

News from the Motorcycle Action Group

Define England's roads from biker perspective

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The Motorcycle Action Group (MAG), the UK's leading voice for riders' rights, is calling on riders to complete a survey by Highways England about the future of the road network in the nation.

North West Regional Rep, Tony Cox, says 'when you have five minutes please get onto the link and make your views known to Highways England. MAG has really got itself in gear with responding to these important consultations. We hope riders will encourage as many friends as possible to respond. It is in our best interests to engage with Highways England as ultimately they want to increase the number of motorcycles on the SRN (Strategic Road Network) and are asking our advice on how they can do this.'

Katherine Wilson-Ellis from the Authority underlines the importance of bikers' input: 'we are proceeding with the Highways England customer panel that will share a number of questions that are motorcycle related. Road Safety Analysis (RSA) has kindly produced an online survey that is purely aimed at motorcyclists that will be used in addition to the customer panel. We would like this to be completed by as many motorcyclists as possible to help us understand motorcyclist journeys on the Strategic Road Network and to provide us with a baseline that can be used to measure the success of all the great actions we are going to start delivering. This is motorcyclists' opportunity to tell us what the issues are.'

You'll find the survey at:

<<http://tinyurl.com/hpzrf2b>> <http://tinyurl.com/hpzrf2b>

The consultation closes on 9th September 2016, and is a golden opportunity to help Highways England increase the usage of bikers in the years ahead.

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