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District	158	117	152	109	169	159	218	145
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Police	199	199	199	199	199	199	199	199
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Fire	65	65	65	65	65	65	65	65
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Special	95	85	62	71	62	76	0	71
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Oadby & Wigston Council Citizens' ForumOadby and Wigston Council is looking to start a Citizen's Panel. It is looking to sign up between 2000 to 3000 local people who reflect the diverse make up of its population.

Q: What is a Citizen's Panel?

Answer: It consists of around 1,000 to 3,000 local residents who reflect the Borough's diverse population.

Q: What does the Citizen's Panel aim to do?

Answer: The main aim of the panel is to provide a platform through which the Council can learn residents' views on a wide range of local services.

Q: How does a Citizens' Panel work?

Answer: Panel members express their views through regular postal and/or online questionnaires. They may have to complete up to three questionnaires a year. Many may also choose to get involved in other types of consultation like, focus groups or telephone interviews.

Q: How can I take part?

Answer: By filling in an online form.

Q: What is a focus group?

Panel members could be invited to take part in a discussion, which would look at specific service issues. For example, services for young people, disabled people, and people aged over 60 No age group is left out.

Q: What would be expected through telephone interviews?

Panel members might be contacted by telephone to get their views on service issues, where a quicker answer to a question/s is required.

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