to grant planning permission. It is not a decision that was taken lightly, and of course, it is hoped that this situation can be satisfactorily resolved without further recourse to the Courts. It is also of note that there are several, similar sized developments planned for the Leicestershire Force area and the precedent set by not taking such legal action would allow future development to exacerbate this already unacceptable situation.

Due to the active legal proceedings, it would be inappropriate for the Police and Crime Commissioner or Leicestershire Police to comment further at this stage.

Teresa Wilcox

Administrator Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner Force Headquarters St Johns Enderby Leicester LE19 2BX Tel: 0116 229 8980 Email: police.commissioner@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk

Morris Steven

From: TheMayor [TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk]

Sent: 24 April 2014 11:10

To: Clarke Samantha

Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Police search of my property on 05/04/2014

Many thanks for letting me know.

Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk]
Sent: 24 April 2014 11:02
To: TheMayor
Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Police search of my property on 05/04/2014

Dear Marie

Thank you for your email providing me with details of Mr complaint.

Sir Clive has direct responsibility for complaints about the Chief Constable only and is not in a position to influence the outcome of individual complaints. I have passed all details onto the Chief Executive Team who will ensure this is dealt with in the appropriate channels.

Kind regards

Sam

Samantha Clarke PA to Sir Clive Loader, Police and Crime Commissioner & Paul Stock, Chief Executive Officer

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 23 April 2014 15:45 To: Clarke Samantha Subject: FW: Police search of my property on 05/04/2014

Dear Samantha

Please see the email below which has been sent to the City Mayor.

I would be grateful if you could respond directly to Dr with regards to the search of the property.

We will respond directly regarding the assistance to new communities.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Sent: 18 April 2014 05:45 To: TheMayor Subject: Police search of my property on

Dear Sir Soulsby I am an honest hard working doctor

1 own an apartment in Leicester town centre which had previously been let out to tenants but has been vacant since November 2013 Police broke the front door of my empty property causing extensive damage to my

Police broke the front door of my empty property causing extensive damage to my apartment on 05/04/2014, apparently looking for a vulnerable girl

The whole issue raises a lot of questions which I would like clarification from the police who have been very callous in their attitude

The issues surrounding disappearance of a vulnerable young are socio-economic and political

But it seems it is being tackled by local government in Leicester by harassing honest, tax paying, hard working citizens like me by vandalizing their property to begin with Who knows where it would lead to?

Could you please take action on my complaint to Leicestershire Constabulary and Independent Police Complaints Commission

Besides as a tax paying citizen I would like to know what steps have been taken by the local government to help young immigrants to assimilate in society in Leicester If newspaper reports are to be believed why this vulnerable girl didn't speak English, despite living in UK for last 5 months

That is enough time for a similar old girl to learn a new language and assimilate into a new society

I can say that from my personal experience as I can speak 5 and write 3 languages It took me less than 2 month to assimilate into society in UK although I was much older Enclosing a copy of my complaint letter and photographs of my vandalized property where repair to the damage would cost me between £1000-£1500 along loss of my precious personal time which is mainly devoted to care of my frail elderly parents Many thanks

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be official policy.

Thank you for your co-operation.

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Morris Stev	'en
From:	Clarke Samantha
Sent:	03 February 2014 09:30
To:	
Subject:	NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- FW: Cycle theft
Attachments	
Dear Ms	

Please find attached a response from the Police and Crime Commissioner regarding the incident involving your son and his bicycle.

Kind regards

Sam

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From:	TheMayor < <u>TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk</u> >
Sent:	17 January 2014 11:05
То:	Police Commissioner
Subject:	FW: Incident in Leicester today

Dear Ms

Thank you for your email.

I am sorry to hear about your sons experience in the City yesterday.

I have copied your enquiry to the Police and Crime Commissioner, Sir Clive Loader for his information.

Your sincerely

Peter Soulsby City Mayor

From:	靈					XX)			
Sent:	16	Jar	nuar	ry 2	201	42	21:	43	

To: TheMayor **Subject:** Re: Incident in Leicester today **Importance:** High

Dear Mr Soulsby

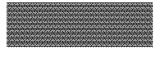
I have lived in Leicester for over 40 years and I was proud of the city until today.

I went into Leicester shopping with my mother and my son (age 17) cycled into Leicester at 12 noon to meet us for lunch. He has a specialised bike. He locked it up in the bike rack outside HVM and when he returned at 2pm it had been stolen. I was not with him, as I continued to shop and he was going home to carry on with his homework. The bike was his pride and joy and he is so upset. He just had enough money to get him home to for the bus. He was distraught when I arrived home with my mother.

He did report it to a lady police officer in the centre and she said she would get them to check the cameras. She said there is a gang of Romanians who are known to steel bikes. What is Leicester coming to. These people should not be allowed to be in our country or city if they are stealing.

I would welcome your thoughts on this.

With kind regards



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Your voice in Leicester, Leicestershire & Rutland

Date: 03 February 2014

Ref:

Dear Ms.

I am writing with regard to the email you sent to The Mayor Sir Peter Soulsby on 16 January 2014 on the subject of cycle theft.

I am also sorry to hear what happened with your sons bicycle. As this relates to an operational policing matter the issue falls under the remit of the Chief Constable rather than myself. However, it is my job to hold the Chief to account for the actions he takes regarding operational policing. My team have consulted with the Force and obtained the following information from Sergean

There are around 500 bicycles stolen each year in Leicester City Centre. The Force is aware of the distress and inconvenience it causes to victims particularly as they are often young people with no other means of transport.

The force is committed to reducing these thefts and has done a mixture of enforcement and crime prevention work. For example, at the end of 2013 they purchased technical equipment as part of an operation to target offenders. Officers were tasked to work on this over a number of weeks which resulted in 10 arrests in the city centre. The force have also painted up old bikes in bright colours with crime prevention Tri Signs attached which have acted as a deterrent and a reminder to secure bikes properly. Officers have reminded people to secure their bikes with a good quality D-locks through press releases and social media posts. The Force has purchased a large stock of D-locks which can be bought at cost price of just £5 from Mansfield House Police Station or the City Centre library on Bishop St.

This work has already resulted in a significant reduction of offences in December 2013 and the Force is confident this can continue.

There is no evidence that gangs of Romanians are stealing bikes. None of the 10 recently arrested are foreign nationals. If your son replaces his bike, then PC Cooper has offered to provide him with a free D-lock. Please contact PC Cooper on 0116 2486684 or email at Andrew.cooper1461@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk

Yours sincerely

The Lande

Sir Clive Loader Police and Crime Commissioner

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Morris Steven

From: Clarke Samantha

Sent: 03 July 2014 15:16

To: 'TheMayor'

Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby and Sir Clive Loader

Thank you Marie.

Sir Clive will talk these through with Sir Peter tomorrow.

Kind regards

Sam

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk]
Sent: 03 July 2014 15:03
To: Clarke Samantha
Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby and Sir Clive Loader

Dear Sam

Thank you for your email.

I can confirm that the address is:

City Hall 115 Charles Street Leicester LE1 1FZ

Would it also be possible to send through the details of Sir Clive's plan as requested by Sir Peter please.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk] Sent: 03 July 2014 14:56

20/08/2014

To: TheMayor **Subject:** NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby and Sir Clive Loader

Dear Marie

Thank you for confirming my questions.

Could you please confirm the address of your offices and also is there car parking available for Sir Clive?

Kind regards

Sam

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk]
Sent: 03 July 2014 14:01
To: Clarke Samantha
Subject: RE: Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby and Sir Clive Loader

Dear Sam

Thank you for confirming the meeting tomorrow with Sir Peter and Sir Clive.

Sir Peter has asked me to remind you that it would be helpful to have the details of Sir Clive's plan in advance of the meeting.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:<u>Samantha</u>,Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk]
Sent: 03 July 2014 13:51
To: TheMayor
Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby and Sir Clive Loader

Dear Marie

Thank you for providing an alternative date, I can confirm the date and time in Sir Clive's diary. Sir Clive does have a tight schedule for tomorrow so if he is a couple of minutes late would you please pass on his apologies for me?

Also can you please confirm that the meeting will be between Sir Peter and Sir Clive only?

Kind regards

20/08/2014

Sam

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 03 July 2014 11:19 To: Clarke Samantha Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby and Sir Clive Loader

Dear Sam

Thank you for your email.

Sir Peter realises the urgency of this meeting and would like to meet with Sir Clive tomorrow (Friday 4th July) at 11.00 at City Hall.

I'll wait to hear from you.

Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk]
Sent: 03 July 2014 10:59
To: TheMayor
Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby and Sir Clive Loader

Dear Marie

I apologise for the delay in replying, as I had been waiting for final arrangements to be confirmed to me as Sir Clive will be in meetings today with Policing Minister, The Rt Hon Damian Green MP.

This unfortunately means he will be unable to meet with Sir Peter at 4pm this afternoon.

l appreciate Sir Peter's diary is extremely busy, however, please can you advise whether Sir Peter would have any time in his diary to meet with Sir Clive in the latter half of next week?

Thankyou for your assistance and I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards

Sam

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk]
Sent: 03 July 2014 10:27
To: Clarke Samantha
Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby, The Chief Executive of Leicester City Council, The PCC & CC of Leicestershire Police

Dear Sam

Thank you for your email.

Are you in a position to confirm if the meeting is going to take place today.

Thanks

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk]
Sent: 02 July 2014 15:29
To: TheMayor
Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby, The Chief Executive of Leicester City Council, The PCC & CC of Leicestershire Police

Dear Marie

Would it be ok to hold the 4pm slot for tomorrow until first thing in the morning? I appreciate Sir Peter is extremely busy but if you could do this for me I would be extremely grateful.

Kind regards

Sam

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From: Clarke Samantha Sent: 02 July 2014 14:17 **To:** 'TheMayor' **Subject:** NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby, The Chief Executive of Leicester City Council, The PCC & CC of Leicestershire Police

Dear Marie

Thank you so much for responding with a date, I really do appreciate it. I am just in the process of checking with Sir Clive the date and time offered and I will let you know as soon as possible.

Please accept my apologies for the error in the title, this was not intentional.

Look forward to speaking with you in due course.

Kind regards

Sam

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk]
Sent: 02 July 2014 13:59
To: Clarke Samantha
Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby, The Chief Executive of Leicester City Council, The PCC & CC of Leicestershire Police

Sam

Sir Peter has asked me to let you know he would be available for a meeting with Sir Clive at 4.00pm tomorrow (Thursday, 3rd July) at his office at City Hall, 115 Charles Street, Leicester, LE1 1FZ.

Sir Peter has asked to stress that he does not feel it would be helpful at this stage for others to be present since the ultimate responsibility for policy direction rests with the directly elected representatives.

Sir Peter has also asked me to let you know that it would extremely helpful to have details of Sir Clive's plans for changes to policing in the City in advance of the discussion.

Regards

Marie

p.s. I note that your email was addressed to Sir Soulsby, as you will appreciate working for Sir Clive, it is conventional to use forenames.

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk]
Sent: 02 July 2014 13:05
To: TheMayor
Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting with Sir Peter Soulsby, The Chief Executive of Leicester City Council, The PCC & CC of Leicestershire Police

Sir Soulsby

I am trying to arrange a meeting between Sir Clive Loader (PCC), Chief Constable Cole, yourself & the Chief Executive (or an equivalent as you feel necessary) of Leicester City Council. The meeting is to discuss strengthening of relationships and also planning in the future.

The meetings will last around 1 hour and the PCC and CC will come over to the Council to make coordinating diaries easier.

If you would like me to provide you with some dates I will do so asap, however I have been asked, with the odd exception, to clear the diaries so if you are able to provide dates that would suit I will try my best to fit around them.

Any questions please let me know.

Kind regards

Sam

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Morris Steven From: TheMayor [TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 19 March 2014 10:15

To: Clarke Samantha

Cc:

Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Dear Sam

Thank you for your email.

Unfortunately it was my understanding and that of the City Mayor that we had been asked to arrange two separate meetings.

One with Chief Constable Simon Cole, Chief Superintendent Rob Nixon, Detective Superintendent Andy Lee for an annual catch up meeting and a second separate meeting with Clive Loader and Chief Constable Simon Cole to discuss Bar/ Alcohol Licensing and two different issues.

Therefore, the meeting scheduled for 14th May at Mansfield House is, as far as we were aware with CC Simon Cole, CS Rob Nixon and DS Andy Lee and Assistant Mayor Councillor Sarah Russell for the annual catch up.

I would be grateful if you could clarify the discussions for this meeting as I am still under the impression that another meeting is to be arranged with Clive Loader.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk]
Sent: 18 March 2014 13:36
To: TheMayor
Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Hi Marie

I think the meeting that was arranging was the same one I was tasked to arrange so I believe we have agreed on the 14 May.

Kind regards

Sam

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk]
Sent: 18 March 2014 10:28
To: Clarke Samantha
Cc: Cllr Sarah Russell; Hema Jagjivan
Subject: FW: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Dear Sam

I was wondering if there is any news on the suggested dates below.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: TheMayor Sent: 26 February 2014 15:54 To: Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk Cc: Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Dear Sam

I have checked Peter and Councillor Russell's diary and can offer the following dates for the meeting, although these are available on the assumption that the meeting will be in Peter's office at New Walk Centre:

23rd April at 11.00

24th April at 11.00

7th May at 11.00

I look forward to hearing from you if the above are convenient.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:<u>Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk</u>] Sent: 26 February 2014 15:05 To: TheMayor Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Thanks Marie

Would it be easier if you sent over some dates for me? That way I can look at changing diary entries this end if needed?

Kind regards

Sam

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From: TheMayor [mailto:<u>TheMayor@leicester.g</u>ov.uk] Sent: 26 February 2014 15:03 To: Clarke Samantha Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Dear Sam

Thank you for your email and apologies for the delay.

Unfortunately Peter is not available on the dates suggested below.

I would be grateful if you could supply some further dates and for the meeting to be held in Peter's office at New Walk Centre.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk] Sent: 20 February 2014 14:04 To: TheMayor Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Dear Marie

Thank you for your email. Unfortunately that date is no longer suitable. I have again provided dates for Simon Cole and Sir Clive Loader, I would be extremely grateful if Sir Peter Soulsby could attend the meeting

at Force Headquarters if at all possible, a time can be agreed to suit Sir Soulsby/ Councillor Russell.

Wednesday 5 March	16:00-17:00
Tuesday 8 April	12:00-13:00
Thursday 10 April	12:00-13:00
Friday 11 April	10:00-11:00, 11:00-12:00

Thank you so much for your help this far, it is appreciated.

Kind regards

Sam

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 07 February 2014 15:39 To: Clarke Samantha Cc: Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Dear Samantha

Thank you for your email.

Further to the dates you have offered the City Mayor is available on **3rd April either 10.00 – 11.00 or 12.00 – 13.00**. Unfortunately due to the City Mayor's diary commitments he would like to have the meeting in his office at New Walk Centre.

Also attending the meeting will be Assistant Mayor, Councillor Sarah Russell.

I look forward to hearing from you and will hold both times in the diaries.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk] Sent: 06 February 2014 10:28 To: TheMayor Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Meeting request

Hi Marie

ter

The meeting will be to discuss Bar/ Alcohol Licensing and operation

Kind regards

Sam

Samantha Clarke PA to Sir Clive Loader, Police and Crime Commissioner & Paul Stock, Chief Executive Officer

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 05 February 2014 09:40 To: Clarke Samantha Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting request

Dear Samantha

Thank you for your email. I would be grateful if you could advise what the meeting is to discuss please.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Clarke Samantha [mailto:Samantha.Clarke@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk] Sent: 03 February 2014 15:21 To: Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Meeting request

Hi Marie

I hope you are the person I need speak to regarding Sir Peter Soulsby's diary, if you are not, please accept my apologies.

I have been asked to arrange a meeting between;

Sir Peter Soulsby Sir Clive Loader Chief Constable Simon Cole

I have looked at the diaries and I have potential dates of;

19 March10:00-11:00, 11:00-12:003 April10:00-11:00, 11:00-12:00, 12:00-13:00

If these dates and times are not acceptable please let me know alternatives and I will try and accommodate.

Kind regards

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Morris Steven

To: 'TheMayor'

Cc: Clarke Samantha

Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Dear Marie

Thank you for your email, we had previously agreed for the meeting to go ahead at 11am on 14th May 2014 at Mansfield House Police Station.

Kind regards

Emma Rice

Emma Rice Leicester City BCU Secretary For C/Supt Nixon, Supt Ball & C/Insp Knopp

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 18 March 2014 10:32 To: Cc:

Subject: FW: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Dear Emma

I wonder if you have any further clarification on the dates below which I am holding in the City Mayor and Assistant Mayor, Councillor Sarah Russell's diaries.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind Regards

Marie

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From: TheMayor Sent: 26 February 2014 15:43 To:

Cc:

Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Hi Emma

I've checked both Peter and Councillor Russell's diaries and can offer the following dates:

30th April at 11.00

1st May at 11.00

14th May at 11.00

Peter and Sarah would be able to come to Mansfield House if necessary.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Rice Emma [mailto:Emma.Rice@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk] Sent: 26 February 2014 15:21 To: TheMayor Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Hi Marie

Thanks for your email, perhaps it would be easier for you to provide me with dates and times when the Mayor is available for this meeting and I will check the diaries at my end. If we could go for April onwards that would be really useful.

Kind regards

Emma

Emma Rice Leicester City BCU Secretary For C/Supt Nixon, Supt Ball & C/Insp Knopp

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 26 February 2014 15:02 To: Rice Emma Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- FW: Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Hi Emma

Apologies for the delay.

Unfortunately the dates below are not convenient. I would be grateful if you could offer some further dates.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Rice Emma [mailto:Emma.Rice@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk]
Sent: 11 February 2014 15:17
To: TheMayor
Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- FW: Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Dear Marie

Apologies for the delay, unfortunately members of our team are not all available for the suggested date and time of 10am on 7th March 2014. Would The Mayor therefore be available on any of the following dates/times:-

12th March at 2:30pm 3rd April at 1:00 pm 8th April at 10am 10th April between 10am – 1pm

I look forward to hearing from you in due course.

Kind regards

Emma

Emma Rice Leicester City BCU Secretary

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From: Rice Emma Sent: 10 February 2014 16:21 To: 'TheMayor' Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Dear Marie

Thank you for your email and suggested date and time, could you please reserved this time and date for our meeting and I will confirm as soon as possible once I have everyone's confirmed availability?

Kind regards

Emma

Emma Rice Leicester City BCU Secretary For C/Supt Nixon, Supt Ball & C/Insp Knopp

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk]
Sent: 10 February 2014 11:28
To: Rice Emma
Subject: RE: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Dear Emma

Thank you for your email requesting a meeting with the City Mayor.

Unfortunately, Peter is unable to make any of the suggested dates and times below, but

could do 10.00 on the 7th March if that would be convenient for your end. It is usually difficult for Peter to attend meetings later in the afternoon as he has Scrutiny meetings which he does preparation for.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind Regards

Marie

From: Rice Emma [mailto:Emma.Rice@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk]
Sent: 07 February 2014 15:50
To: TheMayor
Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- Annual Catch Up Meeting - Mayor Soulsby and Leicestershire Police

Dear Marie

Further to our telephone conversation today, please find below some suggested dates and times for Mayor Peter Soulsby to meet with Chief Constable Simon Cole, Chief Superintendent Rob Nixon, Detective Superintendent Andy Lee for an annual catch up meeting.

Suggestions are:

Friday 7th March 2014 – 4:30 - 5:30pm Tuesday 11th March 2014 – 4:30 – 5:30pm Thursday 20th March 2014 – 4:30 – 5:30pm

We would suggest a meeting at Mansfield House Police Station, 74 Belgrave Gate, Leicester but if there is a more convenient location for Mayor Soulsby please let me know.

I look forward to hearing from you in due course.

Kind regards

Emma Rice Leicester City BCU Secretary For C/Supt Nixon, Supt Ball & C/Insp Knopp

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Following recent media interest in the Lubbesthorpe development a number of questions have been received. We have attempted to capture these and respond below.

Context: As has been previously confirmed, the Police and Crime Commissioner for Leicestershire has lodged a Judicial Review with the High Court of Justice, against Blaby District Council, with regard to the proposed development of 4250 homes at Lubbesthorpe. This decision follows extensive discussions with senior officers within the Chief Constable's team and legal advice received. The Chief Constable is fully supportive of, and indeed has advised, this action.

- **Question:** Is Leicestershire Police and/or the PCC simply opposed to the planned development?
- Answer: We are not against the Lubbesthorpe development indeed, we support it with the necessary contribution to Policing. We want to see it taken ahead safely and in a timely fashion.
- **Question:** Why have you not raised your concerns with Blaby District Council prior to this?
- Answer: We have. We reached agreement with Blaby District Council and confirmed in December that £1.67m was required for policing infrastructures and facilities for this new development. We started discussions with them back in 2009.
- **Question:** So what is the problem?
- Answer: Leicestershire Police has made very careful calculations regarding the extra funding required to cover this new development. The Council and developer agree the necessity of a Policing contribution.

The problem is that the timelines or triggers that these parties have included in the s106 agreement, without reference to Leicestershire Police or the Police and Crime Commissioner, mean that there will be no additional funds to police the development until most of it is built.

In addition, the agreement makes no commitment to meet the premises needs identified by Leicestershire Police (and agreed by Blaby DC) at the time Planning Permission was granted.

Perversely, Biaby DC and the developer made timely provision for health coverage (triggered at 250 dwellings), and even for the improvement of Leicester City bus station [triggered at 50 dwellings] but did not see fit to agree something similar for safe policing.

There is also the real danger that the developer will only build 2500 houses with the result that no funds will be released for policing the development at all.

- **Question:** What has Blaby District Council done, or not done, to trigger this action?
- Answer: Blaby DC has a statutory duty to exercise its planning functions to achieve the proper planning of its area, under guidance from the Secretary of State which requires that it deliver adequate facilities to serve additional communities.

Its own Planning Policies make provision for developer contributions to Policing from this development.

Furthermore, under S17 of the Crime and Disorder Act, each Local Authority has a duty to exercise its various functions with due regard to the likely effect of those functions on, and the need to do all it reasonably can to prevent, crime and disorder in its area.

It is the Police view that the agreement entered by the Council and developer with regard to Lubbesthorpe does not meet these requirements. Sufficient and timely funding to ensure the safety of residents of the development is not yet secured – and in our view planning permission should not have been granted without this. This is at the heart of our action.

- **Question:** What would happen if you simply accepted the situation and not taken this legal course of action?
- Answer: Had the PCC, with Police and legal advice, not challenged the current situation there would be no extra financial provision (for infrastructure and facilities) until 2600 houses had been occupied likely to be more than eight years into the project according to the limited programming information we have been given. The development may even have stopped before this point with no funding for policing.

In effect, therefore, Blaby District Council and the developer are currently expecting Leicestershire Police to ensure the safety of a new community of around 6300 residents without any new funding for infrastructure. This is the equivalent of being asked to take on our statutory duty of care for an additional community, three times the size of the town of Uppingham, from within existing assets. When completed, according to the developer, Lubbesthorpe will be the same size as Market Harborough.

This would result in a dilution of policing in other neighbourhoods. As evidenced by the PCC's reluctant decision to raise the Council Tax Precept for the financial year 2014/15, we do not have 'spare' resources with which to take on this extra responsibility without detriment to the quality of policing within extant communities.

- **Question:** Will you challenge every planning application?
- Answer: We need to make sure, in the interests of safety of our communities, that every housing development has adequate provision for policing.

For instance, according to independent research, a development the size of Lubbesthorpe will need to be built in our police force area in each and every year for the next 15 years in order to meet housing demand. There are currently four similar growth point proposals in the Planning pipeline and many smaller Planning applications.

Faced with this number of additional households, and the 11,000 people that will occupy them each year, the situation regarding Police over-stretch would become untenable in regard to the safety of citizens.

We are trying to work co operatively with all Councils in our area and, in some cases, with a good deal of success. It is unusual that our straight forward requests result in an imposed and inadequate outcome as in this case.. We cannot dismiss the possibility of having to use such a challenge in other cases. It is a last resort - but a necessary one if our communities are to be adequately Policed and when we are confronted by such an outcome.

- Question: Is this the first time a Police Force has challenged a local council in this way?
- Answer: It is the first time for this Force. Not only is this case incredibly important in its own right, but we need to make it clear to future developers (and the Councils who negotiate agreements) that they must make appropriate and informed provisions for Policing.

Nationally the Association of Chief Police Officers promotes Police involvement in the Planning process because they recognise the impacts that growth brings on the delivery of Policing. For example, Thames Valley, West Mercia and Warwickshire Police take similar approaches (with the latter just having secured a commitment from Rugby Council in relation to a similar sized development). The work of Leicestershire Police in this area is nationally recognised as best practice.

- **Question:** Will a finding in your favour as a result of the Judicial Review stop the development? Is it now just too late for anyone to do anything?
- Answer: We are not trying to stop the development. However, in the interests of public safety, we are seeking guarantees of the necessary financial provision for policing, which need to be in place before the development gets underway.

We do not believe it is 'too late' for the [Lubbesthorpe] development to go ahead as planned and on time provided Blaby District Council rapidly engages with the developers to ensure the necessary financial provision within the agreement.

We continue to invite this and we will review our action as soon as this happens.

- **Question:** What happens now?
- Answer: We would obviously like to see the matter satisfactorily resolved as quickly as possible. We have invited Blaby District Council and the developer to join us

in an independent mediation process and we hope they are able to commit to this to try and reach agreement. We believe this will be a mutually acceptable and positive way forward to avoid litigation.

- **Question:** If you get the funding will it mean that you will be recruiting more police officers?
- Answer: We have sought money for our additional capital costs eg for premises, vehicles, IT and Communications, CCTV and officer equipment and generally s106 funds are for such capital items. Additional council tax income generated from this development, together with our funds from the Home Office, will be used to fund additional officers and staff to deliver Policing to it.
- **Question:** Could the funding required for providing policing to this development not be met from reserves until the trigger point is reach?
- Answer: No. Reserves are held for a variety of potential unforeseen costs and liabilities but not those arising from housing and other growth related demand. There are rules that require us to maintain these reserves if we have to call upon them in emergencies. It would not be appropriate to use these public funds in this way S106 makes it clear that infrastructure funding should come from the developer, not the taxpayer.

Question: How much is this legal challenge likely to cost?

- Answer: The exact costs are not yet clear, and depend to a great extent on what happens next. On the other hand it is quite clear that if we did not take this course of action now, the eventual cost to the taxpayer in terms of policing would be prohibitive.
- **Question:** Has this action been prompted by the fact that Blaby District Council has been placed in 'Special Measures' by the Government because of its planning performance.
- Answer: We were aware of this. However because we have been making the Police case for a contribution from this development since late 2009 this announcement is unrelated to our action.

Morris Steven

From:	Wilcox Teresa
Sent:	22 July 2014 10:01
То:	
Subject:	RESTRICTED:- FOI - Sir Peter Soulsby

Teresa

From: Wilcox Teresa **On Behalf Of** Police Commissioner Sent: 17 January 2014 15:39 To: 'TheMayor' Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Incident in Leicester today

Dear Sir Peter

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner. Your correspondence has been logged under reference number 608/14.

The contents of your email have been reviewed and one of Sir Clive's staff will investigate this matter for you. You will receive an update within 10 working days.

Yours sincerely

Teresa Wilcox Administrator Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner Force Headquarters St Johns Enderby Leicester LE19 2BX Tel: 0116 229 8980 Email: police.commissioner@leics.pcc.pnn.gov.uk

From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 17 January 2014 11:05 To: Police Commissioner Subject: FW: Incident in Leicester today

Dear Ms

Thank you for your email.

I am sorry to hear about your sons experience in the City yesterday.

I have copied your enquiry to the Police and Crime Commissioner, Sir Clive Loader for his information.

Your sincerely

20/08/2014

Peter Soulsby City Mayor

From: Four 2014 21:43 Sent: 16 January 2014 21:43 To: TheMayor Subject: Re: Incident in Leicester today Importance: High

Dear Mr Soulsby

I have lived in Leicester for over 40 years and I was proud of the city until today.

He did report it to a lady police officer in the centre and she said she would get them to check the cameras. She said there is a gang of Romanians who are known to steel bikes. What is Leicester coming to. These people should not be allowed to be in our country or city if they are stealing.

I would welcome your thoughts on this.

With kind regards

Shirley Letts

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Morris Steven

From: Wilcox Teresa

Sent: 22 July 2014 10:02

То:

Subject: RESTRICTED:- FOI - Sir Peter



Teresa

From: Wilcox Teresa On Behalf Of Police Commissioner Sent: 04 November 2013 10:23 To: 'TheMayor' Subject: NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED:- RE: Leicester praise

Dear Sir Peter

Our <u>Ref # 6332/13</u>

Thank you for your emailing the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Your email has been logged on our correspondence system under reference number 6332/13 and forwarded to Sir Clive's PA who will pass your message on.

Yours sincerely

Teresa Wilcox

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From: TheMayor [mailto:TheMayor@leicester.gov.uk] Sent: 01 November 2013 17:13 To: Cc: Police Commissioner Subject: RE: Leicester praise

Dear Mr

Thank you for your email of 19th October 2013 and for your kind words. I am very pleased that you enjoyed your visit to Leicester and that you intend to visit again.

I have copied your email and this reply to Sir Clive Loader, the Police and Crime Commissioner for

Leicestershire, as it is the Police who are responsible for enforcing the street drinking bylaw, to make him aware of your concerns and to give him the opportunity of responding directly to you.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely

Peter Soulsby City Mayor

From: Sent: 19 October 2013 13:10 To: TheMayor Subject: Leicester praise

Dear Mr Sousiby

I live in Long Eaton so way out of your remit but I would like to congratulate you on a sterling job you have done so far. I had not been to Leicester for many years but this last six months have visited on several occasions.

With the Great Central railway Museum project the proposed Tram Museum it was obvious you have taken a hands on approach to help these succeed I just wish I could say the same for Nottingham City Council when It comes to Museums.

I have just realised we are only twenty minutes away by train and last week visited the Richard 111 Exhibition all very interesting we can't wait for the new Exhibition Centre to open. We took the suggested Richard 111 walking tour and came across the excellent Newarke Houses Museum also many historic buildings and parks we never knew existed, a thoroughly enjoyable day.

Can I make one suggestion that I think would help enhance Leicester even further. We were disappointed to come across a number of men drinking openly outside the Town Hall and in the Castle Gardens, my wife found it quite intimidating, we noticed three foreign ladies obviously Tourists on the Richard walking tour turn back in the Castle Grounds rather than walk past the large group of men.

Can I say at no time did any of the men give offence but just seeing them in a large group drinking out of cans at 10 am in the morning was intimidating and not a nice sight?

I see you have a bylaw to stop drinking on the streets and whilst I realise it might be difficult to enforce an effort to do so would make a walking tour of Leicester a more enjoyable experience

Again congratulations on what you have achieved so far.

Best regards