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Thank you for your letter of 6 February following up your request for a response to the petition you have received about the improvement of Fishguard town centre. I am sorry for the delay in responding to you on this matter.

The situation has not changed in respect of my own portfolio since I last wrote to you about this issue as there are currently no proposals in existing transport programmes supported by the Welsh Government to take this scheme forward.

However, the Minister for Housing, Regeneration and Heritage has recently undertaken a review of his regeneration portfolio, which will inform the Welsh Government's future investment in town centres. He will be making an announcement on this later this month.

In order to develop the Welsh Government's future direction, our regeneration partners have been involved in the consultation of a draft policy document "Vibrant & Viable Places: New Regeneration Framework". Pembrokeshire County Council, and other local authorities, will be able to present their case for regeneration support via the new framework in future.

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