

Meeting Title:	Southampton Enhanced Partnership Board & Site Tour by bus – AGENDA
Date:	23rd April 2024
Time:	10.00-12.30
Location:	Bluestar bus depot, Empress Road, Southampton, SO17 0JW
Invitees:	<p>Cllr Eamonn Keogh, SCC Cabinet Member for Environment & Transport (Chair); Cllr Nick Adams-King, HCC Executive Lead Member for Universal Services; Pete Boustred, SCC Head of Transport & Planning; Wade Holmes, SCC, Service Manager, Integrated Transport; Richard Tyldsley, Go South Coast General Manager; Richard Soper, South Hampshire Bus Operators Association (SHBOA); Andrew Wickham, Go South Coast Managing Director;</p> <p>Ben Kempner, Department for Transport Bus Team (observer); Peter Duggan, Department for Transport Bus Team (observer); Andrew Wilson, HCC Strategic Transport Manager (Public Transport) (observer); Conrad Haigh, Solent Transport Manager (observer); Iain Steane, SCC Transport Policy & Sustainable Travel Manager (non-voting); Emma Baker, SCC Strategic Transport Planner (non-voting); David Garney, SCC Senior Transport Planner (non-voting).</p>
Apologies:	
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Ref	Item	Presenting
1	Welcome & Introductions (5)	Cllr Keogh
2	Minutes & Actions from Previous Meeting (5)	All
3	Review of the year (45)	IS/AWI/CH/ RT
	Celebrating one year of the Southampton EP and the way forward. Informing the 2024 BSIP update.	
	BREAK - (10)	
4	EP Working Group Highlights (30)	EB/DG
	<p>EP Strategic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. 2024 BSIP document preview and Bus Connectivity Assessment b. Bus Route Investment Plan update <p>Infrastructure works</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> c. Infrastructure programme update including the major schemes. Itchen Bridge, Ring Road, Marchwood/Rushington, Bishopstoke and Eastleigh to Southampton and Albion Place. <p>Comms & Engagement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> d. Comms & Marketing Activities 	

5	Round Table Update (30)	All
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. DfT b. Go South Coast c. SHBOA (on behalf of smaller operators) d. Hampshire County Council e. Southampton City Council f. Solent Transport 	
6	Date of EP Board Meetings	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 19 July 2024, Civic Centre • October 2024, date to be agreed 	
7	AOB (5)	All
	Date of next meeting: 19 July 2024 – Civic Centre	

Site Tour

From 13.00, a tour by modern Euro VI compliant Bluestar bus to see the following developments:

- **Portland Terrace Bus Gate and Albion Place Transport Hub**
A trip along the bus gate that opened in November 2023, and to see progress on the transport hub which will open in Autumn 2024.
- **Central Station South Transport Interchange**
Opened in December 2023 and completed in conjunction with South Western Railway.
- **Southampton West Park & Ride (Transforming Cities Fund) via Millbrook Road West**
Works completed to support bus services to the Hospital, and for the possibility of Southampton's first park & ride site at the location of the University Hospitals Southampton staff park & ride facility.
- **Marchwood by-pass and Rushington Roundabout bus priority**
A new bus lane on the Marchwood Bypass approach to Rushington Roundabout together with a new bus gate along the A326 and associated priority signals.
- **Glen Eyre Quietway including a bus gate**
Traffic calming measures and pedestrian and cyclist improvements.

