

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

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(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA040521-2057

1 June 2021

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for information which the Greater London Authority (GLA) received on 1 May 2021. Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You requested:

Please could I be provided with data for the following:

- *How many public toilets do you currently maintain?*
- *Please list for 2020 how many council-maintained public toilets were changed from female or male toilets to gender-neutral toilets?*
- *Please list this for 2019, and 2018.*
- *How many council-maintained public toilets were closed in 2020?*
- *Please list this for 2019 and 2018.*

Our response:

The GLA is London's strategic government and does not operate in the same way as local councils. For information about council-maintained public toilets in London you would need to contact the Borough Councils, including the City of London and Westminster City Council: <https://www.london.gov.uk/in-my-area>.

However, the GLA is responsible for public toilets in [Trafalgar Square](#) and there are public toilets in the [Thames Barrier Park](#). Please find below the information we hold about these.

How many public toilets do you currently maintain?

Please see information published on our disclosure log [[MGLA051018-4539](#)] which has not changed since.

***Please list for 2020 how many council-maintained public toilets were changed from female or male toilets to gender-neutral toilets?
Please list this for 2019, and 2018.***

None have changed

***How many council-maintained public toilets were closed in 2020?
Please list this for 2019 and 2018.***

No public toilets have been permanently closed in 2018-2021. However, the toilets on Trafalgar Square have been closed for essential maintenance in this period (2020).

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference MGLA040521-2057.

Yours sincerely

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Information Governance Officer

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