

7 March 2025

Dear

### **Request for information - ATISN 24384**

Thank you for your request which I received on 13 February 2025.

### **Your Request**

- 1) A list of all road building projects in Wales since 2010
- 2) The names of the contractors involved in their construction

### **Our Response**

I requested you contact me if I had not understood your request. I have not received further clarification from you, so I took “all road building projects” in Wales to be major road projects, that is, projects over five million pounds undertaken by the Welsh Government on the Motorway and Strategic Road network. We know of some major road schemes in some Local Authorities in Wales as Welsh Government provided funding of £5 million or more for them. You will still need to contact the Local Authorities direct for other schemes and information.

I took the names of the contractors to be the name of the company who Welsh Government contracted to build the road scheme. As advised previously Welsh Government does not hold the names of the subcontractors who the main company might also have employed.

Taking the above understanding into account I can confirm the Welsh Government holds the information you have requested.

The Table at Annex A holds the information requested.

### **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](mailto: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

Route	Scheme	Date of Opening	Contractor
M4	Widening - Castleton to Coryton	25 January 2010	Carillion
A40	Penblewin to Slebech (BP)	16 March 2011	Costain
A473	Church Village Bypass (LA) Rhondda Cynon Taff CBC	Sept 2010	Costain
A483	Four Crosses (BP)	07 July 2011	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A487	Porthmadog, Minffordd, and Tremadog (BP)	17 October 2011	Balfour Beatty / Jones Bros
A470	Cwmbach to Newbridge (BP)	08 December 2011	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A469	Ysbyty Ystrad Fawr Highway Improvement Project (LA) Caerphilly CBC	July 2012	Walters
	Wrexham Industrial Estate Access Road (LA) Wrexham CBC	July 2012	Birse Civils Ltd
A487	Glandyfi	01 June 2013	Carillion
A4241	Harbour Way Port Talbot (LA) Neath Port Talbot CBC	13 October 2013	Costain
A470	Maes yr Helmau to Cross Foxes	14 October 2013	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A470	Gelligemlyn	09 April 2014	Balfour Beatty/ Jones Bros JV
A477	St Clears to Red Roses (BP)	16 April 2014	Roadbridge / Sisk
A465	Section 3 Brynmawr to Tredegar	24 September 2015	Carillion
A4232	Eastern Bay Link (Queensway to Ocean Way)	15 June 2017	Dawnus / Ferrovia Agroman JV
M4	Brynglas Tunnels (upgrade to emergency systems)	01 July 2018	Costain
M4	Junction 28	21 November 2018	Costain
A483 & A489	Newtown Bypass	14 February 2019	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A4226	5 Mile Lane (LA)	15 October 2019	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A465	Section 2 Gilwern to Brynmawr	21 November 2021	Costain

Route	Scheme	Date of Opening	Contractor
A487	Caernarfon to Bontnewydd bypass	19 February 2022	Balfour Beatty/ Jones Bros JV
M4	Junction 28 Ebbw River Bridge	Summer 2022	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A55	Abergwyngregyn to Tai'r Meibion improvements	04 May 2023	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A487	New Dyfi Bridge	02 February 2024	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A40	Llandewi Velfrey to Redstone Cross improvements	April 2025	Alun Griffiths Contractors
A465	Section 5 and 6 Dowlais Top to Hirwaun	Summer 2025	Future Valleys Construction