



RE Highways Network Management,  
Colindale Offices,  
2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW  
14 April 2021  
Our ref: 7218053

Thank you for your request received on 8 April 2021, for the following information:

**Is it ok to have an electric car charger fitted on a property where there is only on road parking, so the cable for the charger would have to be across the pavement to charge? i have seen that some companies are now fitting chargers like this and supplying mats to sit over the cable when the car is on charge.**

We have processed this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

### **Response**

The council holds the information requested and the answers to your questions are below

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This is not something we would allow as it would contravene section 178 of the Highways Act 1980.

### **Further information**

If you are interested in the data that the council holds you may wish to visit Open Barnet, the council's data portal. This brings together all our published datasets and other information of interest on one searchable database for anyone, anywhere to access. <http://open.barnet.gov.uk/>

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If, having exhausted our review procedure, you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you will have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF (telephone: 0303 123 1113; website [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)). There is no charge for making an appeal.