Dear [Redacted]

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Thank you for your FOI request, received on 23 April 2015. I apologise for the delay in responding to you. Your request has been considered under the above legislation.

You have requested the following information:

Please advise:

1. The date when the end of Park Road became open for access onto the Ring Road/related roundabout system to traffic coming down the road from the rail station?

   Park Road Quinton Road bus gate opened up on 19 January 2014.

2. How many PCNs have been issued, broken down into monthly or quarterly figures, since the new bus and taxi exit was introduced at the end of Park Road.

   - 27.08.14 – 30.09.14  2675
   - 01.10.14 – 31.12.14  4797
   - 01.01.15 – 31.03.15  3372
   - 01.04.15 – 23.04.15  810

   Also please advise:

3. Has there been any meetings at which a modification of the signage has been discussed and if so when have those meetings taken place and what was agreed?

   All signs were designed in accordance with the relevant DfT regulations.
The Council can confirm from the last audit that all the signs described at that time were in place as follows:

1) No Through Road Sign except for buses taxis and cycles
2) New Bus Gate Ahead Sign – removed as it is no longer required as the scheme is over 6 months old
3) Bus Gate Cameras Sign
4) Enforcement Camera in Operation
5) No Unauthorised Vehicles Sign

4. Has there been any meetings at which an improvement to the now non-existent turning circle at the end of this road has been discussed to enable vehicles who do find themselves towards the junction to be able to take safe, evasive action to avoid being in contravention of the new 'bus gate'.

The Council considers that there are sufficient signing to inform road users The New Bus Gate Ahead Sign was removed as it is no longer required as the scheme is over 6 months old.

and

5. Has there have been any appeals against PCNs issued in this location and if so, a. how many have been submitted and b. how many have been upheld.

The number of Appeals submitted 1170
The number of Appeals upheld 478

You are free to use this information for your own purposes. However, if you wish to use the information for other purposes, you will need to contact us.

Should you be unhappy with the outcome or handling of your request, please write to the address below within 40 working days of the date of this letter.

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If having done this you are still dissatisfied, you have the right to contact the Information Commissioner at:

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Wycliffe House
4 June 2015

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Yours sincerely

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