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*SENT ON BEHALF OF COUNCILLOR ANDREA DAVIS, PENINSULA TRANSPORT CHAIRMAN*

Dear stakeholder,

Peninsula Transport, the sub-national transport body for Cornwall, Devon, Plymouth, Somerset and Torbay councils, have opened a public consultation on its draft transport strategy.

The strategy will be used to guide regional transport investment decisions through to 2050. It sets out four outcomes and a route map to achieving a strategic transport network that works for everyone – from businesses to communities and visitors.

Please find attached a briefing setting out more details on the strategy as well as the planned webinars. The strategy document is available on our website: <https://www.peninsulatrtransport.org.uk/peninsula-transport-strategy-consultation/>

We invite you to read the strategy and take part in the consultation by filling out our short feedback survey here: [https://plymouth-consult.objective.co.uk/public/transport/peninsula\\_transport\\_strategy](https://plymouth-consult.objective.co.uk/public/transport/peninsula_transport_strategy)

The deadline for comments is 5 February 2024.

Any help in onward promotion would also be most appreciated in order to help us get as many views as possible. We have put together a communications toolkit which may be helpful in sharing across your channels, this is available on our website: <https://www.peninsulatrtransport.org.uk/peninsula-transport-strategy-consultation-communications-toolkit/>

Best wishes,

Councillor Andrea Davis

Chairman of Peninsula Transport

## **PENINSULA TRANSPORT: SHAPING THE FUTURE OF TRANSPORT ACROSS THE SOUTH WEST**

### **Briefing note: Peninsula Transport Strategy consultation, December 2023**

Peninsula Transport, the sub-national transport body for Cornwall, Devon, Plymouth, Somerset and Torbay councils, is running a public consultation on its draft transport strategy.

The strategy will be used to guide regional transport investment decisions through to 2050. It sets out four outcomes and a route map to achieving a strategic transport network that works for everyone – from businesses to communities and visitors.

By 2030 the desired outcomes are:

- **Easier journeys:** integrating walking and wheeling with the bus and rail network, to make getting around without a car easy.
- **Going electric:** affordable zero-emission transport through a reliable electric vehicle charging network.
- **A connected peninsula:** safe, reliable and resilient road and rail travel within the peninsula and beyond.

These outcomes will ultimately lead to the key objective of:

- **Completing the network:** improved connections within a growing and fully integrated transport network on a path to net zero.

The strategy will be the foundation of a Strategic Investment Plan which will identify and prioritise transport schemes and projects that reflect national and regional policies and best meet the needs of the user. The transport strategy does not replace Local Transport Plans developed by local authorities but provides a series of strategic objectives to guide the development of local policies.

The strategy is available on our consultation space held on [www.peninsulatrtransport.org.uk](http://www.peninsulatrtransport.org.uk)

### **CONSULTATION AND EVENTS**

Our consultation is now open and we invite stakeholders to review the Peninsula Transport Strategy and feedback to Peninsula Transport through a short online survey that can be found at: [https://plymouth-consult.objective.co.uk/public/transport/peninsula\\_transport\\_strategy](https://plymouth-consult.objective.co.uk/public/transport/peninsula_transport_strategy)

**Webinars:** Peninsula Transport will be hosting free webinars throughout January 2024, open to anyone interested in finding out more about the strategy. Dates will be released shortly any people can pre-register interest at [www.peninsulatrtransport.org.uk](http://www.peninsulatrtransport.org.uk).

**Share:** help spread the work and share our consultation with others. Please feel free to share this briefing and the link with your networks. We are also promoting the strategy via our social media channels and would welcome your support in sharing content across your own channels.

- LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/company/peninsula-transport/>
- X (formerly Twitter): <https://twitter.com/PensTransport>

### **EVIDENCE BASE**

We consulted on and finalised our vision, which also set out a series of high-level goals for the STB to take forward, in 2021. Since then, we have produced a comprehensive evidence base to create a