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Dear Mr Patterson

LOCAL TRANSPORT CAPITAL FUNDING 2018/19 FINANCIAL YEAR

The Chancellor of the Exchequer announced in the Budget 2018, the Government is allocating £420 million in the 2018/19 financial year for local highways maintenance, including the repair of potholes, to keep local bridges and structures open and safe, as well as to help aid other minor highway works that may be needed.

Ministers have agreed to provide London with £20 million. In order to minimise administrative burdens for all concerned and to be fair and proportionate, we will be distributing the funding formulaically, based on the road length for which your authority is responsible. We made the payment for your share of the funding on 13 November.

We expect your authority to use this funding for its intended purpose. We would also expect your authority to publish a brief note on its website by end of March 2019, copied to the Department for Transport, setting out how this funding has been utilised. It would be helpful also if you could ensure, where feasible, that your authority publishes pictorial evidence on your website which shows the 'before' and 'after' of each repair undertaken.

The Grant Determination for the fund your authority is receiving is attached, as is a declaration at Annex A that you and your Authority's Chief Internal Auditor are required to sign and to return to the Department for Transport by 30 September 2019.

The table below shows your allocation from the Fund.

Grant Stream	2018/19 Allocation
Budget 2018 Additional Highway Maintenance	£1,117,000

Please contact us at LT.PLANS@DFT.GSI.GOV.UK or telephone Gordon Rolfe on 0207 944 2249 for queries relating to the capital block funding allocations outlined in this letter.

Yours sincerely,



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