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Dear Local Authority,

## **LOCAL AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT: 2021 ANNUAL STATUS REPORT**

Thank you for consulting the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs on your Council's 2021 Air Quality Annual Status Report (ASR).

Defra's response is contained in the appraisal report, which you can now access on the LAQM Portal.

The ASR for 2022 is due in June 2022. Defra expects local authorities to upload a copy of the ASR to the LAQM portal ([www.laqmportal.co.uk/login](http://www.laqmportal.co.uk/login)) no later than 30 June 2022.

The Local Air Quality Management Helpdesk is available to help with queries about the LAQM Framework:

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Yours sincerely,

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