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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI431693565

Thank you for your request for information relating to Bus lane fine and resurfacing costs.

You have requested the following information:

1) How many people have been issued with bus lane fines on Tile Hill Lane in the last 12 months?

The Council issued 1,544 bus lane PCNs at the Tile Hill Lane bus lane during the 12 month period from 25/6/2021 to 24/6/2022.

2) How much revenue has this amassed?

To date, the Council has received £41,298 in revenue from these PCNs.

3) How is this profit spent?

Revenue collected from bus lane enforcement penalty charge notices is used to fund the enforcement operation which includes salaries, purchasing of equipment, repair and maintenance of equipment, computer software system licences, printing and postage costs etc. Any surpluses are used to help fund other transport, highway and road safety improvement projects.

4) How many people in the last 12 months have appealed, gone to the adjudicator, lost and then mistakenly paid £30 rather than £60?

Of the bus lane PCNs that were issued at Tile Hill Lane during the 2021/22 financial year, one case

was mistakenly paid at £30 rather than £60 following an unsuccessful appeal to the adjudication service.

5) How many separate sections of bus lane are there in Coventry?

20

6) Of these sections, how many of them are still tarmacked green but no longer operational?

The information in Question 5 relates to all operational bus lanes.

7) How many traffic accidents happened in Coventry in the last 12 months that can in any way be attributed to driver error linked to dormant bus lanes?

We do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. This is not recorded by the Council.

8) What is the timeline for re-tarmacking all of the green bus lanes in Coventry?

There is no time line for replacing green surfacing on bus lanes. They will be replaced in accordance with our Highway Asset Management Plan.

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