

BANES Cabinet 1st February 2017

SWTN, Railfuture and Bus Users UK wish to make the following points :-

We are very concerned over the loss of bus services if the Council's in the proposed combined authority cut bus services especially in East Bristol, Bath and Keynsham where routes under threat could include service 16 UWE - Hanham, 18A Emersons Green - Shirehampton via Bristol Parkway, 17 Keynsham - Southmead Hospital , 19/10A Bath - Cribbs Causeway, 36 South Bristol, 37 Bristol - Bath. Many of these routes are evening and Sunday services.

500 group services in Bristol and rural buses in BANES re: service 267.

We would urge the cabinet and council not to cut services or local rail investment at a time when we are trying to build MetroBus and MetroRail.

We are also very concerned about services 50 & 51 in South Bristol City Centre - Whitchurch and South Bristol Hospital and a need to find a solution for the replacement service 6 & 7 in Bath using the Swainswick shuttle.

We are worried over the loss of PCSO's on the transport network in Bristol and money for Ashley Down and Portway Park and Ride stations in the capital programme and the need to maintain funding for tourism initiatives in Bristol and Bath.

Thanks

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