

List Powers & Duties for District & County Councils

There is often confusion over what is the responsibility of the Parish Council, District Council or County Council. The below schedule explains a list of duties which are **NOT** the Parish Council's remit, in the first instance the Public Are Encouraged to report these direct to the appropriate body. Should no response be received or an unsatisfactory reply occur, the Parish Council can then escalate the matter with the District Councillor, County Councillor and the appropriate body:

Appropriate Body Schedule

Situation or Problem	Who is Responsible	How to Contact
Abandoned Vehicles	Bassetlaw District Council	On-line form at www.bassetlaw.gov.uk or Phone 01909 533 219 or 01777 713 764
Crime, non-urgent suspicious persons, vehicles and activity, disorderly persons	Nottinghamshire Police	Phone 101
Crime, in progress	Nottinghamshire Police	Phone 999
Dangerous Dogs	Nottinghamshire Police	Phone 101
Dog Fouling	Bassetlaw District Council	On-line form at www.bassetlaw.gov.uk or Phone 01909 533 219 or 01777 713 764
Drainage Channels, Dykes, Drains etc	Trent Valley Drainage Board	Email enquiries@lmdb.co.uk or phone 01507 328 095
Drain Ownership Query - If you are unclear as to who has responsibility for drains and sewers in your area	Bassetlaw District Council	Online- Environmental Health Form at www.bassetlaw.gov.uk or phone 01909 533 219 01777 713 764
Hedges - Overgrown or dangerous	Nottinghamshire County Council	On-line form at www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/ Transport/roads Or Phone 0300 123 5000
Fly Tipping	Bassetlaw District Council	On-line form at www.bassetlaw.gov.uk or phone 01909 534 501
Lorries through the village	Nottinghamshire County Council	Phone 0300 500 80 80
Lost Dogs Reporting	Bassetlaw District Council	Phone Dog Warden 01909 533219 or 01777 713764
Noise Complaint (barking dogs, loud music,rowdy parties)	Bassetlaw District Council	On-line form at www.bassetlaw.gov.uk or Phone 01909 533 219
Potholes	Nottinghamshire County Council	On-line form at www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/ Transport/roads Or Phone 0300 123 5000
Power Cut	Western Power Distribution	Phone 105
Road or Pavement Problem	Nottinghamshire County Council	On-line form at www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/ Transport/roads Or Phone 0300 123 5000

Road, highway or Pavement Obstruction including Dead Animals, spillage or debris	Nottinghamshire County Council	On-line form at www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/Transport/roads Or Phone 0300 123 5000
Sewer Flooding, Blocked Sewer	Severn Trent Water	On-line at www.stwater.co.uk or Phone 0800 783 4444
Sewage Pump Station problem or adoption	Severn Trent Water	Phone 0800 783 4444
Street Lights	Nottinghamshire County Council	On-line form at www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/Transport/roads Or Phone 0300 123 5000
Street Signs/Furniture Damage to: • bus shelter damage • bus pole damage • bus stop electronic display damage • fencing damage • guard rail damage • safety fence damage • street furniture damage • street/road sign damage • traffic light damage • traffic light fault • temporary sign issue • cycle sign damaged or missing	Nottinghamshire County Council	On-line form at www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/Transport/roads Or Phone 0300 123 5000
Trees - Overgrown or dangerous	Nottinghamshire County Council	On-line form at www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/Transport/roads Or Phone 0300 123 5000
Vegetation - Overgrown or dangerous	Nottinghamshire County Council	On-line form at www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/Transport/roads Or Phone 0300 123 5000
Water – Report an outdoor leak, water supply pressure or water quality problem	Anglian Water	On-line at www.anglianwater.co.uk Phone 0800 771 881