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Dear 

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information about staffing levels for walking, cycling and road safety, which the Council received on 20 December 2013. Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("The Act").

You have requested the following information;

Please note that the following figures are predominantly based on Local Transport Plan Integrated Transport capital budgets. Other budgets exist from a variety of sources which may contribute to walking and cycling and road safety objectives, but are not specifically termed walking or cycling e.g. footway resurfacing and public realm enhancements. Budgets are also shown for financial years rather than calendar years as requested.

- Q1. If any, how many cycling officers did the local authority employ in:
- A. (a) 2010 - 0
(b) 2011 - 0
(c) 2012 - 0
(d) 2013 - 0

Note. The City Council does not have a specific role for a cycling officer, but there are a number of officers who promote walking and cycling as part of their wider role.

- Q2. If any, how many officers dedicated to promoting walking did the local authority employ in:
- A. (a) 2010 - 1 FTE
(b) 2011 - 1 FTE
(c) 2012 - 1 FTE

(d) 2013 – 1 FTE

Q3. If any, how many sustainable transport officers did the local authority employ in:

- A. (a) 2010 - 0
- (b) 2011 - 0
- (c) 2012 - 0
- (d) 2013 – 0

Q4. What the budget was for walking and cycling in (a) 2010 (b) 2011 (c) 2012 and (d) 2013?

- A. (a) 2010/11 - £730,000
- (b) 2011/12 - £167,000
- (c) 2012/13 - £215,000
- (d) 2013/14 - £180,000

Note. Based on LTP Budgets. Does not include grant funding such as LSTF of £470,000 in 2012/13 and £1.698m in 2013/14.

Q5. What was the budget was for walking and cycling as a percentage of the total transport budget in

- A. (a) 2010/11 – 26.2%
- (b) 2011/12 – 10.3%
- (c) 2012/13 – 11.8%
- (d) 2013/14 – 9.9%

Note. Based on LTP Budgets. Does not include LSTF funding of £470,000 in 2012/13 and £1.698m in 2013/14.

Q6. If any, how many road safety officers did the local authority employ in (a) 2010 (b) 2011 (c) 2012 and (d) 2013?

- A. (a) 2010 - 5
- (b) 2011 - 4
- (c) 2012 - 3
- (d) 2013 - 1

Q. What the budget was for road safety in (a) 2010 (b) 2011 (c) 2012 and (d) 2013?

- A. (a) 2010/11 – *£161,334
 - (b) 2011/12 – *£109,383
 - (c) 2012/13 – *£121,264
 - (d) 2013/14 – *£33,954
- * Revenue budget

Q. What the budget was for road safety as a percentage of the total transport budget in (a) 2010 (b) 2011 (c) 2012 and (d) 2013?

- A. (a) 2010/11 – 12.6%
- (b) 2011/12 – 15.5%
- (c) 2012/13 – 11%

(d) 2013/14 – 15%
(ITB capital budgets)

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