

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

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Via email

Our Ref: MGLA090119-2661

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Dear ██████████

I write to provide you with our response to request for information that the GLA received on 8 January 2019 that asked for the release of the following information under the Freedom of Information Act:

Please can you tell me if the GLA has any estimates for the number of people attending the "People's Vote" march on October 20th 2018. If you do have such numbers, please tell me what they are and how they were calculated.

The GLA is not responsible for preparing attendance estimates for public events. The only information held by the GLA that is in-scope of your request is as follows:

- *'100,000 people are anticipated to take part in today's event'. This is the figure provided by the event organisers in the planning stages for the march and rally in the week leading up to the march. It is not a GLA estimate.*
- *In a separate email, a GLA official expressed his view that, 'The march is far bigger than the anti-Trump protests which organisers estimated at 100,000. Biggest demonstration in central London since Stop the War.'*

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely



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Information Governance Manager

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<https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information>