



Mrs J Lees
Black Country Coroner's Office

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Date: 28th March 2024

Dear Mrs Lees

Death of Paul Andrew Frear [Redacted]

Following receipt of the HM Coroner's report Sandwell Council has noted the unforeseen combination of circumstances which contributed to the accident and have investigated the concerns raised by the Coroner.

Although the current layout meets all current design standards, the Council is keen to do all it can to prevent any future incidents occurring.

Therefore, as an additional reminder to pedestrians, the Council intends to introduce 'Look Left' or 'Look Right' road markings in appropriate places and to relocate two of the existing traffic signal heads.

The proposed works will be subject to an independent road safety audit and contingent on any findings, are planned to be completed by the end of August 2024.

Yours sincerely

[Redacted Signature]

Director of Borough Economy