

**FOI ref no:** SCO/FOI/36/2021

**Freedom of Information request:** reference SCO/FOI/36/2021, first notified to us by email on 22 November 2021.

**Staffordshire Commissioner's Office response to your enquiry is as follows:**

I can confirm that the Staffordshire Commissioner's Office partially holds the requested information.

**1. Is heritage crime an issue in your county?**

This information is not held by the Commissioner's office, you may wish to direct this question to Staffordshire Police.

**2. Is heritage crime an important issue for your county?**

This information is not held by the Commissioner's office, you may wish to direct this question to Staffordshire Police.

**3. What are the levels of recorded heritage crime in your county over the last 5 years?**

This information is not held by the Commissioner's office, you may wish to direct this question to Staffordshire Police.

**4. What categories of heritage crime have been recorded in your county over the last 5 years?**

This information is not held by the Commissioner's office, you may wish to direct this question to Staffordshire Police.

**5. Is heritage crime considered as a priority for the Police & Crime Commissioner, e.g. is it included in your Police and Crime Plan**

Heritage Crime is not included in the Police and Crime Plan

**6. Does your service partake in and/or encourage partnership working with outside bodies with regards to heritage crime working, for example Historic England?**

This information is not held by the Commissioner's office, you may wish to direct this question to Staffordshire Police.

**7. Are situational crime prevention techniques used by the service you are responsible for to prevent heritage crimes?**

This information is not held by the Commissioner's office, you may wish to direct this question to Staffordshire Police.

As outlined in all questions with the exception of question 5, Staffordshire Police as best placed to answer your questions and I have documented below their contact details.

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By Post            Freedom of Information DCC Directorate  
Information Governance and Assurance Central Disclosure Unit  
Staffordshire Police HQ  
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By Email           [foi@staffordshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:foi@staffordshire.pnn.police.uk)

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of this email and should be addressed to:

Compliance Manager  
Staffordshire Commissioner's Office  
Block 9, Staffordshire Police HQ  
Stafford  
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Or emailed to: [FOI.PFCC@staffordshire-pfcc.pnn.gov.uk](mailto:FOI.PFCC@staffordshire-pfcc.pnn.gov.uk).

Please remember to quote the reference number in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Decision Maker**