

30 August 2023

Dear

ATISN 18876 – Request for Information

Information requested.

Thank you for your request which I received on 24 August 2023. You asked for:

The total cost of replacement of buses on the T1 and T2 routes with new electric ones in 2023, as well as associated replacement bus shelters.

Our response

- Welsh Government has provided Carmarthenshire County Council with capital grant funding of £3.70m to purchase electric buses for use on the TrawsCymru T1 route linking Aberystwyth to Carmarthen in financial year 2021/22 and 2022/23. No funding has been provided to date for vehicles for use on the TrawsCymru T2 route.
- Welsh Government has provided Ceredigion County Council with capital grant funding of £4.320m and Gwynedd Council capital grant funding of £1.085m to improve bus stops and passenger waiting facilities on TrawsCymru bus routes T1, T2, T3 and T5 in financial years 2019/21, 2021/22, 2022/23 and 2023/24.

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: Freedom.ofinformation@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