

Residents And Visitor Services

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Highways

What is provided?	Why is it provided?	What drives demands?	Budget Reference
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Management and maintenance of the highway, street lighting and public rights of way • Control of the movement and parking of vehicles • Improving Road Safety including Road safety education, training and publicity • Development and implementation of transport policies and schemes in support of the Local Transport Plan • Control of the engineering and transport implications of developer proposals • Street Cleansing • Carriageway and Footway Repairs and Resurfacing • Traffic Light Network, • Street Lighting/Illuminations • Contract management • Highway adoptions • Street naming and numbering • School Crossing Patrols • Safety inspections • Highway enforcement • Street works co-ordination & inspections • Winter maintenance 	<p>The Council has a number of statutory responsibilities relating to highways management e.g.:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highways Act 1980 • Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000 • Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 • New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 <p>Please see the Residents and visitor services service review document for more details.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintaining 550km of Highways • Gritting 220kms of roads during the winter weather with between 350-400 tonnes of grit being used each year • Filling 3,600 potholes per year • Providing 25 School Crossing patrols for local schools • Maintaining 15,000 streetlights and manage/maintain 87 signalled crossings and junctions • Maintenance of 12,500 lamps that make up Torbay’s illuminations <p>All residents, businesses and visitors to Torbay use facilities that are provided by the highways department.</p>	<p>556,553, 555, 557, 579,581, 561, 568 &576</p>