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from Philip Bradbourn MEP

For Lichfield

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Local MEP meets with leaders of Lichfield District Council

Local Conservative MEP Philip Bradbourn met with leaders of Lichfield District Council last night to discuss the future of regional government, local transport networks, and the future of the internal market in the European Union.

Mr. Bradbourn also discussed the impact of aviation security on the region's airports and the Trans-European transport network funding which is available to develop transport infrastructure.

Mr Bradbourn, a senior member of the European Parliament's Transport Committee said:

“The impact of overly rigid transport policy in Lichfield and throughout the region, such as the Mobile Workers Working Time Directive, continues to have a negative impact on local delivery networks, rural bus routes, and self employed drivers. I have always wanted to maintain a flexible arrangement according to UK regulations, and I am continuing to oppose the expansion of this legislation.

I will continue to maintain my involvement with Lichfield District Councillors, and work with them on projects in Lichfield and the surrounding areas.”

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