

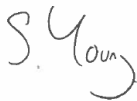
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Preston Western Distributor

I can confirm that Lancashire County Council will be the Highway Authority for the Preston Western Distributor Road when constructed. Accordingly I confirm that the county council will have ongoing funding provision for the maintaince of the highway in accordance with the figures provided in the Full Business Case of £9.8m for a 60 year period.

Yours sincerely



Stephen Young
Executive Director of Growth, Environment, Transport & Community Services

Our ref: M55 J2 / PWD
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For the attention of: Mr Phill Wilson

Dear Sir,

**M55 J2 / Preston Western Distributor
Highways England Future Maintenance Responsibility**

I can confirm that the extent of Highways England's responsibility for future maintenance of the M55 J2 / PWD scheme will be confined to the four new M55 slip-roads only (approximately 3 lane km). The maintenance responsibility for all other elements of the scheme, including the new M55 overbridge, will fall to Lancashire County Council as local highway authority.

Highways England's maintenance responsibility will commence upon completion of the construction contract maintenance period.

Yours sincerely,



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