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CITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON COUNCIL

## **Response to Request for Information**

Reference	FOI 002603
Date	31 July 2018

## Air Quality/Electric Vehicle Infrastructure

## **Request:**

- Question 1: Please state the name of the Authority? City of Wolverhampton Council
- Question 2: Please state approx Population in your district? We can confirm that the department holds information that you have asked for in relation to the above. However, the information is exempt under section 21 of the FOI Act because it is reasonably accessible to you, and I am pleased to inform you that you can access it on our website via the following link:

http://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk/article/3514/Wolverhampton-inprofile

Section 21(1) of the Freedom of Information Act exempts disclosure of information that is reasonably accessible by other means, and the terms of the exemption mean that we do not have to consider whether or not it would be in the public interest for you to have the information.

You can find out more about Section 21 by reading the extract from the Act, available at:

http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2000/36/section/21

- Question 3: Do you currently have any public on street/ car park electric charging points in your district? [YES or NO, If so how many?] No but we have included a link for known private car parks <u>https://www.zap-map.com/live/</u>
- Question 4: Do you have any Air Quality Management Areas (AQMA) designated? [YES or NO, if yes please state how many?] Yes - 1
- Question 5: Have you received any funding or grants to install Electric Vehicle Charging Points? [YES or NO] Yes

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- Question 6: Does your Authority have a current policy for electric vehicle charging points and associated infrastructure? [YES or NO]
- Question 7: If electrical charging points are installed in your District, are these used on a regular basis? [Please comment if known? N/A
- Question 8: If charging points are installed and are not used on a regular basis, what are the reasons you believe contribute to this lack of use/ requirement?

[Please Comment



- Question 9: Do you believe that more incentives should be introduced from central government to attract more consumers to buy electric vehicles? [YES or NO]
- Question 10: What incentives do you believe will attract more consumers to buy electric vehicles? Please Comment:\_\_\_\_\_

In response to questions 8, 9 and 10 above, please note that the Freedom of Information Act only allows us to respond using factual information that the City of Wolverhampton Council holds, we cannot provide you with opinions, only factual information.