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Eich cyf/Your ref P-04-445  
Ein cyf/Our ref RE/00206/14

William Powell AM  
Chair Petitions Committee  
Ty Hywel  
Cardiff Bay  
Cardiff  
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Dear William,

Thank you for your letter related to petition P-04-445 Save our Welsh Cats and Dogs from Deaths on the Roads.

Animal welfare is a priority of the Welsh Government, in line with the Animal Health and Welfare Framework.

A review of the policy intent behind the Animal Welfare (Electronic Collars) (Wales) Regulations is planned for later this year if resources permit; 'invisible' fences will be considered as part of this process.

I am unable to accept the invitation to visit the petitioner's premises, however my officials could visit for evidence-gathering purposes as part of the planned review, if time allows. Any invitation should be sent to [companionanimalwelfare@wales.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:companionanimalwelfare@wales.gsi.gov.uk).

Ys.

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