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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI681471086

Thank you for your request for information relating to Coventry Cycle Lane Journey's .

You have requested the following information:

# I would like to know the number of cycle journeys recorded on Coventry cycle lanes by month from January 2023 to January 2025

In response to your request, we refer you to the attached document.

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Please remember to quote the reference number above in your response.

Yours faithfully

### **Information Governance**



## **Briefing note**

To: Date: February 2025

Subject: Coventry Cycleway usage 2023 – 2024 (FOI681471086)

#### 1 Purpose of this paper

1.1 This paper includes data on the number of cyclists using the Coundon and Binley cycleways between January 2023 and January 2025. It has been prepared in response to a Freedom of Information Request (FOI681471086).

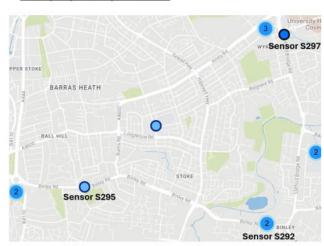
#### 2 Explanation of data provided

- 2.1 The data used in this paper has been collected by sensors located along both the Coundon and Binley cycle routes. There are 3 sensors on each route which cover sections of cycleway where construction is already complete.
- 2.2 The locations of these sensors are shown below.

#### Coundon Cycleway Sensors



#### Binley Cycleway Sensors



#### 2.3 The tables in section 3 provide:

- the total number of cyclists counted by all of the sensors on each route per month (please note that a single cyclist passing more than one sensor during the course of a journey may be counted more than once in these figures), and
- the average number of cyclists counted per sensor, per month.
- 2.4 It is important to note that the Binley Cycleway was under construction during this period. Because of this, between January 2023 and November 2023 only data from sensor 295 has been used, as this was the first section to be completed. From December 2023 onwards, data from all three sensors has been used.
- 2.5 It is also important to note that, even now, neither of the two routes is fully completed. In Coundon, a short section at the Southern end of the route connecting the cycleway into the city centre is still to be constructed. In Binley, both the connection into the city centre at the

- Western end of the route and a section along Clifford Bridge Road are both still be constructed.
- 2.6 The Council therefore expects the number of cyclists using both routes to increase further when they are fully completed and, in the longer term, when they eventually become part of a wider network of cycleways spanning different parts of the city.

#### 3 Summary of requested data

3.1 The tables below show the number of cyclists across the two routes during 2023,2024 and January 2025.

Data for the Coundon Cycleway

		Average Number of
		Cyclists
	Sum of	across the 3
	Cyclists	sensors
2023	132,494	
Jan	7819	2606
Feb	6337	2112
Mar	8893	2964
Apr	10549	3516
May	13022	4341
Jun	15867	5289
Jul	13981	4660
Aug	13548	4516
Sep	14497	4832
Oct	11940	3980
Nov	9387	3129
Dec	6654	2218
2024	113,510	
Jan	7588	2529
Feb	8288	2763
Mar	9314	3105
Apr	7999	2666
May	10958	3653
Jun	15047	5016
Jul	9524	3175
Aug	8627	2876
Sep	11619	3873
Oct	10116	3372
Nov	7540	2513
Dec	6890	2297
2025	7217	
Jan	7217	2406
Grand		
Total	253,221	

Data for the Binley Cycleway

	Sum of	Average Number of Cyclists across
	Cyclists	the 3 sensors
2023	76,650	
Jan	4976	4976
Feb	5654	5654
Mar	5713	5713
Apr	6100	6100
May	7672	7672
Jun	8275	8275
Jul	7990	7990
Aug	9095	9095
Sep	8608	8608
Oct	*	*
Nov	3581	3581
Dec	8986	2995
2024	176,473	
Jan	12066	4022
Feb	11879	3960
Mar	13321	4440
Apr	13755	4585
May	17616	5872
Jun	18787	6262
Jul	19467	6489
Aug	18322	6107
Sep	16337	5446
Oct	12783	4261
Nov	12405	4135
Dec	9735	3245
2025	9405	
Jan	9405	3135
Grand Total	262,528	

Due to a technical problem, data from this sensor is not available for October 2023 and we ar informing you as per Section 1(1) of the Act.