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Our ref: MGLA191121-8236

14 December 2021

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your request for information which the GLA received on 18 November 2021. Your request has been dealt with under the Environmental Information Regulations (EIR) 2004.

You asked for:

I write with reference my previous request: MGLA071021-4784

Thanks for your response. I understand that:

- 19 actions have been completed*
- 16 actions are incomplete, but significant work has been carried out. Please can you state which actions are incomplete? What month / year do you anticipate they will be completed?*
- 5 actions where less substantial progress has been made. What month / year do you anticipate they will be completed?*
- Please can I also confirm that the five year action plan was started in 2016, and due for completion in 2021?*

Our response to your request is as follows:

The table below outlines the 16 actions which have had significant progress made but there is still on-going work. Some actions will be complete in 2022 and others will be actions that will need to continue, including influencing of sectors and looking for opportunities to coordinate SuDS delivery as part of maintenance to existing buildings, land and infrastructure. This work is now a core part of GLA officers' work.

10	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works in higher education establishments
11	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works in private sector schools

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13	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works in the socially rented housing sector
16	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within TfL owned/managed transport assets
17	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within other highway authorities' transport assets
19	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within the NHS estate
22	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within the major supermarkets estates
23	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within DIY and other large format retailers' estates
24	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within retail estate owners' proposals
26	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works in parks and open spaces
29	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works with major office owners/occupiers
31	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within Thames Water's estate
32	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within energy companies' estates
33	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within telecoms companies' estates
38	Examine methods of encouraging more sustainable drainage take-up through adjusting water bill incentives and Thames Water investment
40	Produce an annual monitoring report

There are 5 actions from the LSDAP where less substantial progress has been made, these are outlined below. Work will accelerate on these actions as a project manager is now in place to focus on this work. The COVID-19 pandemic has delayed some of these actions to 2022 as many relate to government buildings which were not accessible during the pandemic.

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20	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within the private sector health providers' estate
27	Examine local authority development proposals, capital and revenue programmes for sustainable drainage opportunities
28	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within the central government departmental and quango estates
34	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within the Environment Agency's estate
35	Identify opportunities and funding for sustainable drainage retrofit at the same time as planned maintenance, repair and improvement works within agricultural estates

The LSDAP originally included commencement and delivery dates for each of the actions, with the LSDAP covering from 2016 to 2021.

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely

Information Governance Officer

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