

London Borough of Barnet
2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW
21 October 2022
Our ref: 8508017

Thank you for your request received on 17 October 2022, for the following information:

Under the FOI act could you please provide answers to the following questions:

**Why have traffic counters appeared in Ashurst road N12 and Buxted road n12?
Where are any other counters placed related to this survey ?
Why have they been placed there and what information is being collected?
How will it be used and in what timescale?
Will information be available to the local community?
Is there a specific project / proposal these are being used for , current or proposed?**

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

Response

The council holds the information requested and it is attached/ the answers to your questions are below

Why traffic counters have appeared in Ashurst road N12 and Buxted road n12?

The counters have been installed to investigate speeding concerns raised to the highways service

Where are any other counters placed related to this survey ?

The counters have been placed on Ashurst Road and the junction with Buxted Road. Previous surveys were carried out on Torrington Park, Friary Rd and Mayfield Avenue which is separate to this location

Why have they been placed there and what information is being collected?

They have been placed here following resident concerns related to speeding vehicles, the information will be used to identify whether measures are required

How will it be used and in what timescale?

Feasibility study to identify if traffic calming and new pedestrian facilities are required in the area.

Will information be available to the local community?

If the outcome of the study highlights measures are required a consultation will take place with the local community

Is there a specific project / proposal these are being used for , current or proposed?

As above.

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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