



House of Lords

20/10/08

Dear Andrew,

Congratulations on your
new appointment in DfT.
Quite a change from your
previous role in Education.

Please let me know if
you would like me to brief
you on behalf of Greater
Manchester Authorities on the
progress of our bid to get
Transport Innovation Fund
money for our City Region.
We are due to have a

referendum at the end of
November.

Best wishes

Rich Smith

Smith of Leaf