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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI594112237

Thank you for your request for information relating to VLR scrutiny.

You have requested the following information:

How many times has any aspect of the VLR project been scrutinised by any of the Council's scrutiny committees and dates?

The required time frame is from the start of the project.

VLR falls under the remit of the Business, Economy and Enterprise Scrutiny Board (3). The information you requested falls under the exemption(s) in Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which relates to 'information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means.'

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https://edemocracy.coventry.gov.uk/uuCoverPage.aspx?bcr=1

The Business, Economy and Enterprise Scrutiny Board (3) received reports that considered VLR on the following dates:

22nd March 2017

17th January 2018 5th December 2018 18th December 2019 4th November 2020 8th September 2021 12th October 2022

VLR has been considered 7 times over the life of the project so far.

Reports and minutes for each meeting can be found here: Browse meetings - Business, Economy and Enterprise Scrutiny Board (3) - Coventry City Council

https://edemocracy.coventry.gov.uk/ieListMeetings.aspx?Committeeld=570

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Yours faithfully

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