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Date: 16/04/2024

Dear FOI Applicant,

Thank you for your freedom of information request received in this office on **19 March** 2024 in which you asked:

'I'm led to believe by the WMCA that the PCC chairs the progress meetings on the Road Safety Strategy.

I note the strategy had a long consultation period, but finally concluded that governance would involve "Regular monitoring of activity and performance against KPIs and the intermediate target will take place at the Strategic Group level".

I would appreciate being sent copies of :

- a) the report produced in response to the consultation on public views to improve the initial proposed strategy*
- b) minutes of meetings held by the Strategic Group*
- c) All reports on the actual performance targets and KPIs and progress with regard to the same.*
- d) A timetable or strategic group meeting dates in 2024-25'*

In response to your request, I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) holds the following information in relation to your request:

The Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) works with partners through the Regional Road Safety Strategy Group. The secretariat and record keeping for that group is provided by Transport For West Midlands (TFWM), although the Group is chaired by the PCC. The Road Safety Strategy is also referred to as the 'Refreshed Regional Road Safety Strategy 2023-2030'.

In your request, you asked for a copy of the report produced in response to the consultation on public views to improve the initial proposed strategy. I can confirm that the OPCC do not have the report that you are asking for, as Transport for West Midlands are the owners of the document.

It may be the case that Transport for West Midlands (TFWM) hold this document. If you wish to do so, you can contact them to discuss the matter further - road.safety@tfwm.org.uk
In your request, you also asked for the minutes of meetings held by the Strategic Group. Whilst the OPCC does hold these documents, they were not produced by us. Therefore, any further queries

should be directed to the owner of the documents, TFWM. Nevertheless, in order to be helpful, I have attached the minutes from the October 2023, November 2023 and February 2024 meetings, they are named: FOI_29-Road Safety Strategy – Attachment 1, FOI_29-Road Safety Strategy – Attachment 2, FOI_29-Road Safety Strategy – Attachment 3.

You have also requested all reports on the performance targets and KPIs and progress with regard to the same. Again, I can confirm that the OPCC does not hold this information. However, it may be the case that TFWM holds such information. If you wish to do so, you can contact them to discuss the matter further - road.safety@tfwm.org.uk

In terms of the RSSG meetings, we do not organise these and so further information can be organised by TFWM at the above mentioned email address. However, in order to be helpful, the meeting dates for 2024/25 are as follows:

- 29th February 2024
- 16th May 2024
- 5th September 2024
- 28th November 2024

You may wish to contact TFWM for further information about these dates and meetings.

Freedom of Information Right of Appeal

Any person who has requested information from the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) and is unhappy with the way their request for information has been handled can request a review of their case.

A request for review must be made in writing by letter or email. You should include the reference number of your request if you have it, and outline why you are requesting the review to:

Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner
Lloyd House
Birmingham
B4 6NQ

Telephone: 0121 626 6060
Email: wmpcc@west-midlands.pnn.police.uk

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All investigations will be undertaken by someone not involved in the original response.

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If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Telephone: 08456 30 60 60 or 01625 54 57 45

Website: www.ico.gov.uk

There is no charge for making a request for internal review or appeal to the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A Fuller', enclosed in a thin black rectangular border.

Alethea Fuller
Deputy Chief Executive