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STANDING COMMITTEE ON PLANNING, TRANSPORT, AND CITY SERVICES
JO CLAY MLA (CHAIR), SUZANNE ORR MLA (DEPUTY CHAIR), MARK PARTON MLA

Inquiry into referred 2019–20 Annual and Financial Reports and Budget Estimates 2020-21
ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Ms Jo Clay MLA: To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services

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In relation to: Active Travel Office

What's the budget on the Active Travel Office? Is that office working as part of the ACTSmart team or somewhere else? Is it tracking and delivering an increase in active travel trips or passengers?

Chris Steel MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:–

The Active Travel Office (ATO) is located within the Strategic Policy and Customer branch of Transport Canberra and City Services (TCCS) and is funded through operational budgets for 2.0 FTE. While situated within TCCS the ATO works across the ACT Government including with ACTSmart, providing policy advice and collaborating in the establishment of ACTSmart behaviour change and community leadership functions that support active travel. The ATO assists with but is not solely responsible for evaluation of travel trends related to the strategic objectives of the ACT Transport Strategy 2020 and the current Active Travel Framework.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Planning, Transport, and City Services

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By the Minister for Transport and City Services, Chris Steel MLA