

STATEMENTS

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West of England Combined Authority Committee meeting on 14 October 2022

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| 1 | David Redgewell |
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1. David Redgewell vice chair Rail future Severnside.

We very much welcome the master plan

For the Temple meads station and Temple quarter redevelopment plan .

With the support from the Department for leveling up and the Department for Transport.

The work by mayor malvin Rees the city mayor and the Regional support from city region leavers Banes Kevin guy,

Toby savage South Gloucestershire council and steve Bridger leader of North Somerset council.

And the office of the metro mayor Dan Norris west of England mayoral combined Authority.

Western gateway partnership and transport Board south west transport Board and Network rail western.

By working together we got the money to progress this very important South west regional transport and regeneration project.

Temple meads station is at the heart of the London Paddington to South west England Railway Network through Bristol to Penzance. Via Taunton, Exeter and Plymouth.

Bristol Temple meads to South wales

Bristol to Birmingham New street, Manchester / North west England/ North East England and Scotland.

Bristol Temple Meads station to Bath spa Westbury warminster Salisbury Southampton central and Portsmouth Harbour.

Westbury, yeovil pen mill and Weymouth

We need the inter city main London Paddington to Bristol Electrification from Chippenham to Bath spa, Bristol Temple meads to Patchway and Bristol parkway to be completed.

On the city journey to net zero.

But from the city region point of view .

Bristol Temple meads station is at the Heart of metro west.

We have the metro west railway Network.

Bristol Temple meads station to Lawrence hill Stapleton road, Montpellier Redland, Clifton Down, sea mills Shirehampton Avonmouth Dock st Andrew road and severn Beach.

Bristol Temple meads station to Bedminster parson street Nailsea and Backwell yatton for clevedon worle parkway Weston million Weston super mare Highbridge and Burnham on sea Bridgwater and Taunton.

Bristol Temple meads to keynsham oidfiled park, Bath spa, Freshford Avoncliff, Bradford on Avon Trowbridge Westbury, warminster, Frome

New station st Anne's park and saltford.

Bristol Temple meads station to Portishead via pill and Ashton Gate new station.

Bristol Temple meads station to Lawrence hill Stapleton road Ashley Down Filton, Abbey wood, Filton North Henbury for cribbs causeway loop to Avonmouth Dock extension.

Bristol Temple meads station to Lawrence hill Stapleton road Ashley Down Filton Abbey wood Bristol parkway station yate cam and Dursey, stonehouse Bristol road, Gloucester and Cheltenham spa.

With Bristol Temple meads being at Heart of Greater Bristol public transport interchanges Gateway to the South west transport Network

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On the station we welcome work on the public transport interchanges on the Friary and Temple gate

We also need a new ferry service terminal with fully disabled landing stage facilities and ferry services

Covered walkways to the bus and coach stops like London liverpool street.

Or London Bridge .

Lift and level surfaces for disabled passengers and passengers with reduced mobility and luggage.

New shopping facilities, chemists supermarkets Restaurants and modern waiting rooms and tickets facilities.

British transport police station.

Toilets modern waiting rooms and changing places facilities.

Taxis facilities.

And light rail system interchange station on the Friary for a services via st Phillips marsh Arnos vale, Bristlington, keynsham, Salford ,Newbridge Weston and Bath spa bus and coach station.

Using the North Somerset Railway line through Brislington.

And link via callington road to Hengrove park Hospital, Hartcliffe,withywood and Bristol Airport.

A modern Hotel with in the station area .

Including renovating the Grosvenor hotel and the George and railway hotel.

Bus to the city centre Cabot circus.

Clifton Down station Westbury Henbury cribbs causeway bus station.

To Somerset and South Bristol.

Signage to metro bus services.

The bus interchange needs to cover walkways for x39, 39, 349 Bristol Temple meads Arnos vale Bristlington keynsham Salford Newbridge Weston Bath spa bus and coach station.

376 Bristol Temple meads station Knowle Hengrove ,whitchurch ,Pensford Clutton Farrington Gurney wells bus and coach station Glastonbury and street

For yeovil/ Taunton/ Bridgwater.

379 Bristol Temple meads station knowle Hengrove whitchurch pensford Clutton Farrington Gurney Paulton,Midsomer Norton,Westfield Radstock, peasdown st john and Bath spa bus and coach station.

Bus service to South Bristol.

Falcon coach services Bristol Airport churchill east Brent Bridgwater Taunton Wellington cullompton Exeter Newton Abbott and Plymouth coach station

Bristol Airport flyer coach service.

Eastern Entrance is welcomed to the university quarter and bus service proposed by First group to East Bristol. And kingswood.

The South Entrance give ask to the Bath Road car park cycle parking and buses 39 x39 349 Arnos vale , Bristlington keynsham Salford, Newbridge Weston and Bath spa bus and coach.

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Knowle Hengrove whitchurch pensford Clutton, Farrington Gurney, Chewton mendip, Wells, Glastonbury and street.

Farrington Gurney, Paulton Midsomer Norton, paulton ,Midsomer Norton Westfield Radstock peasdown st john and Bath.

Bristlington Broomhill. Services 1 .

The car park need to include staff car park and British transport police car park for staff .

And passenger parking Bristol Temple meads is a major transport hub and requires car parking. With electric charging points

The station is 24 hours aday with staff on Duty Day and night.

Including the British transport police station

We welcome the new footbridge but must have full lift facilities and alternative disabled access if the lifts fail this requires a diversity impact assessments by Network rail western.

The new bridge to Avon street is welcome to the new waterfront housing students flats university campus.

Shops and Southern bus terminal.

For university and city buses

We need we designed quay housing and flats affordable housing and social rented homes and council housing with schools shops and community facilities.

Conference centre and hotel .

It's also important to good train links

Bus services and walking routes to st Anne's and the Netham

With a ferry services.

Walking cycle routes to Bedminster green .good train links to Bedminster station and bus links .

We very much welcome the programme of Regeneration and leveling up at Bristol Temple meads station and Temple quarter.

But their must be full community and passenger engagement.

Including community safety.

We must also design out crime and be aware of both railway and waterways safety.

We need a graffiti removal policy and public square and spaces must include public toilets/ cafe facilities.

Temple meads station needs to be an intercity railway station for South west England and local Regional transport hub

We need very high quality urban design around a grade 1 * listed building Bristol Temple meads and the Heritage around the Temple quay st Thomas street area .

We need a railway station fit for the 21st century in Europe.

END

2. David Redgewell South west transport Network and Railfuture Severnside and Ian Beckey Gloucestershire catch the bus campaign.

This most important the issue with the services 5 y3 y4

Withdraw from Bristol city centre st Pauls st werburges to Fishponds,oidbury court Downend service 5 .

Replace by services 47 Bristol city centre st paul st werburges Eastville park , Fishponds Road, oidbury court Downend Emerson green, puckchurch? westerleight yate bus station.

Only hourly not serving Stapleton and Broomhill.

No evening or Sunday services.

Services y4 Bristol bus and coach station Eastville , Stapleton Frenchay Hambroke ,winterbourne Frampton cotterell ,Iron Acton Coalpit heath yate bus station.

These are the services and the issue.

Transpora buses have said they be interested in these bus routes as would Applegate coaches big lemon and Euro Taxis

Is Nicole Phillips talking to these operators.

With the withdraw from yate bus station of all bus services.

Operated by first group plc

Except services Y1 chipping sodbury yate bus station. Coalpit heath Hambroke. M32 Bristol bus and coach station

Y6 Bristol bus and coach station Gloucester Road ,Southmead hospital bus station Bristol
cribbs causeway Filton, Patchway, little stoke, Bristol parkway station Hambroke,
winterbourne Frampton cotterell ,Coalpit heath and chipping sodbury.

This services start and finishes at Bristol bus and coach station for crew changes .

Services 47 Yate bus station westerleigh puckchurch , Emerson green,Downend

Oidbury court Fishponds road,Eastville Park ,st werburges st Paul's and Bristol bus and coach
station with no evening and Sunday services.

The level of bus services in the chipping sodbury and yate services are reduced
Dramatically

We need to get the y3 / y4 need to be restored from Yate bus station to Coalpit heath
winterbourne Frampton cotterell iron Acton Hambroke Frenchay Stapleton Eastville park St
werburges and st Paul's and Bristol bus and coach station.

We need marketing of cheap fares on all first group plc and stagecoach group buses and
Euro Taxis, Applegate

Who now operating local service 62

Thornbury Sharpness Berkley cam and Dursey may lane bus station.

Now Applegate coaches .

With connections by first group T1 Thornbury to Bristol bus and coach via Bradley stoke
Euro Taxis is operating.

626 wootton under edge

Iron Acton.

Winterbourne .

Hambroke .

Frenchay.

Stapleton.

Eastville park

Bristol city centre.

Cribbs causeway bus station

To Thornbury via wild place

Sunday services 622

Now Euro Taxis

Services 13 Cribbs causeway bus station to seven Beach Sunday services.

Now Euro taxi .

We need multi rider tickets for Yate and Thornbury.

And marketing of bus railway intergrated ticketing at yate station,Bristol parkway,Filton, Patchway and severn Beach.

Freedom passes tickets and plus bus .

Senior rail card young people railcard together rail card .

Coach cards for National Express coaches.

We need to urgently restore services y4 and 5 urgently or other services on these routes .

First group plc are withdrawn these services from the 9th October 2022

Responsible for funding theses services once the now passes to the west of England mayoral combined transport Authority and mayor Dan Norris to replace theses services with Transport levy from South Gloucestershire council Banes and city and county of Bristol and cross border services from North Somerset.

Devon have replaced all its services no being operated by stagecoach South west.

We need to do the same with the west of England mayoral combined transport

Authority and North Somerset council.

We also need use The west of England mayoral combined transport Authority money to replace and do up bus shelters this is £5 million of west of England mayoral combined transport Authority and North Somerset council grant

We need graffiti removal from.Filton Avenue the Roads around chiswick

On Railway we need to get on with Metro west stag 2 Bristol Temple meads station, Lawrence hill Stapleton road Ashley Down Filton Abbey wood Filton North for the Arena Henbury for cribs causeway and link to Avonmouth in the future

Bristol Temple meads to Lawrence hill Stapleton road Ashley Down Filton Abbey wood Bristol parkway station yate ,charfield,cam and Dursey stonehouse, Bristol road Gloucester central and Cheltenham spa.

Work also need to The master plan for Bristol Parkway station.

With first group Great western railway Network rail western cross country trains German state railway Transport focus

Stagecoach west and first group buses .

and west of England mayoral combined transport Authority.

And public transport Network interchange in Thornbury high street and Thornbury Rock street. Including Taxis .

Their is special west of England mayoral combined Authorty / joint committee meeting on the 14 th October 2022 .

And we need is the metro west stage

address and transport infrastructure for the new YTL arena in Filton roads bus priority measures bus lane Taxis facilities

Roads and infrastructure so the Regional YTL area can progress to have events and concerts

This is an urgent is from mayor Dan Norris of the west of England mayoral combined transport Bristol city council and south Gloucestershire council.

David Redgewell South west transport Network and Railfuture Severnside

Ian Beckey Gloucestershire catch the bus campaign.

END

3. Robbie Bentley

Bristol will look to have a new Bus Station developed next to Temple Meads Station as part of the recent announcement of funding to redevelop the area around it.

In light of the need to have a comprehensive and integrated provision of buses, rail and

potential future Underground services, Is it not necessary to have a thought about the number of locations that currently have no direct service to Temple Meads.

We Need to have a consultation as part of this redevelopment under Transport & Works Act rules as part of this development. I formally propose to have this as a broader conversation about what we feel needs to be done to solve the critical issues we have in terms of our current transport strategy. We also need to consider how we might attract future PT investment into BCR in light of the recent collapse of HCT.

Bristol deserves to have a World Class railway station served by a World Class Public Transport service that meets the needs of all our constituents.

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4. Brendon Taylor - Bristol disability equities forum

Please note that since the withdrawn of bus service 178 .

From Bristol Temple meads station to Arnos vale ,Bristolington ,keynsham marksbury ,Timbury ,paulton,Midsomer Norton.

Also with the loss of the x2 yatton to Bus bus service passenger from yatton for clevedon Nalisea and Backwell parson street and Bedminster to Bristol Temple meads station.

Replacement services.

And loss Y2 y3 y4 y 5 from yate

Passenger travel to Bristol Temple meads station and onward by bus .

This need to feature in the station interchanges plan .

That passenger changes buses at Bristolington to Park and ride site or keynsham church.

From services 349 or 349 39 x39

That Bristol Temple meads is very important as transport hub but we need to protect the west of England mayoral combined transport Authority and North Somerset council bus Network.

We are please to see the mayor has saved services 178 but the services is now operated by Abus / citistar from

Bristolington park and ride site keynsham ,

Marksbury, Timbury, Paulton and midsomer Norton

Some small bus operators like Transpora bus has offered to run with his small fleet of single Decker buses that acquire from Hct group buses.

They have informed the west of England mayoral combined transport Authority.

That they could run services

Bath spa bus and coach station to Bathampton service 11

Services 12 Bath spa bus and coach station to Haycombe cemetery.

And services 20 possible. Bath circle via ruh .

The company has a western traffic commissioner Kevin Rooney area operating licence.

On services D2 Frome Beckington Rode Norton st Phillips, Midford, Bath bus and coach station

Has loss its every morning journey

Nurses at the Royal United hospital have raised the lack of an early morning service to Bath spa bus and coach.

This services finished this week week

I think the only way forward in the Greater Bristol Bath city region and North Somerset council area will be bus Franchising. With the mayor.

But need a political discussion can I leave this issue for you to discuss with Transporta buses and big Lemon buses

and the west of England mayoral combined transport Authority and North Somerset council

In North Somerset council this issue is the restoration of Service 55 whitchurch Hengrove, Dundry Bristol Airport.

56 Bristol Airport to yatton and clevedon.

Clevedon town services. 53

126 section from cheddar, Axbridge winscombe Banwell locking Weston bus and coach station to meet service 11 at

At Axbridge Town hall.

X2 is replacement by the First group Great western railway Train service Nalisea and Backwell parson street Bedminster and Bristol Temple meads

And Great western railway train services from Yatton for clevedon worle parkway Weston million Weston super mare Highbridge and Burnham on sea Bridgwater and Taunton.

But we need a bus link from A371 .

Village to yatton station. Bristol Airport

Clevedon , claverham clevee and cong

We need for North Somerset council and the west of England mayoral combined transport Authority to fill the Network gaps under the Transport act 1985 and Transport act 2000 which put the duty for support bus services that can be run commercially on the local transport Authority in west of England mayoral combined transport Authority. That on behalf of South Gloucestershire council Banes and city and county of Bristol.

And the bus service improvements plan with North Somerset council.

The present Somerset and Gloucestershire Greater Bristol and Bath city region bus cut were reviewed and agreed by the Department for transport in the covid 19 bus operator recovery grant covid review.

Services 5 Bristol city centre to St Paul st werburges Eastville park Stapleton Broomhill Fishponds oidbury court Downend.

Has been partly replaced by Services 47

Yate bus station puckchurch ,westerleigh Emerson green,Downend,oidbury court Fishponds,st werburges and st Paul's Bristol bus station.

Y4 y3 Bristol bus and coach station st Paul st werburges Eastville park Stapleton Frenchay winterbourne Frampton cotterell Coalpit heath Yate park and ride yate rail station,yate bus station .

Finally we hope the mayor Dan Norris and North Somerset council Transport executive councillor steve Hogg.

Are following the investigation into the racism that passenger say are being carried out on the Falcon coach services. From Plymouth coach station to Bristol Bond street. Via Newton Abbott Exeter cullompton,Wellington, Taunton Bridgwater ,East Brent, churchill ,Bristol Airport, Bristol Harbourside and Bristol Bond street

With stagecoach group South west and the Avon and Somerset police and the RMT union at Plymouth bus Depot .

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