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Councillor Simon Ball
Elected Member

Via email: simon.ball@rotherham.gov.uk

Dear Cllr Ball

Question to Council – Wednesday 15th January 2025

Thank you for the question you submitted to Council on 15th January 2025. I have set out the question and my response below.

Given ongoing issues with speeding and antisocial driving, what is your long-term plan to address these problems across Rotherham?

Officers within the Council's Transportation Team are working with South Yorkshire Police as part of the South Yorkshire Safer Roads Partnership, to identify speeding and anti-social driving within the borough with patrols being deployed both overtly and covertly depending on the offences being targeted.

Where technology permits, this will be used to support work already undertaken by the Police and South Yorkshire Safety Cameras.

In some areas, speeding can be seen on routes with more space for motor vehicles than is really needed to accommodate them at appropriate speeds – as such our strategic transport schemes are part of our work to manage vehicle speeds by ensuring the design of roads encourages the appropriate speeds we would also wish to see.

I hope you find this information helpful.

Yours sincerely



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