# Arts, Museums, Festivals & Events Service

#### **Covid-19 - Current Situation**

- All museums and KRIII Visitor Centre/ Visit Leicester Information Centre currently closed due to national lockdown
- Festivals & Events being delivered virtually – mass gatherings cannot take place





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Covid-19 – Temporary Redeployment of Staff for Covid-19 Work

- 29 Front of House staff from museums have been redeployed
- 11 staff from KRIII/ VL have been redeployed
- Redeployment roles include Community Engagement Officers and working at Covid -19 Rapid Testing site
- Other team members are conducting building, security and collections checks at all sites



### DE MONTFORT HALL UPDATE

- Food hub role now complete, though building remains available to support other covid-19 response operations.
- Most hall staff now fully redeployed to CityReach testing programme in the city.
- Some staff partially retained to support show rescheduling work.



## DE MONTFORT HALL UPDATE

- Situation is still unclear about a potential restart date for shows.
  Current planning is based around an April restart, but it now looks increasingly likely to be later in the year.
- Lost trading income is part of LCC claim to central government.
- Essential repairs delayed from summer 2020 now being undertaken, for completion by April.
- 2021/22 Capital bid submitted for essential and overdue works.

