

(CAPITAL) grant determination (non-ringfenced) 2020-21: No 31/5099.

COVID-19 EMERGENCY ACTIVE TRAVEL FUND CAPITAL GRANT DETERMINATION (2020-21): No 31/5099.

The Minister of State for Transport (“the Minister of State”), in exercise of the powers conferred by section 31 of the Local Government Act 2003, makes the following determination:

Citation

1) This determination may be cited as the Emergency Active Travel Fund Determination (2020-21) [No31/5099].

Purpose of the grant

2) The purpose of the grant is to provide support to local authorities in England towards expenditure lawfully incurred or to be incurred by them.

Determination

3) The Minister of State determines as the authorities to which grant is to be paid and the amount of grant to be paid, the authorities and the amounts set out in Annex B.

Grant conditions

4) Pursuant to section 31(3) and 31(4) of the Local Government Act 2003, the Minister of State determines that the grant will be paid subject to the conditions in Annex C.

Treasury consent

4) Before making this determination in relation to local authorities in England, the Minister of State obtained the consent of the Treasury.

Signed by authority of the Minister of State for Transport

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'R Furness', with a long, sweeping diagonal stroke extending from the end of the name.

Rupert Furness
Deputy Director, Active and Accessible Travel, Department for Transport

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ANNEX A – MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Covid-19 Emergency Active Travel Fund

1. This MOU is not intended to be legally binding and no legal obligations or legal rights shall arise between the Parties from the provisions of the MOU. The Parties enter into the MOU intending to honour all their obligations.
2. We expect each local authority to use this funding as proposed in their completed pro forma, for schemes to support cycling and walking.
3. This funding will be paid via a grant under Section 31 of the Local Government Act 2003. Available online here:
<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2003/26/section/31>
4. For any grant, Government is required to monitor the effectiveness of any public investment. We therefore expect you to have robust monitoring and evaluation plans in place. Funding for the second tranche of money will be conditional on demonstrating that bids represent value for money and evidence of suitable evaluation plans.
5. This grant may be subject to State Aid regulations. It is the responsibility of local authorities to satisfy themselves that they are State Aid compliant when using the Emergency Active-Travel Fund. Local authorities should ensure that their project teams are versed on State Aid law, as they are better placed to provide support on the operational matters within the authority. Guidance on State Aid is available from: <https://www.gov.uk/state-aid>.

ANNEX B

	Local Authority	Funding (£)
1	Bedford Borough Council	26,691
2	Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council	75,649
3	Blackpool Council	9,100
4	Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council	201,108
5	Bracknell Forest Council	54,000
6	Brighton and Hove City Council	663,657
7	Buckinghamshire County Council	488,222
8	Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority	128,486
9	Central Bedfordshire Council	206,695
10	City of London Corporation	100,000
11	City of Westminster	50,000
12	City of York Council	155,529
13	Cheshire East Council	135,625
14	Cheshire West and Chester Council	120,959
15	Cornwall Council (including Isles of Scilly)	132,233
16	Cumbria County Council	88,633
17	Derby City Council	200,789
18	Devon County Council	21,574
19	Dorset Council	107,071
20	East Riding of Yorkshire Council	105,797
21	East Sussex County Council	468,448
22	Essex County Council	50,000
23	Gloucestershire County Council	210,999
24	Greater Manchester Combined Authority	1,886,427
25	Herefordshire Council	18,671
26	Hertfordshire County Council	1,103,179
27	Hull City Council	217,600
28	Isle of Wight Council	35,679
29	Kent County Council	1,130,000
30	Lancashire County Council	558,634
31	Leicester City Council	349,180
32	Leicestershire County Council	271,401
33	Lincolnshire County Council	90,000
34	Liverpool City Region Combined Authority	1,925,466
35	London Borough of Barking and Dagenham	100,000
36	London Borough of Barnet	74,000
37	London Borough of Bexley	50,000
38	London Borough of Brent	100,000
39	London Borough of Bromley	41,000
40	London Borough of Camden	72,623
41	London Borough of Croydon	98,214
42	London Borough of Ealing	90,100
43	London Borough of Enfield	79,661

44	London Borough of Hackney	100,000
45	London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham	91,182
46	London Borough of Haringey	100,000
47	London Borough of Harrow	25,000
48	London Borough of Havering	50,000
49	London Borough of Hillingdon	90,000
50	London Borough of Hounslow	50,000
51	London Borough of Islington	50,179
52	London Borough of Lambeth	80,000
53	London Borough of Lewisham	54,000
54	London Borough of Merton	90,476
55	London Borough of Newham	100,000
56	London Borough of Redbridge	77,941
57	London Borough of Richmond upon Thames	91,228
58	London Borough of Southwark	80,000
59	London Borough of Sutton	68,000
60	London Borough of Tower Hamlets	64,500
61	London Borough of Waltham Forest	87,681
62	London Borough of Wandsworth	45,833
63	Luton Borough Council	193,593
64	Medway Council	212,500
65	Milton Keynes Council	228,000
66	Norfolk County Council	225,000
67	North East Joint Transport Committee	1,157,302
68	North East Lincolnshire Council	39,623
69	North Lincolnshire Council	39,423
70	North Somerset Council	33,747
71	North Yorkshire County Council	4,143
72	Nottingham City Council	334,024
73	Nottinghamshire County Council	33,538
74	Oxfordshire County Council	137,769
75	Plymouth City Council	105,000
76	Portsmouth City Council	140,799
77	Reading Borough Council	177,000
78	Royal Borough of Greenwich	70,000
79	Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea	29,282
80	Royal Borough of Kingston upon Thames	74,783
81	Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead	140,000
82	Rutland County Council	2,100
83	Sheffield City Region Combined Authority	603,000
84	Slough Borough Council	164,462
85	Somerset County Council	73,601
86	Southampton City Council	245,000
87	Southend-on-Sea Borough Council	289,688

88	Staffordshire County Council	183,000
89	Stoke-on-Trent City Council	123,750
90	Suffolk County Council	286,858
91	Tees Valley Combined Authority	280,959
92	Telford and Wrekin Council	55,273
93	Thurrock Council	244,800
94	Torbay Council	35,357
95	Transport for London	2,000,000
96	Warrington Borough Council	15,000
97	West Berkshire Council	95,000
98	West Midlands Combined Authority	2,704,517
99	West of England Combined Authority	461,264
100	West Sussex County Council	546,700
101	West Yorkshire Combined Authority	1,984,989
102	Wiltshire Council	227,000
103	Wokingham Borough Council	74,164
104	Worcestershire County Council	97,000

ANNEX C

GRANT CONDITIONS

1. Grant paid to a local authority under this determination may be used only for the purposes that a capital receipt may be used for in accordance with regulations made under section 11 of the Local Government Act 2003.
2. The Chief Executive and Chief Internal Auditor of each of the recipient authorities are required to sign and return to the team leader of the Active and Accessible Travel Division of the Department for Transport, a declaration, to be received no later than 31 March 2021 in the following terms: "To the best of our knowledge and belief, and having carried out appropriate investigations and checks, in our opinion, in all significant respects, the conditions attached to the Covid-19 Emergency Active Travel Fund Grant No 31/**** have been complied with".
3. If an authority fails to comply with any of the conditions and requirements of paragraphs 1 and 2, the Minister of State may reduce, suspend or withhold grant; or by notification in writing to the authority, require the repayment of the whole or any part of the grant.
4. Any sum notified by the Minister of State under paragraph 3(b) shall immediately become repayable to the Minister.