

Devolved BSOG Grant - Annual Outputs Report 2018

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Q1. What is your local transport authority name?

Northumberland County Council

Q2. Which geographical region are you in?

North East England

Q3. What type of authority are you?

County Council

Q4. How would you classify yourself geographically (NTS Area type definitions) ?

Other – please specify below if you feel you do not fit into one of the categories given:
Rural Large (population over 250,000)

Q5. Name of the reporting officer:

Elliott Hall

Q6. Contact phone number of the reporting officer:

01670 624083

Q7. Email address of the reporting officer:

Elliott.hall@northumberland.gov.uk

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Q8. What have you used the devolved funds for?

A. Maintain current tendered services

Q10. If you have observed any direct or indirect impacts as a result of the way in which you have used the devolved funds?

A. Cost reductions to the local authority

C. Increase in patronage due to investment in infrastructure

D. The commercial market replacing any lost tendered routes

Q11. Please provide a short description of whether you took any mitigating action to reduce the impact of the transfer of BSOG on operators?

Northumberland County Council did not take any mitigation to reduce the impact but did request that all operators included the BSOG funding when submitting new tender prices for new contracts. We have continued to fund operators with the BSOG grant as previously claimed for the life of they're existing contacts.

Q12. Please specify how much your local transport authority spent on tendered bus services in 2016/17?

1,731,828

Q13. Please specify how much your local transport authority spent on tendered bus services in 2017/18?

1,703,750