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Our Ref: iCBRFOI2025/29

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

I refer to your application under section 30 of the *Freedom of Information Act 2016* (the Act), received by Infrastructure Canberra (iCBR), formerly Major Projects Canberra on 13 May 2025.

In your information access request, you sought access to:

1. **“Documents created between 1 January 2024 and 31 March 2024 relating to the planning and development of public transport services in Canberra, specifically:**
 - Expansion or modification of bus routes.
 - Implementation or review of rapid transit systems, including light rail developments or extensions.
2. **A report or summary analysis evaluating the efficiency and environmental impact of Canberra's public transport system, including:**
 - Ridership statistics.
 - Fuel consumption data.
 - Assessments of the system's role in reducing carbon emissions.

Please limit this to reports generated or finalized between 1 January 2024 and 31 March 2024.
3. **Records of maintenance and safety inspections conducted on the Canberra light rail system and public bus fleet between 1 January 2024 and 31 March 2024, including:**
 - Findings of the inspections.
 - Recommendations or corrective actions taken (if any).
4. **Documents related to public consultation processes on cycling infrastructure and pedestrian-friendly planning in the ACT, including:**
 - Stakeholder or community feedback.
 - Meeting summaries, surveys, or emails summarizing responses.
 - Actions taken or proposed based on feedback.

Please provide documents created or received during the period 1 January 2024 to 31 March 2024.”



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Authority

I am an Information Officer appointed by the Director General under section 18 of the Act to deal with access applications made under Part 5 of the Act.

Decision on access

Searches were completed for information as applicable to the scope of your request, however, no information was identified for release. I have included as an Appendix on the final page of this decision letter further details to assist.

I am satisfied the appropriate assessments were completed and under section 35(1)(b) deny any further action is required.

Charges

I have decided to waive any charges in relation to this information access application.

Online Publishing – iCBR Disclosure Log

Under section 28 of the Act, iCBR maintains an official online record of all information access applications called a disclosure log. This decision letter released to you in response to your access application will be published on the iCBR Disclosure Log within three to ten working days after the date of the decision. Your personal details will not be published.

You may view the iCBR Disclosure Log at: [Disclosure log - Infrastructure Canberra \(act.gov.au\)](https://act.gov.au/disclosure-log).

Ombudsman Review

My decision on your access request is a reviewable decision as identified in Schedule 3 of the Act.

You have the right to seek an Ombudsman Review of this outcome under section 73 of the Act within 20 working days from the day that my decision is published on the iCBR Disclosure Log, or a longer period allowed by the Ombudsman.

If you wish to request a review of my decision you may write to the Ombudsman at:

The ACT Ombudsman

GPO Box 442

CANBERRA ACT 2601

Via email: actfoi@ombudsman.gov.au



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ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal (ACAT) Review

Under section 84 of the Act, if a decision is made under Section 82(2) on an Ombudsman review, you may apply to ACAT for review of the Ombudsman decision.

Further information may be obtained from the ACAT at:

ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal

Level 4, 1 Moore Street

GPO Box 370

CANBERRA CITY ACT 2601

Telephone: (02) 6207 1740

<http://www.acat.act.gov.au>

Should you have any queries in relation to your request, please contact me via email

iCBR.FOI@act.gov.au.

Please ensure you quote your reference number: **iCBRFOI2025/29**

Yours sincerely,

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Ashley Cahit

Information Officer

Infrastructure Canberra

Friday, 30 May 2025

Appendix A: Table 1 – Infrastructure Canberra Responses

Request	Response
<p>1. Documents created between 1 January 2024 and 31 March 2024 relating to the planning and development of public transport services in Canberra, specifically:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Expansion or modification of bus routes. ○ Implementation or review of rapid transit systems, including light rail developments or extensions. 	<p>Point 1: Information not held by Infrastructure Canberra Point 2: Publicly available via https://www.act.gov.au/lightrailtowoden/resources/publications-and-fact-sheets</p>
<p>2. A report or summary analysis evaluating the efficiency and environmental impact of Canberra's public transport system, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ridership statistics. ○ Fuel consumption data. ○ Assessments of the system's role in reducing carbon emissions. ○ Please limit this to reports generated or finalized between 1 January 2024 and 31 March 2024. 	<p>Information not held by Infrastructure Canberra however, there is a publicly available TCCS report titled "Light Rail Five Years On: Benefits Realisation Report 2024" which has published data dated 31 March 2024.</p>
<p>3. Records of maintenance and safety inspections conducted on the Canberra light rail system and public bus fleet between 1 January 2024 and 31 March 2024, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Findings of the inspections. ○ Recommendations or corrective actions taken (if any). 	<p>Information not held by Infrastructure Canberra</p>
<p>4. Documents related to public consultation processes on cycling infrastructure and pedestrian-friendly planning in the ACT, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Stakeholder or community feedback. ○ Meeting summaries, surveys, or emails summarizing responses. ○ Actions taken or proposed based on feedback. 	<p>For all community consultation queries please refer to: https://yoursayconversations.act.gov.au/ Specifically, the Active Travel Plan will assist best for this query.</p>