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12 April 2023

Dear ,

Request for information - ATISN 17286

I wrote to you on 24 March regarding your request for information.

Your request

You asked for the following information:

1. The amount of funding provided by Welsh Government (and city and borough councils if available), to Nextbikes, (also known as Ovobikes) for their operations in Wales from January 2020 until today.
2. Whether this was made up of loans or grants, to Nextbikes (also known as Ovobikes) for their operations in Wales from January 2020 until today.

Our Response

I can confirm we hold the information you have requested.

Welsh Government have not directly funded Nextbikes (also known as Ovobikes), however grant funding of £244,750 was paid to Cardiff City Council for on street cycle hire in 2019-20. This was paid to Cardiff City Council as part of their Local Transport Fund grant in 2019-20.

Welsh Government do not hold any contractual information between Cardiff City Council and Nextbikes (also known as Ovobikes). If you would like further detail on payments made to Nextbikes (also known as Ovobikes) you may wish to contact Cardiff City Council to request this information.

You can also make a Freedom of Information request by email: FOI@cardiff.gov.uk

Or by post:



Llywodraeth Cymru /
Welsh Government
Parc Cathays / Cathays Park
CF10 3NQ

FOI.ETCC@gov.wales

Rydym yn croesawu derbyn gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg. Byddwn yn ateb gohebiaeth a dderbynnir yn Gymraeg yn Gymraeg ac ni fydd gohebu yn Gymraeg yn arwain at oedi.

We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding .

Information Governance
County Hall
Cardiff
CF10 4UW

Next steps

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit,
Welsh Government,
Cathays Park,
Cardiff,
CF10 3NQ

or Email: Freedomofinformation@gov.wales

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office,
Wycliffe House,
Water Lane,
Wilmslow,
Cheshire,
SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely