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1.0 INTRODUCTION

In order to comply with the requirements of British Standard 7958, Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) Management and Operation – Code of Practice and the recommendations contained in the Biometrics and Surveillance Camera Commissioner’s ‘Surveillance Camera Code of Practice’ 2021 and the Information Commissioner’s CCTV Code of Practice published in 2014, City of Wolverhampton Council commissioned Plass Solutions Ltd to undertake an independent evaluation of the Closed Circuit Television systems that are monitored in the dedicated Control Room.

Whilst the Information Commissioner’s CCTV Code of Practice and the Biometrics and Surveillance Camera Commissioner’s ‘Surveillance Camera Code of Practice’ mention that a review should be undertaken that assesses the effectiveness of the system, British Standards are specific in the criteria required to be covered by such an evaluation. However, the aforementioned Codes of Practice agree that the results of the evaluation should be publicly available.

The topics required to be covered by the British Standard are as follows:

- a description of the scheme and the geographical area(s) of operation the schemes policy statement
- the purpose and scope of the scheme
- any changes to the operation or management of the CCTV scheme
- any changes that have been made to the policy
- any proposals to expand or reduce the operation of the scheme
- the aims and objectives for the next 12 months.

The British Standard also requires the following information to be included within the review:

- the number of incidents recorded by the scheme
- the number of incidents reported to the police and where appropriate other bodies
- an assessment of the CCTV scheme’s impact on crime levels and types of crime in the area covered by the scheme.

As the City of Wolverhampton Council CCTV Control Room seeks continued accreditation to the above-mentioned British Standard, the following evaluation will focus on the content of that Standard as outlined above.

2.0 POLICY STATEMENT AND SCHEME DESCRIPTION

2.1 Closed Circuit Television

The scheme initially comprises of cameras located in specific external locations with control, monitoring and recording facilities at a dedicated location. A problem orientated process was utilised to assess the appropriateness of CCTV in the area subject of this evaluation. The cameras have therefore been sited to capture images that are relevant to the purposes for which the scheme has been established. The purposes of the CCTV scheme are outlined later in this report.

2.2 Ownership

The scheme is owned by City of Wolverhampton Council who is responsible for the management, administration and security of the system. City of Wolverhampton Council will ensure the protection of individuals and the public by complying with the Codes of Practice.

Should the public wish to make contact with the owners of the scheme they may write to:

Service Manager
City of Wolverhampton Council
Network Coordination
Urban Traffic Control
Civic Centre
St Peter's Square
Wolverhampton
WV1 1RP

The above contact point will be available to members of the public during office hours. Enquirers will be provided with the relevant documentation on request.

2.3 Policy Statement

To promote public confidence by developing a safe and secure environment for the benefit of those employed, visiting or using the area.

To inspire public confidence by ensuring that all public area Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) systems which are linked to the City of Wolverhampton Council CCTV Control Room are operated in a manner that will secure their consistent effectiveness and preserve the civil liberty of law-abiding citizens at all times.

3.0 THE PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF THE SCHEME

3.1 Purposes of the scheme

The main purpose of the CCTV scheme is to assist with Traffic Management in the areas covered by the surveillance systems, however, some cameras provide a secondary function concerning the prevention and detection of crime and prosecution of offenders.

The following are the objectives for which the above-mentioned CCTV system will assist:

- a) in the prevention and detection of offences
- b) reduce both the real and perceived level of crime
- c) reduce the fear of crime
- d) improve confidence in the rule of law
- e) assist in the apprehension and prosecution of offenders.
- f) gather evidence by a fair and accountable method
- g) create a safer community, improving the quality of life for all by:
 - reducing car crime in car parks
 - monitoring public disorder
 - monitoring the movement of people in emergency situations, e.g. evacuation
 - providing assistance with issues relating to public safety and health

3.2 Scope of the scheme

Some of the cameras have been sited to capture images which are relevant to the above purposes.

The scheme will be operated fairly, within the applicable law and only for the purposes for which it is established or which are subsequently agreed in accordance with the Code of Practice.

Operators are aware of the purpose(s) for which the scheme has been established and that the CCTV equipment is only used to achieve the identified purposes.

The scheme will be operated with due regard for the privacy of the individual.

Before cameras are placed in residential areas the residents in that area will be consulted concerning the proposed system. The results of the consultation will be taken into account

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The public interest in the operation of the scheme will be recognised by ensuring the security and integrity of operational procedures.

The system will only be operated by trained and authorised personnel.

An evaluation of the scheme will be made annually and this will be available to the public at specified locations.

City of Wolverhampton Council and partners support the individual's right to privacy and will insist that all agencies involved in the provision and use of Public CCTV systems connected to the City of Wolverhampton Council's CCTV Control Room accept this fundamental principle as being paramount.

The scheme aims to provide surveillance of the public areas in order to fulfil the purposes of the scheme. The area protected by CCTV is indicated by the presence of signs. The signs are placed so that the public are aware that they are entering a zone which is covered by surveillance equipment. The signs state the organisation responsible for the scheme, the purposes of the scheme and a contact telephone number. Data will not be held for longer than necessary and disposal of information will be regulated.

The scheme is registered with the Information Commissioner. The registration number is Z5569755. The scheme will be managed in accordance with the principles of the Data Protection Act 2018, Human Rights Act 1998 and all other relevant legislation and guidelines including the Surveillance Camera Code of Practice.

Reviews of Data Protection and Legal requirements are taken annually.

3.3 Personnel

All Council employees involved with the monitoring of CCTV have been security screened in accordance with British Standard 7858.

3.4 Training

All Council employees engaged in the monitoring and operation of CCTV have received training to the standards required by the Private Security Industry Act 2001. As a further requirement of the above Act all operators are licensed by the Security Industry Authority.

3.5 Operation of the scheme

The system is operated in accordance with a recognized Code of Practice and Procedural Manual.

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3.6 Audit

As mentioned in the introduction to this report the scheme is required to be independently monitored this includes a review of the scheme's operation and working practices.

An audit has been undertaken on 24th January 2025, prior to this evaluation report which considered the following:

- a) the level of attainment of objectives and procedures.

The level of attainment of objectives is covered in the main evaluation. The statistics relate to the 2024 period. Procedures are governed by the Code of Practice and Procedural Manual; these were reviewed and comply with relevant processes and legislation in particular the Data Protection Act 2018 and Human Rights Act 1998.

- b) random audits of the data log and the release of information

All administrative documentation, which incorporate the release of information and incident reports in connection with this scheme were examined and all appear to be completed in accordance with the Procedural Manual.

- c) the review policy

The review policy is outlined within the Code of Practice. Procedures are reviewed on an ongoing basis in order to comply with procedures and legislation.

- d) standard of costs for the release or viewing of material

The Information Commissioner states that requests are free of charge to the Data Subject. However, Wolverhampton Council may charge reasonable fees when responding to manifestly unfounded or excessive requests. There have been no Subject Access Requests during 2024. There were 15 Third Party requests and 11 processed.

- e) legislation

At the time of the above audit all legislative requirements appear compliant.

4.0 INCIDENT AND OFFENCE ANALYSIS

4.1 Statistical Analysis and Evaluation

In order to achieve meaningful evaluation, the CCTV cameras must be assessed against specific performance indicators which are relevant to the objectives of the scheme. This can be achieved by utilising baskets of indicators which are divided into the categories of Contextual, Key and Support Indicators.

4.2 Contextual Indicators

Contextual Indicators relate to the circumstances or background surrounding the particular initiative. In this case the principal purpose of the CCTV schemes are the prevention and detection of crime, the reduction of the fear of crime and apprehension of offenders. Both British Crime Statistics and Police Recorded crime statistics will provide the contextual indicators necessary for the analysis.

4.3 Key Indicators

Key Indicators are closely related to the actual objectives of the particular initiative and attempt to measure its effect. This will include the number and type of incidents monitored and recorded by the CCTV Control Room operators for each camera.

4.4 Support Indicators

As mentioned at the beginning of this section of the report, using a basket of performance indicators, assists in a more reliable conclusion. There is a fundamental danger in using a single indicator (crime related or not) to assess performance, as that indicator might be unreliable, in that it may fail to measure accurately what is being assessed or the data may be unrepresentative of the true position. For this reason, evaluation should be based wherever possible, on a group of indicators, commonly referred to as a 'basket' of indicators.

The key performance indicators in this project are the number of incidents recorded by the CCTV operators for each individual camera and the usage of each camera during an incident. Support Indicators are used to refute or verify the key indicators. These measurements will include the number of offences recorded at each location and the number of reviews of media undertaken by the police.

The viewing and subsequent copying/seizure of recorded images by police can act as an indicator to support or refute the effectiveness of the scheme in obtaining meaningful evidence. However, it is difficult, if not impossible to ascertain from police records whether the images viewed have been used as evidence to obtain a conviction at court, assisted in any other clearance process or been used for intelligence purposes. Whilst officers complete a log when they receive copy DVD's/CD's/USBs, the audit trail is difficult to trace from this point and this is the case with most CCTV schemes.

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During 2024 there were 223 reviews requested by the Police, resulting in 223 CD/DVD/USBs issued to the Police. This is an increase of 113 compared to the previous year. Generally, it would appear to indicate that the Police are finding the CCTV systems useful and this is a positive support indicator. 34 DVDs were issued to the Council's Information Governance / Data Protection teams. There were no requests under the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act (RIPA).

4.5 EVALUATION

4.5.1 British Crime Survey

The responsibility for the publication of crime statistics transferred from the Home Office to Office of National Statistics (ONS) in April 2012, with the year starting on 1st July and finishing on 30th June. The following information has been taken from the ONS website.

The latest figures from the Crime Survey for England and Wales (CSEW) showed that crime against individuals and households has generally decreased over the last 10 years with some notable exceptions, such as sexual assault.

The latest Crime Survey for England and Wales (CSEW) estimated 9.5 million incidents of headline crime (which includes theft, robbery, criminal damage, fraud, computer misuse, and violence with or without injury) in the survey year ending (YE) September 2024. This was 12% higher than last year's survey (8.5 million incidents in YE September 2023), mainly because of a 19% rise in fraud (to around 3.9 million incidents). This was similar to levels of fraud estimated in YE March 2020.

Experiences of domestic abuse, sexual assault, stalking and harassment among people aged 16 years and over are presented separately in our statistics as prevalence estimates (the proportion of all people who were victims in the previous 12 months). Over the last decade, there has been a gradual decrease in domestic abuse, but an increase in sexual assault. Latest estimates from the CSEW for YE September 2024 showed no statistically significant change in these experiences compared with YE March 2023, except for stalking:

- 4.5% of people aged 16 years and over had experienced domestic abuse in the last year (approximately 2.2 million victims).
- 2.8% (around 1.4 million people) had experienced stalking, a 0.6 percentage point decrease from 3.4% (1.6 million victims).
- 2.2% (approximately 1.0 million people) had experienced sexual assault.
- 9.0% had experienced some form of harassment (around 4.4 million people; this estimate is not comparable with the previous year).

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Although police recorded crime does not tend to be a good indicator of general trends in crime, it can give more insight into lower-volume, but higher-harm offences, reported to the police, including those that the survey does not cover or capture well. Data for YE September 2024 showed that:

- The number of homicides decreased by 4% (to 550 offences) compared with YE September 2023 (572 offences).
- Offences involving knives or sharp instruments increased by 4% (to 55,008 offences) compared with YE September 2023 (52,969 offences).
- Offences involving firearms decreased by 17% (to 5,372 offences) compared with YE September 2023 (6,499 offences).
- Robbery increased by 4% (to 82,347 offences) in comparison with YE September 2023 (78,865 offences).
- Shoplifting offences rose by 23% (to 492,914 offences) compared with the previous year (402,220 offences) and is the highest figure since current police recording practices began for the year ending March 2003.

Since the mid-1990s, the CSEW has shown long-term decreases in violence with and without injury, theft offences and criminal damage. Fraud and computer misuse estimates are only available from year ending (YE) March 2017 onwards. While fraud levels have fluctuated over this time period, there has been a decrease in computer misuse.

The headline CSEW crime measure captures theft offences, robbery, criminal damage, fraud, computer misuse, and violence with or without injury. There were an estimated 9.5 million incidents of CSEW headline crime in YE September 2024, a 12% increase compared with YE September 2023 (8.5 million incidents), mainly because of a 19% rise in fraud (to around 3.9 million incidents).

Providing context from a longer time period, CSEW headline crime remains lower than in the YE March 2017 survey (11.2 million incidents), when fraud and computer misuse were first included.

Police recorded crime covers more offences than the CSEW. It includes crimes against all people (including those aged under 16 years and those not permanently resident in households), businesses and organisations, and society (such as drug and weapons possession), that come to the attention of the police. Trends in police recorded crime are affected by improvements to recording practices and variations in police activity. These effects are more pronounced for some crime types.

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In YE September 2024, police recorded 6.7 million crimes, which is the same as in the previous year. This is up from 4 million in YE March 2014. However, while increases over the last decade may include some genuine changes in trends in crimes that are reported to, and recorded by, the police, it will also be because of changes in police activity and recording practices. It therefore should not be used to say that overall crime has increased.

Although police recorded crime does not tend to be a good indicator of general trends in crime, it can give more insight into lower-volume, but higher-harm offences reported to the police, including those that the survey does not cover or capture well. This includes homicide, offences involving weapons, and robbery.

Further information on crime in England and Wales can be found on www.ons.gov.uk/peoplepopulationandcommunity/crimeandjustice/bulletins/crimeinenglandandwales/yearendingseptember2024

4.5.2 West Midlands Police crime and offence statistics.

As previously mentioned, contextual performance indicators are closely related to the background and environment of the particular initiative, it is therefore advantageous to examine the context in which the cameras operate. This will include the total crime for the police area. There is an argument that the number of recorded offences would be reflected in the levels of incidents created by the CCTV operators.

During 2020 the recorded crime has increased by 7.5%. There was an increase in Public Order (+41%), Anti-Social Behaviour (+40%), Violence (+25%), Other Crime (+25%), Weapons (+8%) and Drugs (+3%). Decreases were recorded in Theft from a Person (-33%), Shoplifting (-30%), Burglary (-22%), Robbery (-22%), Other Theft (-21%), Vehicle (-19%), Criminal Damage/Arson (-14%) and Bike Theft (-9%).

During 2021 the recorded crime had increased by 22%. There was an increase in Public Order (+66%), Weapons (+61%), Violence (+49%), Criminal Damage/Arson (+48%), Other Crime (+41%), Drugs (+24%), Other Theft (+7%), Bike Theft (+4%) and Robbery (+1%). Decreases were recorded in Burglary (-19%), Anti-Social Behaviour (-16%), Vehicle (-5%), Theft from a Person (-3%) and Shoplifting (-3%).

During 2022 the recorded crime had increased by 8%. There was an increase in Other Crime (+1043%), Shoplifting (+42%), Drugs (+29%). Public Order (+29%), Violence and Sexual (+19%), Criminal Damage/Arson (+13%), Vehicle (+2%) and Bike Theft (0%). Decreases were recorded in Other Theft (-14%), Weapons (-21%), Burglary (-36%), Robbery (-40%), Anti-Social Behaviour (-66%) and Theft from a Person (-67%).

During 2023 the recorded crime has decreased by 5%. There was an increase in Shoplifting (+45%), Anti-Social Behaviour (+17%), Robbery (+7%). Decreases were recorded in Drugs (-3%), Other Crime (-3%), Weapons (-4%), Burglary (-5%), Other Theft (-5%), Vehicle (-7%), Criminal Damage/Arson (-7%), Violence and Sexual (-9%), Bike Theft (-12%), Theft from a Person (-14%), and Public Order (-24%).

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During 2024 the recorded crime has decreased by 6%. There was an increase in Shoplifting (+30%), Anti-Social Behaviour (+16%), Other Crime (+12%), Drugs (+2%). Decreases were recorded in Theft from a Person (-26%), Public Order (-23%), Burglary (-16%), Robbery (-16%), Vehicle (-11%), Bike Theft (-11%), Violence and Sexual (-10%), Other Theft (-10%), Criminal Damage/Arson (-7%) and Weapons (-6%).

4.6 Key Indicators

4.6.1 Analysis of Recorded Crime Levels

The following is an analysis of recorded Police crime in the schemes owned and/or monitored by City of Wolverhampton Council. It was also not possible to draw down to the exact location of where the cameras are located. Since the last evaluation the Police has changed some of its Neighbourhood areas. The figures below are therefore based on the new 'Neighbourhoods' of where the cameras are located.

Wolverhampton City Centre / Wolverhampton West
(Neighbourhood remains unchanged)

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	275	132	161	211	343
Bicycle Theft	52	31	58	63	69
Burglary	54	36	166	77	90
Criminal damage	103	70	202	144	146
Drugs	39	14	154	182	153
Other Crime	18	9	37	37	39
Other Theft	93	60	193	169	180
Possession of Weapons	19	10	89	74	73
Public Order	173	164	386	330	212
Robbery	36	25	111	86	62
Shoplifting	340	135	485	578	437
Theft from a Person	60	37	103	74	83
Vehicle	67	27	69	126	125
Violence and Sexual	525	388	1216	1057	880
Total	1854	1138	3430	3208	2892

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Neighbourhood of 'Bilston' no longer exists, see Bilston and East Park

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023
Anti-Social Behaviour	33	251	206	267
Bicycle Theft	0	21	42	40
Burglary	6	107	241	172
Criminal damage	11	206	414	395
Drugs	3	32	43	54
Other Crime	2	58	104	100
Other Theft	7	160	331	342
Possession of Weapons	2	20	66	74
Public Order	4	222	408	332
Robbery	4	23	76	60
Shoplifting	52	75	154	293
Theft from a Person	4	12	36	36
Vehicle	15	187	406	382
Violence and Sexual	34	1117	1906	1785
Total	177	2491	4433	4332

Bilston and East Park

Offence	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	487
Bicycle Theft	66
Burglary	285
Criminal damage	510
Drugs	75
Other Crime	153
Other Theft	346
Possession of Weapons	93
Public Order	368
Robbery	84
Shoplifting	560
Theft from a Person	39
Vehicle	524
Violence and Sexual	2202
Total	5792

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West Park (St Peter's Park and Graiseley)
Neighbourhood remains unchanged

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	10	374	299	324	415
Bicycle Theft	0	32	46	43	33
Burglary	6	136	396	260	201
Criminal damage	3	229	415	395	341
Drugs	2	47	140	138	100
Other Crime	2	66	95	114	103
Other Theft	2	157	327	287	279
Possession of Weapons	0	40	110	114	91
Public Order	1	283	533	396	229
Robbery	4	65	119	146	84
Shoplifting	0	98	136	93	258
Theft from a Person	1	28	64	41	46
Vehicle	12	211	435	407	483
Violence and Sexual	45	1671	2827	2375	2035
Total	86	3437	5942	5133	4698

Neighbourhood of Wolverhampton East (Heath Town and East Park) no longer exists, see
Wednesfield and Heath Town

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023
Anti-Social Behaviour	73	319	283	296
Bicycle Theft	6	28	30	61
Burglary	21	104	222	232
Criminal damage	38	203	412	389
Drugs	6	47	132	99
Other Crime	7	65	89	82
Other Theft	24	171	340	330
Possession of Weapons	6	41	84	103
Public Order	57	295	507	353
Robbery	11	43	83	93
Shoplifting	43	52	130	312
Theft from a Person	2	17	32	31
Vehicle	46	164	387	497
Violence and Sexual	189	1424	2507	2179
Total	529	2973	5238	5057

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Wednesfield and Heath Town

Offence	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	486
Bicycle Theft	56
Burglary	185
Criminal damage	436
Drugs	106
Other Crime	117
Other Theft	328
Possession of Weapons	122
Public Order	350
Robbery	138
Shoplifting	571
Theft from a Person	45
Vehicle	480
Violence and Sexual	2240
Total	5660

Neighbourhood of Wolverhampton North (Fallings Park, Bushbury, Low Hill and Oxley) no longer exists, see Fallings Park, Bushbury and Low Hill

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023
Anti-Social Behaviour	52	458	320	433
Bicycle Theft	2	26	44	32
Burglary	10	175	317	271
Criminal damage	11	284	576	557
Drugs	4	64	96	105
Other Crime	5	90	102	154
Other Theft	13	175	396	399
Possession of Weapons	4	61	92	110
Public Order	20	313	520	363
Robbery	4	36	83	71
Shoplifting	50	125	253	703
Theft from a Person	4	26	22	24
Vehicle	12	229	416	467
Violence and Sexual	96	1797	3102	2712
Total	287	3859	6339	6401

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Fallings Park, Bushbury and Low Hill

Offence	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	378
Bicycle Theft	22
Burglary	206
Criminal damage	386
Drugs	64
Other Crime	131
Other Theft	288
Possession of Weapons	77
Public Order	205
Robbery	56
Shoplifting	605
Theft from a Person	21
Vehicle	378
Violence and Sexual	1731
Total	4548

Neighbourhood of Wednesfield (Wednesfield North and South) no longer exists, see
Wednesfield and Heath Town

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023
Anti-Social Behaviour	26	154	114	167
Bicycle Theft	2	14	14	19
Burglary	10	75	180	115
Criminal damage	13	101	240	245
Drugs	1	22	29	32
Other Crime	1	37	63	61
Other Theft	3	99	230	140
Possession of Weapons	1	25	46	57
Public Order	17	135	263	181
Robbery	1	20	53	42
Shoplifting	4	127	284	251
Theft from a Person	1	18	11	14
Vehicle	3	116	308	312
Violence and Sexual	43	701	1370	1160
Total	126	1644	3205	2796

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Wolverhampton South East (Ettingshall, Blakenhall and Spring Vale)
Neighbourhood remains unchanged

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	6	315	188	200	330
Bicycle Theft	0	9	30	20	11
Burglary	3	165	317	250	193
Criminal damage	3	290	396	350	390
Drugs	1	52	68	89	105
Other Crime	3	81	121	111	97
Other Theft	2	138	278	270	256
Possession of Weapons	1	53	77	75	88
Public Order	6	284	506	309	256
Robbery	1	49	82	77	75
Shoplifting	3	99	192	351	269
Theft from a Person	2	22	15	24	22
Vehicle	2	265	499	496	467
Violence and Sexual	7	1562	2598	2208	2062
Total	40	3384	5367	4830	4621

Neighbourhood of Wolverhampton South West (Tettenhall, Penn and Merry Hill) no longer exists, see Tettenhall, Penn, Merry Hill and Oxley

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023
Anti-Social Behaviour	18	192	181	142
Bicycle Theft	5	8	19	14
Burglary	12	78	216	152
Criminal damage	10	148	259	227
Drugs	3	29	31	62
Other Crime	1	40	87	66
Other Theft	4	82	215	184
Possession of Weapons	1	9	52	43
Public Order	9	178	341	198
Robbery	3	13	38	25
Shoplifting	1	24	63	82
Theft from a Person	0	12	15	9
Vehicle	10	229	408	327
Violence and Sexual	49	941	1711	1471
Total	126	1983	3636	3002

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Tettenhall, Penn, Merry Hill and Oxley

Offence	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	231
Bicycle Theft	8
Burglary	221
Criminal damage	234
Drugs	44
Other Crime	99
Other Theft	211
Possession of Weapons	55
Public Order	199
Robbery	50
Shoplifting	582
Theft from a Person	18
Vehicle	339
Violence and Sexual	1804
Total	4095

Walsall

Neighbourhood remains unchanged

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	172	1877	1436	1859	2502
Bicycle Theft	6	83	98	104	100
Burglary	43	741	1418	1362	988
Criminal damage	46	1156	2057	1957	1859
Drugs	16	238	387	383	546
Other Crime	8	297	496	436	468
Other Theft	44	788	1795	1604	1300
Possession of Weapons	13	205	424	425	405
Public Order	77	1432	2166	1537	1320
Robbery	12	258	409	458	415
Shoplifting	133	401	1077	1453	2674
Theft from a Person	7	74	179	170	166
Vehicle	66	1330	2972	2519	1817
Violence and Sexual	263	6517	10228	9228	8685
Total	906	15397	25142	23495	23245

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Oldbury
Neighbourhood remains unchanged

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	1	434	377	438	474
Bicycle Theft	0	19	10	23	13
Burglary	0	149	333	341	271
Criminal damage	1	267	431	512	434
Drugs	0	89	110	98	109
Other Crime	0	82	127	113	129
Other Theft	0	161	364	344	354
Possession of Weapons	0	38	125	127	116
Public Order	0	359	645	517	381
Robbery	1	62	125	152	152
Shoplifting	0	87	243	509	489
Theft from a Person	0	13	30	36	30
Vehicle	0	372	721	584	559
Violence and Sexual	1	1709	2778	2657	2464
Total	4	3841	6419	6451	5975

GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL LOCATIONS

Offence	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	666	4506	3565	4337	5646
Bicycle Theft	73	271	391	419	378
Burglary	165	1766	3806	3232	2640
Criminal damage	239	2954	5402	5171	4736
Drugs	75	634	1190	1242	1302
Other Crime	47	825	1321	1274	1336
Other Theft	192	1991	4469	4069	3542
Possession of Weapons	47	502	1165	1202	1120
Public Order	364	3665	6275	4516	3520
Robbery	77	594	1179	1210	1116
Shoplifting	626	1223	3017	4625	6445
Theft from a Person	81	259	507	459	470
Vehicle	173	3130	6621	6117	5172
Violence and Sexual	1252	17827	30243	26832	24103
Total	4135	40147	69151	64705	61526

During 2023 there were 64,705 crimes and offences recorded for the area covered by the surveillance cameras, this has decreased to 61,526 offences in 2024. It should also be noted that the 2020 statistics and before do not include the Dudley region and in 2021 the data on the Police website covered January to May only. The most prominent offences were for Violence and this was followed by Shoplifting. Bilston and East Park Neighbourhood recorded the most offences in the City of Wolverhampton.

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The above table was compiled using statistics retrieved from the online crime mapping software and therefore must be regarded with some caution, however, it will provide the reader with an overview of current levels of offending.

The type of crimes that CCTV will address are not totally random or isolated events but combine into sets with common features. Such crimes will show patterns and form clusters, these will include times and dates or focus on particular types of property or victims and are committed by a range of methods.

4.6.2 Recorded Incidents by CCTV operators

As previously mentioned, the primary purpose of the CCTV system is the monitoring of the highways and traffic flow. It is not usual that operators would proactively monitor for incidents involving crime prevention and detection. The only auditable indication that the system is used for the detection of criminal acts, are when the police request to view footage following a suspected incident and are required to complete a viewing request form.

During 2020 there were 91 review reports completed compared to 105 in 2019. This is a decrease of 13.3% over the previous period. During 2021 there were 125 review reports completed compared to 91 in 2020. This was an increase of 37.4% over the previous period. During 2022 there were 141 review reports completed compared to 125 in 2021. This was an increase of 12.8% over the previous period. During 2023 there were 126 review reports completed compared to 141 in 2022. This was a decrease of 10.6% over the previous period. In 2024 there were 273 review reports completed compared to 126 in 2023. This is an increase of 116.7% over the previous period.

The following table depicts the number and categories of recorded incidents captured by the system using the cameras at the identified locations for the 2020 to 2024 periods. The predominant type of incidents were as follows:

Incident	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Anti-Social Behaviour	1	1	1	1	0
Arson	0	0	0	1	0
Assault	7	23	33	14	20
Attempted burglary	0	0	0	2	0
Attempted murder	0	0	0	4	14
Attempted rape	0	0	0	0	1
Attempted robbery	0	0	0	0	3
Attempted suicide	0	0	0	0	2
Attempted theft	0	0	0	0	2
Breach	1	1	1	0	0
Burglary	1	3	13	10	21
Child Abuse	1	0	0	0	0
Criminal Damage	0	1	0	5	3
Domestic Violence	0	1	1	1	0

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Driving Offence	0	0	4	0	0
Drugs	0	0	0	1	1
Firearms Offences	4	0	0	2	3
Force Surveillance	0	0	0	0	1
Harassment/intimidation	0	0	0	1	4
Hit and run	0	0	0	0	1
Indecent exposure	0	0	0	1	2
Kidnap	2	4	0	4	8
Knife Crime	0	1	1	1	6
Murder	4	4	6	14	14
Public order	1	2	1	1	2
Other	18	23	12	2	38
Racial Offences	0	1	0	0	0
Rape	1	1	3	3	3
Road Traffic	22	16	78	154	33
Robbery	11	18	25	20	44
Sexual Assault	2	4	2	3	5
Stalking	0	0	0	0	1
Suicide	0	1	0	0	0
Suspicious Behaviour/Incident	1	2	0	0	0
Suspicious death	0	0	0	1	0
Theft	13	6	9	5	16
Vehicle Crime	2	2	3	8	25
Violent Disorder	0	8	2	2	3
Weapons	0	2	2	0	2
Total	92	125	197	261	278

The category of 'robbery' and 'road traffic' are the most prominent type of incident recorded for 2024; previously it was 'road traffic' and 'robbery'.

4.6.3 Camera Usage

All systems must comply with the Information Commissioner's CCTV Code of Practice, which are based on the requirements of the Data Protection Act 2018 and Human Rights Act 1998. The following extracts are amongst the requirements:

"You should review regularly whether the use of CCTV continues to be justified. You will have to renew your notification yearly, so this would be an appropriate time to consider the ongoing use of CCTV".

The document further asserts;

"...there should be a periodic review (at least annually) of the system's effectiveness to ensure that it is still doing what it was intended to do. If it does not achieve its purpose, it should be stopped or modified."

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In order to comply with the last requirement, it is necessary to focus on individual camera usage and the following section provides some information which may assist.

During the monitoring of an incident, it is normal practice to use a number of cameras and therefore the following analysis will have no resemblance to the actual number of incidents, shown in the previous table. However, it will provide an indication of the usefulness of each camera to the overall system when dealing with incidents.

Due to the main requirement for the cameras being traffic management, the data for the following table was extracted from the 'CCTV Evidence Record' sheet. As most of the cameras have a vital role in the monitoring of the highways, the cameras will not therefore be subject to further investigation if incidents are negligible.

Cam No	Use 2020	Use 2021	Use 2022	Use 2023	Use 2024
1	1	7	4	5	6
2	3	4	10	6	2
3	5	9	8	6	6
4	0	7	11	3	8
5	2	2	6	0	3
6	8	5	4	1	5
7	5	3	9	4	4
8	4	2	9	5	1
9	5	1	4	7	5
10	3	4	2	2	3
11	2	3	0	1	13
12	2	2	3	0	6
13	1	1	6	1	3
14	2	1	1	1	2
15	2	1	1	0	1
16	3	2	1	0	2
17	1	2	0	3	4
18	1	3	1	4	6
19	0	2	4	2	2
20	0	0	0	0	1
21	0	0	0	0	4
22	0	0	0	0	0
23	0	0	0	0	3
24	0	0	0	0	2
25	2	2	3	4	9
26	0	0	0	1	5
27	2	5	5	1	3

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28	1	1	1	3	4
29	3	1	0	1	3
30	5	7	16	6	13
31	5	6	6	1	7
32	3	1	0	2	2
33	4	4	2	1	6
34	8	11	8	9	10
35	4	2	1	1	5
36	4	2	3	4	3
37	8	8	7	7	5
37A	0	0	0	0	0
38	0	0	1	5	3
39	0	0	4	4	3
40	9	13	8	7	8
41	10	17	14	12	12
42	5	5	4	2	6
43	3	16	13	12	11
44	3	1	5	2	4
47	0	0	0	0	1
48	1	0	1	1	0
49	0	1	0	2	0
50	0	1	3	1	0
51	0	1	3	3	2
52	0	0	2	1	2
53	0	0	1	1	2
54	0	1	4	2	8
55	3	0	2	2	7
56	6	15	12	9	9
57	2	0	0	1	4
58	1	0	1	1	4
59	1	0	1	2	7
60	0	1	2	1	5
61	0	0	1	1	2
62	0	0	5	2	3
63	0	0	3	0	5
64	0	1	3	0	11
65	0	1	3	1	8
66	2	0	4	0	2
67	2	1	5	2	3
68	3	1	0	3	3
69	1	3	5	1	2

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70	1	6	0	1	7
71	1	6	0	1	1
72	1	5	0	3	3
73	1	3	0	1	1
74	1	3	0	1	3
75	1	3	2	2	2
76	1	5	0	1	3
77	1	6	1	1	2
78	2	2	2	4	4
79	7	5	1	3	4
80	4	5	1	5	5
81	2	2	1	2	8
82	0	0	0	0	2
83	1	1	0	0	1
84	2	0	2	1	2
87	0	0	0	0	3
89	0	0	0	0	0
90	0	0	0	0	0
91	0	0	0	0	0
92	0	2	1	0	2
93	1	1	3	1	3
94	1	2	0	1	1
96	0	0	0	0	0
97	0	0	0	0	0
98	0	0	0	0	0
99	1	0	2	0	2
100	1	6	2	2	1
101	0	0	0	1	0
105	1	2	1	0	2
106	2	1	4	4	3
107	1	3	4	7	6
108	2	4	6	3	6
109	3	1	2	2	2
110	3	7	2	2	8
112	1	0	2	1	5
113	0	0	5	2	2
114	0	0	3	2	3
115	0	2	1	0	2
116	0	0	0	0	1
117	0	3	0	3	4
118	0	3	0	3	4

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119	0	5	0	4	6
120	0	0	0	1	2
121	1	0	1	1	0
122	1	0	5	1	8
123	0	0	2	0	3
124	0	0	1	1	3
125	1	0	15	1	1
126	0	0	4	1	2
127	0	1	2	0	1
128	1	0	0	0	4
129	0	0	0	1	0
130	0	0	0	0	0
131	0	0	0	0	0
132	0	0	0	0	1
133	0	0	0	1	1
134	0	0	0	2	3
135	0	0	0	0	1
138	0	0	0	1	3
139	0	1	6	1	4
141	0	1	0	0	2
144	1	1	0	0	4
145	1	0	4	2	2
146	0	0	0	1	1
147	1	0	0	0	0
148	0	0	1	0	2
149	0	0	0	0	0
150	0	0	0	0	1
153	0	0	0	0	2
154	0	0	0	0	2
155	0	0	0	0	0
156	0	2	1	0	1
157	0	0	0	0	0
158	0	0	0	0	2
159	0	3	4	5	1
160	0	3	5	2	3
161	0	0	1	1	1
162	0	0	0	1	3
163	0	0	0	0	4
164	0	0	0	0	0
165	0	0	0	0	0
166	0	0	0	1	0

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168	0	1	1	0	1
169	0	0	0	0	1
170	0	0	0	0	2
171	0	0	2	1	0
172	0	0	1	2	2
173	0	0	1	3	3
174	0	0	0	0	2
175	0	0	0	0	9
176	0	0	0	1	6
177	0	0	1	1	2
178	0	0	0	1	1
179	0	0	0	1	1
180	0	0	0	1	1
181	0	0	0	0	1
182	0	0	0	0	2
183	0	0	0	0	0
184	0	0	0	0	0
185	0	0	0	0	2
186	0	0	0	0	3
187	0	0	0	1	4
188	0	0	0	0	1
189	0	0	0	0	0
190	0	0	0	0	2
192	0	0	0	0	0
197	0	0	0	0	1
198	0	0	0	2	2
200	0	0	0	1	4
201	0	0	0	2	4
202	0	0	0	1	1
203	0	0	0	0	0
204	0	0	0	0	3
205	0	0	0	0	2
206	0	0	0	2	4
207	0	0	0	0	0
208	0	0	0	0	3
209	0	0	1	1	4
210	0	0	0	2	2
211	0	0	0	1	2
212	0	0	0	0	4
213	0	0	0	1	3
214	0	0	0	1	0

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215	0	0	0	2	4
216	0	0	1	0	2
217	0	0	1	1	0
218	0	0	0	1	4
219	0	0	0	0	1
220	0	0	0	2	4
221	0	0	0	0	2
222	0	0	0	0	2
223	0	0	0	0	2
224	0	0	0	0	2
225	0	0	0	0	0
226	0	0	0	1	1
227	0	0	0	1	1
228	0	0	0	1	0
229	0	0	0	0	1
230	0	0	0	0	0
231	0	0	0	1	0
232	0	0	0	0	0
233	0	0	0	0	2
234	0	0	0	0	0
235	0	0	0	0	2
236	0	0	0	1	0
237	0	0	0	0	0
238	0	0	0	1	2
239	0	0	0	1	0
240	0	0	0	1	5
241	0	0	0	0	2
244	0	0	0	0	1
245	0	0	0	0	0
246	0	0	0	0	0
247	0	0	0	0	0
248	0	0	0	0	0
249	0	0	0	0	0
250	0	0	0	0	0
251	0	0	0	0	0
252	0	0	0	0	0
253	0	0	0	0	0
254	0	0	0	0	0
256	0	0	0	0	0
257	0	0	0	0	0
258	0	0	0	0	0

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259	0	0	0	0	0
260	0	0	0	0	0
261	0	0	0	0	0
262	0	0	0	0	0
263	0	0	0	0	0
264	0	0	0	0	0
265	0	0	0	0	0
266	0	0	0	0	0
267	0	0	0	0	0
268	0	0	0	0	0
269	0	0	0	0	0
418	0	0	0	1	0
420	0	0	0	3	7
421	0	0	0	2	5
422	0	0	0	1	5

There is a total of 247 functional cameras (plus 36 redeployables) monitored by the CCTV Control Room which are the responsibility of City of Wolverhampton Council, compared with 220 in the previous period. xxx

During 2020, there were 209 occasions that the cameras were used, this is an average of 1 use per camera. During 2021, there were 297 occasions that the cameras were used, this was an average of 2 uses per camera. During 2022, there were 356 occasions that the cameras were used, this was an average of 2 uses per camera. During 2023, there were 312 occasions that the cameras were used, this was an average of 1 use per camera. In 2024, there were 628 occasions that the cameras were used, this is an average of 3 uses per camera.

In 2020, taking the average was 1 use for each camera and once again those cameras registering less than 1 usage were considered 'at risk'. In 2020 there were 84 cameras used less than 1 occasion compared to 89 during 2019.

In 2021, taking the average was 1 use for each camera and once again those cameras registering less than 1 usage were considered 'at risk'. In 2021 there were 85 cameras used less than 1 occasion compared to 84 during 2020.

In 2022, taking the average was 1 use for each camera and once again those cameras registering less than 1 usage were considered 'at risk'. In 2022 there were 76 cameras used less than 1 occasion compared to 85 during 2021.

In 2023, taking the average was 1 use for each camera and once again those cameras registering less than 1 usage were considered 'at risk'. In 2023 there were 68 cameras used less than 1 occasion compared to 76 during 2022.

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In 2024, taking the average was 3 uses for each camera and once again those cameras registering less than 2 usages were considered 'at risk'. In 2024 there were 99 cameras used less than 2 occasions compared to 68 during 2023.

It is worth reiterating that the primary purpose of most of the cameras is for Highways and traffic monitoring and for this reason the cameras serve a specific purpose, however, they operate within public space and the reasons for installation require regular justification. This does not mean that the 'at risk cameras' should automatically be de-commissioned, as further investigation should be made.

A formal process is required in order to ensure that all avenues, such as consultation, cost implications etcetera, are undertaken prior to any decisions, as this will avoid problems that have previously been experienced by other Local Authorities.

4.6.5 Complaints

A member of the public wishing to make a complaint about the system may do so through City of Wolverhampton Council's complaint procedure. A copy of the complaint procedure is available by writing to:

Service Manager
City of Wolverhampton Council
Network Coordination
Urban Traffic Control
Civic Centre
St Peter's Square
Wolverhampton
WV1 1RP

A complaints procedure has been documented. A record of the number of complaints or enquiries received will be maintained together with an outline of the action taken.

During the period of evaluation there were no complaints recorded concerning the schemes in question.

5.0 CONCLUSION

5.1 Introduction

The evaluation subject of this report, focuses on the 247 operational public space Closed Circuit Television surveillance cameras (plus 36 redeployables) installed, owned, managed and operated by City of Wolverhampton Council.

As an important part of the process an analysis was undertaken of the number and type of incidents captured by the surveillance system, this being viewed as a key performance indicator, especially for the cameras used during crime prevention and detection activities.

As previously mentioned, the primary purpose of the CCTV system is the monitoring of the highways and traffic management. It is not usual that operators would pro-actively monitor for incidents involving crime prevention and detection. The only auditable indication that the system is used for the detection of criminal acts, are when the police request to view footage following a suspected incident and are required to complete a viewing request form.

During 2024 there were 61,526 crimes and offences recorded for the Neighbourhood areas where the surveillance cameras are located. The most prominent offences were for violence and shoplifting and this was followed by vehicle offences.

It is necessary to be able to justify the existence of each camera which forms part of the CCTV scheme. As previously mentioned, it is only when the police request footage of an incident that camera usage is investigated. It should be explained that during an incident, it is normal practice that a number of cameras may capture a part of an incident and therefore the analysis will have no resemblance to the actual number of incidents. However, it will provide an indication of the usefulness of each camera to the overall system when dealing with incidents.

As mentioned previously there were a total of 220 operational cameras in 2023 and these were used on 312 occasions; this was an average of 1 use per camera. In 2024, there are a total of 247 cameras and these were used on 628 occasions; this is an average of 3 uses per camera.

Using a formulae employed by a number of Local Authorities, all cameras with less than 2 recorded usages, this being half the average, would be regarded as being 'at risk' of further consideration. The process indicated that during 2024 there were 99 City of Wolverhampton Council cameras below half the average compared with 68 cameras in 2023. As the cameras are used for the additional and primary function of Traffic Management it would not be feasible to consider removal of the cameras unless the primary use was in question also.

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Whilst it is not possible to make an assumption that the CCTV system is effective in the prevention and detection of crime, it is a component part of the preventative package. To remove or modify the use of the CCTV system may also detract from the further identified purposes.

It is a recommendation that the City of Wolverhampton Council CCTV systems continue to be evaluated on an annual basis. This will ensure future compliance with the British Standard, which is assessed each year; it will also provide compliance with legislation and the Biometrics and Surveillance Camera Commissioner's 'Surveillance Camera Code of Practice'.

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Appendix 'A'

Cam No	Location	Cam No	Location
1	Ring Road / Waterloo Road - Wolverhampton	144	Wednesfield Way / Neachells Lane
2	Stafford St / Ring Rd St Peters - Wolverhampton	145	Cannock Rd / Raynor Rd - Wolverhampton
3	Broad St / Ring Road St Patricks - Wolverhampton	146	Lichfield Road / Salters Rd - Walsall
4	Bilston St Island / Ring Rd St Davids - W'ton	147	Lichfield Rd/Shire Oak/Chester Rd Brownhills
5	Birmingham Rd / Dudley Rd - Wolverhampton	148	Snyed Ln/Sand Bank/Robert Peel, Bloxwich
6	Penn Road / Penn Road Island - Wolverhampton	149	BCR / Keyway Island
7	Ring Road / Chapel Ash island - Wolverhampton	150	Snyed Ln/ Mossley Ln, Bloxwich
8	Chapel Ash/Tettenhall Rd/Compton Rd - W'ton	153	Littleton Street / Hatherton St - Walsall
9	Stafford Road / 5 Ways Island - Wolverhampton	154	Wolverhampton Rd/Pargetter St - Walsall
10	Willenhall Rd / Moseley Rd - Wolverhampton	155	New Swan Ln - Metro Crossing - West Brom
11	Wolverhampton Rd/Deans Rd - Wolverhampton	156	Lakefield Rd / Meadow Green - Wednesfield
12	Parkfield Rd/B'ham New Rd/Thompson Ave W'ton	157	Molineux Car Park
13	Birmingham New Rd/Black Country Route W'ton	158	Molineux Car Park
14	Bilston Road / Steelhouse Lane - Wolverhampton	159	Princess St / Queen St - Wolverhampton
15	Bilston Rd / Chillington St - Wolverhampton	160	Princess St / King St - Wolverhampton
16	Ettingshall road / Bilston Road - Wolverhampton	161	Lichfield Street / Melish Road - Walsall
17	Bilston Rd/Nr Tram Car Park Entrance – W'ton	162	Walsall Street Car Park / Car Park - Bilston
18	Wellington Rd/Wolverhampton St – W'ton	163	Mountford Lane Car Park
19	Wellington Road / Prouds Lane - Wolverhampton	164	Woodhouse Fold Car Park
20	Waterloo Rd / Newhampton Rd - Wolverhampton	165	Alfred Squire Car Park West
21	Lower Stafford St / Cannock Rd - Wolverhampton	166	Alfred Squire Car Park South
22	Merridale Rd / Oak St - Wolverhampton	168	Stafford Rd/Bloxwich High St - Bloxwich
23	Horseley Fields / Middle Cross - Wolverhampton	169	Bloxwich High St/Victoria Ave - Bloxwich
24	Birmingham Rd/Grove St/Cartwright St – W'ton	170	Elmore Green Rd/Bloxwich High St Bloxwich
25	High St / Coseley Road Island - Wolverhampton	171	Compton Rd / Clark Rd
26	Bilston Bus Station/Black Country Route	172	Faulkland St Car Park LC2
27	High Street / Nr Church St - Bilston	173	Faulkland St Car Park LC12
28	Lichfield street / Church Street - Wolverhampton	174	West Bromwich Rd / Walstead Rd
29	Tettenhall Road / Albert Road - Wolverhampton	175	Willenhall Rd / Deans Rd
30	Lichfield St / Princess Square - Wolverhampton	176	Willenhall Rd RS Roundabout LC10
31	Lichfield St / Princess Square - Wolverhampton	177	Tettenhall Rd / Albert Rd -2
32	School Street / Salop Street - Wolverhampton	178	Broadway / Arboretum
33	Victoria Street / Skinner Street - Wolverhampton	179	Pleck Rd / Rollingmill St
34	Queen Square / Victoria Street - Wolverhampton	180	Wednesbury Rd / Bescot Rd
35	Worcester St / Temple Street - Wolverhampton	181	Bescot Rd/M6 J9
36	Temple Street / Snowhill - Wolverhampton	182	Wallows Lane / Dickenson Drive
37	Pipers Row / Queens Street - Wolverhampton	183	Broadway / Bescot Crescent

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37A	Pipers Row / Queen Street - Wolverhampton	184	Broadway / West Bromwich Rd
38	North Street / Mitre Fold - Wolverhampton	185	Broadway / Uni Access
39	Peel Street / Pitt Street - Wolverhampton	186	Broadway / Birmingham Rd Island
40	Bilston Street / Dudley Street - Wolverhampton	187	Broadway North / Nr Sutton Rd
41	Queens Square - Wolverhampton	188	Birmingham Rd / Bell lane (Bell pub)
42	Thornley Street / Broad Street - Wolverhampton	189	Birmingham Rd / Bus Gate
43	Queen Street / Market Street - Wolverhampton	190	Wednesbury Rd / Corporation St
44	Ring Rd St Georges / Snowhill - Wolverhampton	192	Lichfield Rd / Daw End Lane
47	Penn Road near Manor Road - Wolverhampton	193	Lichfield Rd / Pelsall Lane
48	Bushbury Lane / Stafford Road - Wolverhampton	194	Lichfield Rd / Spring Rd
49	Stockwell Rd / Tettenhall Pool Car Park – W'ton	197	Green Lane / Hospital St
50	Alfred Squire Rd/Woodhouse Fold Car Park – W'ton	198	Harden Rd / Bloxwich Lane
51	Lichfield Rd/High St/Neachells Lane - Wednesfield	200	Bilston St / Pipers Row
52	Alfred Squire Road / March End Rd - Wednesfield	201	Shepwell Green / W'ton Rd West
53	Nicholls Fold / Woodhouse Fold - Wednesfield	202	Walsall Rd / Clarkes Lane
54	High Street / Church Street - Wednesfield	203	Darlaston Rd / Pinfold St
55	High Street / Alfred Squire Road - Wednesfield	204	Lichfield Rd / Cannock Rd
56	King Street / Dudley Street - Wolverhampton	205	Wolverhampton Rd / New Cross Ave
57	Willenhall Rd / Plascom Rd Car Park – W'ton	206	Pipers Row / Railway Drive
58	Lower Horseley Fields / Lower Walsall St – W'ton	207	Cleveland St / Bell St
59	Horseley Fields / Corn Hill - Wolverhampton	208	Penn Rd / Pinfold Lane
60	Black Country Route - Bilston	209	Stourbridge Rd Nr Springhill Lane
61	Hall Street / Pipes Meadow - Car Park - Bilston	210	Cannock Rd / Park Lane
62	Pinfold St/Market Car Park (Market End) - Bilston	211	Cannock Rd / Badger Drive
63	Pinfold St Carpark / Middle of Car Park - Bilston	212	Victoria Rd / Bushbury Lane
64	Batchroft Car Park/Green Croft - Bilston	213	Wednesfield Rd / Woden Rd
65	Batchroft Car Park/Broad St - Bilston	214	Oxford St / Gt Bridge St
66	Stafford Rd / Oxley Moor Road - Wolverhampton	215	Bilston Rd / Stowheath Lane
67	Stafford Rd / Three Tunns Lane - Wolverhampton	216	Thompson Ave / Dixon St
68	Tettenhall Rd / Henwood Rd / Lower St – W'ton	217	Tettenhall Rd / Stockport
69	Penn Rd / Goldthorn Hill / Coalway Rd – W'ton	218	Oxford St / Vulcan Rd
70	Park Road East / Devon Road - Wolverhampton	219	BNR / Lawnswood Rd
71	Road East / Landsdown Road - Wolverhampton	220	BNR / Spring Rd
72	Park Road East / Park Crescent - Wolverhampton	221	BNR / Laburnam Rd
73	Park Road East / Southgate - Wolverhampton	222	Temple St / Summer Row
74	Park Rd East / Summerfield Rd - Wolverhampton	223	Penn Rd / Marston Rd
75	Park Rd West / Upper Vauxhall - Wolverhampton	224	Penn Rd / Goldthorn hill
76	Park Road West / Albert Road - Wolverhampton	225	Bloxwich Lane / Wolverhampton Rd
77	Park Rd West / Kingsland Road - Wolverhampton	226	M6 J10 / BCR side
78	New Hampton Rd West / Hunter St – W'ton	227	Upper Rushall St
79	Avion Centre / Bargate drive - Wolverhampton	228	Ablewell St / Lower Rushall St

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80	Evans St / Avion Centre Library - Wolverhampton	229	George St / Dudley St
81	Dudley Road / Goldthorn hill - Wolverhampton	230	Lower Hall Lane / Caldmore Rd
82	Ryehope Square North / Near Library - Pendeford	231	Bentley Mill Way/BCR Slip Rd
83	RyeHope Square / Nr Library - Pendeford	232	Wolverhampton Rd / Bentley Rd North
84	Stafford Rd/Nr Polish Club/Golf Club – W'ton	233	Penn Road / Stubbs Road
85	Ettingshall Rd/ Millfields Road - Wolverhampton	234	Darlaston Rd/No.380 Parallel Blding access
87	Stafford Rd near Gorsebrook Rd – W'ton	235	Victoria St Nr Darlington St Bollards
89	Birmingham Rd near Retail Park access – W'ton	236	Victoria St/Salop St/Cleveland St Bollards
90	Millfields Road / Village Way - Wolverhampton	237	Mitre Fold Nr Red Lion St Entry Bollard
91	Waterloo Rd near Dunkley St - Wolverhampton	238	Mitre Fold North St Exit Bollards
92	Bridgnorth Road / Henwood Road - Compton	239	Corporation St Nr North St Entry Bollards
93	University School of Art/Ring Rd St Peters – W'ton	240	North St / Cheapside - Wolverhampton
94	University school of Art/Ring Rd St Peters – W'ton	241	Skinner St Nr Victoria St Entry Bollard
96	Stafford Rd / Gorsebrook Road - Wolverhampton	242	Civic CP-A North Street Entrance – W'ton
97	Stafford Rd O/B near South St - Wolverhampton	243	Civic CP-A North Bike Store – W'ton
98	Stafford Rd near Bushbury Lane - Wolverhampton	244	Civic CP-A Pay Machine - Wolverhampton
99	Lichfield Road / Stubby Lane - Wednesfield	245	Civic CP-A Walkway to Halls – W'ton
100	Trysull Rd / Birches Barn Road - Wolverhampton	246	Civic CP-A Street Cleaners Store – W'ton
101	Darlington St / Fold St Car Park - Wolverhampton	247	Civic CP-A Pool Bike Store – W'ton
105	Wednesfield Road / Sun Street - Wolverhampton	248	Civic CP-A Van Parking - Wolverhampton
106	Wulfruna St/St.Peters - Civic Centre – W'ton	249	Civic CP-A Wulfrun Barrier-1 – W'ton
107	Darlington St / Waterloo Road - Wolverhampton	250	Civic CP-A Wulfrun Barrier-2 – W'ton
108	Lichfield Street / St Peters Walk - Wolverhampton	251	Civic CP-A Down to North St Exit-1 – W'ton
109	Molineux St / Rear of Molineux FC – W'ton	252	Civic CP-A Down to North St Exit-2 – W'ton
110	Railway Dr / Nr Railway Station - Wolverhampton	253	Civic CP-B B1 Pay Machine – W'ton
112	Stafford Rd / Wobaston Rd - Wolverhampton	254	Civic CP-B Down to C-1 - Wolverhampton
113	Stafford Rd / M54 J2 / Nr Broadlands – W'ton	255	Civic CP-B Down to C-2 - Wolverhampton
114	Stafford Road / Springfield Lane - Wolverhampton	256	Civic CP-A Parking Office - Wolverhampton
115	Dudley Street / Highfields Road - Wolverhampton	257	Civic CP-B B2-Pay Machine – W'ton
116	Birchley Is/Birchfield Ln/W'ton Rd - Oldbury	258	Civic CP-B Lanes Roof PTZ-1 – W'ton
117	School St (West side)/Ring Rd Penn Island W'ton	259	Civic CP-B Lanes Roof PTZ-2 – W'ton
118	School St (East side) / Penn Rd Island – W'ton	260	Civic CP-B Middle Lanes-1 – W'ton
119	School St / Penn Road Island - Wolverhampton	261	Civic CP-B Middle Lane-2 - Wolverhampton
120	Moxley Rd Island/High St/Black Country New Rd	262	Civic CP-C Lanes Roof PTZ-1 – W'ton
121	Black Country Route / Coseley Island – W'ton	263	Civic CP – C Lanes Roof PTZ-2 – W'ton
123	Wolverhampton Road / Pleck Road - Walsall	264	Civic CP-C Lanes Roof PTZ-3 – W'ton
124	Lower Rushall St/Broadway Nth/Lichfield St Walsall	265	Civic CP-A A1-Stairway - Wolverhampton
125	Wolverhampton Road / M6 Junction 10 - Walsall	266	Civic CP-B B1-Stairway - Wolverhampton
126	Littleton Street West / Day Street - Walsall	267	Civic CP-C C1-Stairway - Wolverhampton
127	Wood Green Road / M6J9 - Walsall	268	Cup Cake Cafe Car Park Entrance – W'ton
128	Pleck Road / Bridgeman Street - Walsall	269	Cup Cake Cafe Heritage Centre – W'ton

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129	Townsend House / St.Paul Street - Walsall	418	St Peter's Car Park, Wolverhampton
130	Townsend House / St.Paul Street - Walsall	420	Broad Street Car Park
131	Coppice Rd/Brownhills Rd/Lindon Rd - Brownhills	421	Broad Street Car Park, Wolverhampton
132	Birmingham New Rd / Shaw Rd - Wolverhampton	422	Broad Street Car Park, Entrance/Exit
133	Wednesfield Way / Waddens Brook Lane – W'ton		
134	W'field Way/New Cross Ave/Planetary Wy – W'field		
135	Green lane / Stephenson Avenue - Walsall		
138	Bloxwich lane / Bentley Lane - Walsall		
139	Black Country Route / Bankfield Road - Bilston		
141	Bloxwich Lane / Churchill		