

Dear Requestor

**Request for Information - Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)**

In response to your Freedom of Information request, the Council's response to your request is as follows:

Question	Answer
<p>Has the Council approved any new *1 or expanded *2 roads or road junctions in its area from 1st January 2019 until 1st January 2023? Please list which ones were accepted.</p> <p>*1 The intention of this question is to understand overall increases in road capacity, rather than recent housing developments. Please exclude minor roads built exclusively to connect new housing to the pre-existing road network.</p> <p>*2 An expanded road or road junction is one that has increased capacity for motor vehicle traffic, not counting bus lanes, cycle infrastructure, or pedestrian infrastructure. Please include roads and junctions where new lanes have been added.</p>	<p>A58 Rochdale Rd / Wash Lane, Bury.</p> <p>All other improvements are associated with pedestrian / cycle safety connectivity, not vehicle capacity, therefore excluded from list.</p>
<p>Has the council approved any new or expanded airport runways, terminals, measures to increase passenger numbers or other planning proposals that expand airport capacity in its area since 1st January 2019 until 1st January 2023? Please list which ones were accepted.</p>	<p>None within Bury - No information held</p>
<p>Has the Council approved any planning applications for fossil fuel extraction projects proposed in its area</p>	<p>No</p>

since 1st January 2019 until 1st January 2023? Please list which ones were accepted, including where relevant fossil fuel projects that were later 'called in' by central government.	
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By fossil fuel extraction projects we mean: any oil wells and fields (on or offshore), coal mines, fracking and shale gas, gas, natural (including liquefied) gas (on or off shore) plants, and unabated fossil fuel generation and power plants well as related infrastructure such as pipelines and terminals for the fossil fuels.

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