

Rossendale Staff Survey 2009 – Corporate results

Please note that the following areas of the Council resulted in 0 staff taking part in the survey:

1. Elections
2. Licensing

In total, 134 staff members completed the survey, equating to a response rate of 59%.

Travel

It is important that we act in an environmentally friendly way. One of the ways we can do this is by considering the way we travel. The following set of questions aim to gain an understanding of our current travel behaviour.

- Q16 How far do you travel to work (to your usual work base)?**
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|-----|--------------|-----|---------------|----|---------------|
| 10% | Up to 1 mile | 27% | 5 - 10 miles | 8% | 20 - 30 miles |
| 27% | 2 - 5 miles | 23% | 10 - 20 miles | 6% | Over 30 miles |
- Q17 When do you normally arrive at work?**
- | | | | | | |
|----|------------|-----|-----------|-----|-------------|
| 0% | Before 6am | 37% | 7am - 8am | 15% | 9am - 10am |
| 5% | 6am - 7am | 44% | 8am - 9am | 0% | After 10 am |
- Q18 When do you normally leave work?**
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|-----|------------|-----|-----------|----|-----------|
| 12% | Before 4pm | 41% | 5pm - 6pm | 1% | After 7pm |
| 39% | 4pm - 5pm | 8% | 6pm - 7pm | | |
- Q19 Do you have any mobility difficulties which affect your transport choice?**
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|----|-----|-----|----|
| 2% | Yes | 98% | No |
|----|-----|-----|----|
- Q20 How do you usually travel to work?**
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|-----|------------------------------|----|----------------|
| 81% | Car, as a driver on your own | 1% | Cycle |
| 6% | Car, as a driver with others | 0% | Train |
| 4% | Car, as a passenger | 4% | Walk |
| 1% | Motorbike | 1% | Other |
| 3% | Bus | 0% | Not applicable |
- Q21 If you drive your own car or motorbike to work, for some of the time, would you be willing to try a more environmentally-friendly option once or twice a week such as car sharing, public transport, cycling or walking?**
- | | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|-------|-----|----------------|
| 32% | Yes | 44% | No | 24% | Maybe | N/A | Not applicable |
|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|-------|-----|----------------|
- Q22 Are there any particular barriers which make it difficult for you to use these more environmentally-friendly options?**
- | | | | | | |
|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|----------------|
| 51% | Yes | 33% | No | 16% | Not applicable |
|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|----------------|
- Q23 Which of the following changes would most encourage you to walk or cycle to or from work?**
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|-----|---|-----|---|
| 15% | A small incentive not to drive | 45% | None because don't have the option with current route to work |
| 12% | Changing rooms with showers and lockers | 10% | Other |
| 7% | Secure bike parking | 27% | Not applicable |

5% *A course to practice cycling to gain confidence in cycling safely*

Q24 Which of the following changes would most encourage you to use public transport to or from work?

9%	<i>A small incentive not to drive</i>	43%	<i>None because don't have the option with current route to work</i>
8%	<i>Better quality bus waiting facilities</i>	15%	<i>Other</i>
8%	<i>Readily available & up to date easy-to-use bus and train timetables</i>	21%	<i>Not applicable</i>
21%	<i>Reduced cost staff pass on public transport</i>		

Q25 Which of the following changes would most encourage you to car share to and from work?

13%	<i>A small incentive to car sharing</i>	31%	<i>None</i>
31%	<i>A car share database to help you find a colleague with similar work patterns in your area of travel</i>	7%	<i>Other</i>
7%	<i>Reserved parking in a prime spot for car sharers</i>	26%	<i>Not applicable</i>

Q26 If you drive to work, where do you usually park?

72%	<i>Works free car park</i>	0%	<i>Paid parking in commercial car park</i>
15%	<i>Free parking on nearby street</i>	3%	<i>Other</i>
0%	<i>Paid parking nearby</i>	9%	<i>Not applicable</i>

Q27 Do you travel between Council buildings for internal/external meetings?

30%	<i>Yes, regularly</i>	19%	<i>Yes but not very often</i>
30%	<i>Yes, occasionally</i>	21%	<i>No</i>

Q28 If yes, how do you usually travel between buildings?

56%	<i>Car</i>	0%	<i>Cycle</i>
9%	<i>Car share</i>	6%	<i>Other</i>
2%	<i>Bus</i>	19%	<i>Not applicable</i>
8%	<i>Walk</i>		

Q29 What stops you from using the bus more frequently for travel between Council buildings?

15%	<i>Cost</i>	41%	<i>Time constraints</i>
26%	<i>Time and frequency of buses</i>	33%	<i>Need to get from A to B asap</i>
11%	<i>No bus route</i>	23%	<i>Not applicable</i>
10%	<i>Don't need to</i>		

Q30 Do you travel in and around Rossendale (non-council offices) for business purposes?

42%	<i>Yes, regularly</i>	10%	<i>Yes but not very often</i>
10%	<i>Yes, occasionally</i>	39%	<i>No</i>

Q31 If yes, how do you usually travel for this?

60%	<i>Car</i>	0%	<i>Cycle</i>
1%	<i>Car Share</i>	4%	<i>Other</i>
1%	<i>Bus</i>	34%	<i>Not applicable</i>
0%	<i>Walk</i>		

Q32 How many trips do you make for business purposes during an average month?

26%	<i>None</i>	8%	<i>21 to 30</i>
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Appendix 1

Travel Survey 2009 - Results Summary

30%	1 to 10	6%	31 to 40
21%	11 to 20	9%	More than 40

Q33 Do you have to travel out of Rossendale for business purposes?

13%	Yes, regularly	30%	No
32%	Yes, occasionally	8%	Not applicable
18%	Yes but not very often		

Q34 If yes, how do you usually travel for this?

53%	Car	0%	Cycle
8%	Car share	5%	Other
1%	Bus	33%	Not applicable
0%	Walk		

Source: Kris Barker, Collaborative Research & Consultation Service (CRACS).