

Information Access Team



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Dear Shaun Rigg

On 28th February 2023 Hertfordshire County Council has received the following request for information from you:

Watford Road Chiswell Green

I understand that the County Highways Department propose to introduce a highway improvement scheme along Watford Road in the area of Chiswell Green Lane and Tippetdale Avenue.

I therefore wish to take this opportunity to serve notice to the County Council Highways Department under the Freedom of Information Act to provide me with copies of the Stage 1 & 2 Safety Audits in preparation of the proposed Highways Improvement Scheme.

The request has been considered under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004. I can confirm that Hertfordshire County Council does hold some of the information you have requested and can be found below:

The scheme indicated in the request is still in the Project Validation stage, and so no Stage 1 and Stage 2 Safety Audits have yet been carried out or produced as we are still in the early/concept stages of the scheme. We therefore do not hold this information.

To advise and assist we are currently out to consultation on the St Albans Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan (LCWIP) until 20th March at 10am: [St Albans Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan | Hertfordshire County Council](#).

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Further information about the concept-level proposals for this route are included in the LCWIP and can be reviewed and commented on as part of the consultation. Any proposals adopted in the LCWIP will be subject to further design and feasibility work, as well as further stakeholder engagement, before they can be implemented.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me, quoting the reference number on this correspondence. To find out more about Freedom of Information, please visit <http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/your-council/work/foi/>

If you are unhappy with the way the County Council has handled your request for information you may request an internal review of the request. This will be carried out by a member of the County Council Legal Services Team, who has had no prior involvement with the request. Requests for an internal review should be sent to the Information Governance Unit at the address above (within 2 months of this correspondence) and should detail in writing your grounds of appeal.

If you are unhappy with the outcome of the internal review you are entitled to ask the Information Commissioner to investigate your complaint. You should write to: FOI/EIR Complaints Resolution, Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely,

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