**Freedom of Information Act / Environmental Information Regulations Request**

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I can confirm that Essex County Council does hold some of this information, and where we are able to release this, our response is listed below.

**Question 1 -** I asked for confirmation of ECC annual road inspections (Kettlebury Way) and confirmation of your asset plan for Kettlebury Way.

Our current **Highway Maintenance Policy and General Principles** and our **Maintenance & Inspections Strategies** are publicly available online [www.essexhighways.org/roads-strategies.aspx#maintenance](http://www.essexhighways.org/roads-strategies.aspx#maintenance).

Details of how inspectors risk assess and prioritise highway issues can also be found on our public web site at [www.essexhighways.org/how-we-prioritise-highway-issues](http://www.essexhighways.org/how-we-prioritise-highway-issues).

Please see the attached site history report, which includes defects identified during inspections and their associated risk assessment details, as well as the maintenance history.

As shown on the site history report annually walked safety inspections are carried out, these are in accordance with **Highway Maintenance Policy and General Principles** and our **Maintenance & Inspections Strategies** which are publicly available online [www.essexhighways.org/roads-strategies#maintenance](http://www.essexhighways.org/roads-strategies#maintenance).

Please see page 9 of the **Maintenance & Inspections: Carriageways, Footways and Cycleways** document that is publicly available online [www.essexhighways.org/roads-strategies#maintenance](http://www.essexhighways.org/roads-strategies#maintenance).

There are currently no planned works on Kettlebury Way. The next annual inspection should be carried out in May 2024.

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