

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

Your request for information has now been considered and the Council's response to your questions is shown below.

You asked:

- 1. Please advise the full extent of the road network for which you are responsible.**

ANSWER

Extent of Road Network is 814.8km long in total, comprising 65.1km of principal roads, 60.5km of classified non-principal roads and 689.2km of unclassified roads. There are around 3,600 different streets in the City.

- 2. Could you please advise me of the program you undertake to ensure that all roads under your jurisdiction are maintained throughout the year?**

Programme of maintenance comprises two elements:

- Reactive safety repairs following periodic safety inspection. Every road is inspected at least twice every year. Dangerous defects that meet our intervention criteria are identified and a repair is carried out.
- Planned maintenance programme: each year monies are assigned to planned road maintenance works from both revenue and capital funding streams. This enables us to take forward an annual programme of road maintenance schemes. The number of schemes carried out will vary depending upon the scheme sizes and the cost of the treatments chosen. This year we will have carried out planned works in around 90 streets. Schemes selected for inclusion on the programme are prioritised by considering a number of factors, such as condition indicators, safety inspection records, complaints and risk considerations such as usage, local infrastructure, etc. We also have to take into account funding levels, treatment types and the costs for each treatment type.

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