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Introduction

We are pleased to announce the rollout of new developments to FindMyStreet! To help us improve FindMyStreet we have received over 250 submissions giving us feedback of what to include next. We've listened to your requests and are delighted to unveil enhancements. Our focus has been on improving the search functionality, map features, List of Streets, and Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) sections. These upgrades are designed to improve the user experience, ensuring FindMyStreet is more user-friendly than ever. Thank you for helping us shape the future!

I. Search Function

A. Search by Postcode

With the latest update, users can now conveniently search for locations using postcodes. In addition to the search by Street Name or USRN, Postcode search provides an extra option to find desired locations quickly.

B. Prioritisation of Search Results

We have implemented advanced logic to prioritise search results based on relevance. This enhancement ensures that users receive the most pertinent information upfront.

II. Map Features

c. Addition of Highway Boundaries Layer

FindMyStreet now includes a highway boundaries layer, enriching the map interface with essential road network information. Users can toggle this layer on/off, enabling customisation of the map view according to preferences and needs.

D. Addition of Ward Boundaries Layer

An enhanced mapping experience with the additional ward boundaries! Viewable at a 5km zoom level. The toggle on/off capability empowers the tailoring of the map display, offering flexibility and clarity in navigation.

E. Enhancements to Map Key

We have revamped the map key to provide clearer guidance and understanding of the

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symbols, colours and other visual elements on the map. These improvements allow easy identification of layers.

F. Changes to Road Classification Text

Revisions to road classification text to reduce ambiguity and improve clarity. Where a Road Classification is neither M, A, B or C classification, text is now recorded as "Neither, M, A, B or Instead of the previously stated "None".

III. List of Streets

G. Classification Field Addition

The addition of a classification field enriches the street list, providing users with valuable insights into road attributes. This enhancement enhances the relevance and usability of the street information.

ıv. Content

H. New and Updated FAQs Information

We have expanded our FAQs section to address common user queries comprehensively. This resource serves as a valuable support tool, empowering users with relevant information and guidance.

v. Conclusion

Phase 3 introduces enhancements to FindMyStreet search function and map features. We are excited about the improved user experience and anticipate that these updates will improve navigation and elevate user satisfaction.

We look forward to your continued support and feedback as we strive to deliver valuable solutions for your navigation needs.

If you have any questions or queries, please contact us at <u>Support@geoplace.co.uk</u>