

Have Your Say

Bath city centre questionnaire

We want to hear your views about the proposals for Bath city centre. Your feedback will help to shape what happens next.

Please fill in the responses and return to: Bath Consultation, West of England Combined Authority, 70 Redcliff St, Bristol, BS1 6AL.

Sustainable travel

1. What improvements in Bath city centre would you like to see to support people walking, wheeling (for example if you use a wheelchair or mobility scooter) or cycling?

THREE options maximum

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Segregated (or dedicated) cycle lanes | <input type="checkbox"/> More places to sit and rest |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 'Quiet routes' for cyclists and pedestrians (Quiet routes are designated where traffic and speeds are low thanks to traffic calming such as speed bumps) | <input type="checkbox"/> Better directional signs and maps |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Safe, secure places to store bikes (e.g. cycle stands, storage lockers) | <input type="checkbox"/> Fewer unnecessary objects that can clutter pavements (such as signage and poles) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic signals that allow cyclists to go before general traffic | <input type="checkbox"/> Nothing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wider pavements | <input type="checkbox"/> Something else - please specify below |
| <input type="checkbox"/> More continuous pavements with less kerbs and changes in levels | <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 60px; width: 100%;"></div> |

2. What improvements in Bath city centre would you like to see to support people taking the bus?

TWO options maximum

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bus-only roads and bus lanes - so that buses can avoid queuing traffic and congestion | <input type="checkbox"/> Better ways to change between different types of transport |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Special arrangements at junctions which give buses priority over general traffic (includes traffic signals that detect buses) | <input type="checkbox"/> Nothing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Improved bus stops - which might include new seating and digital timetable information | <input type="checkbox"/> Something else - please specify below |
| | <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 60px; width: 100%;"></div> |

Cross - city centre cycling route

Getting across Bath city centre on bike can be challenging at the moment. Our proposals create a direct two-way route for cyclists, linking Green Park in the west to Bridge Street in the east, connecting into the wider cycling network.

1. Do you think this proposal will encourage more people to cycle in Bath?

Yes No

If yes, why?

It will make cycling easier

Other - please specify below

It will make cycling safer

It will make cycling quicker

2. If you think these proposals could be improved, please tell us how

Changes to St James's Parade and the Ambury Gyratory

Our proposals to change St James's Parade and the Ambury Gyratory will make bus travel quicker and more reliable and create a safer and easier cycle route.

1. Do you think that more people will use buses in Bath if buses were more punctual as a result of these proposals?

Yes No

2. Do you think that more people will use buses in Bath if buses were quicker as a result of these proposals?

Yes No

3. Do you think the new cycle lane in this proposal will encourage more people to cycle in Bath?

Yes No

If yes, why?

It will make cycling easier

Other - please specify below

It will make cycling safer

It will make cycling quicker

4. If you think these proposals could be improved, please tell us how

5. Is there anything else you'd like to say about the proposals generally?

Tell us about yourself

Why is this important?

This information will help us to evaluate how the proposals might affect people based on how they currently travel and ensure they consider the needs of protected groups.

1. Are you responding as...?

Please select the one option that best describes you:

A resident

A visitor

A student

A representative of a local community group, residents' association, business or anything else. Please specify below.

2. What is your full postcode?

Please leave blank if you prefer. We will use this for analysis only and not to identify you.

3. How did you find out about this consultation?

Select all that apply

Leaflet

Bus stop advertisement

Have Your Say website

West of England Combined Authority website

Bath & North East Somerset Council website

Social media

Newspapers (including online publications)

E-newsletter

Word of mouth

4. Are you:

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> In education | <input type="checkbox"/> A stay at home parent, carer or similar |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Employed | <input type="checkbox"/> Retired |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Self-employed | <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to work |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unemployed | <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to say |

5. How do you normally travel?

Select THREE maximum

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|----------------------------------|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Car | <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle | <input type="checkbox"/> Park & Ride |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bus | <input type="checkbox"/> Walking | <input type="checkbox"/> Taxi |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Train | <input type="checkbox"/> Wheeling (e.g. wheelchair, mobility scooter) | <input type="checkbox"/> Van / lorry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle | <input type="checkbox"/> E-scooter | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify below) |

Inclusivity

It's important to us that we collect feedback from as many different people as possible so that we can fully understand the needs of everyone in our communities. The following questions below help us to do that and we would be grateful to receive your input. You are not obliged to complete this section, but please do be reassured that any information you share with us will be held and used in the strictest confidence (and remain anonymous) and for the purpose of this consultation only.

1. What is your age group?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Under 18 | <input type="checkbox"/> 50 - 59 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 19 - 24 | <input type="checkbox"/> 60 - 64 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 25 - 30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 65 - 74 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 31 - 39 | <input type="checkbox"/> Over 75 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 40 - 49 | <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to say |

2. What is your gender?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Female | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Male | <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to say |

3. Do you have a gender identity that is different from the sex you were assigned at birth?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to say |
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4. What is your sexual orientation?

- Bisexual Other Heterosexual
- Gay or lesbian Prefer not to say

5. What is your ethnic group?

- Arab White - English/Welsh/
Scottish/Northern Irish/
British Other ethnic group
- Asian/Asian British White - Gypsy, Roma or
Irish traveller Prefer not to say
- Black/ Black British/
African/Caribbean White - Irish
- Mixed/Multiple
ethnic groups White - other

6. What is your religion/belief?

- Buddhist Sikh
- Christian Any other religion
- Hindu No religion
- Jewish Prefer not to say
- Muslim

7. Do you consider yourself to be a disabled person?

(i.e. do you have physical or mental impairment which has a substantial long term adverse effect on your ability to carry out day-to-day activities?)

- Yes No Prefer not to say

Thank you

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire; your feedback is important to us. All feedback received will be reviewed and considered in the development of our proposals.

We will report back on the feedback we receive, but details of individual responses will remain anonymous, and we will keep your personal details confidential.

Alternative formats

If you would like this information in another language, Braille, audio tape, large print, easy to read English, BSL video, CD or plain text please contact: **0117 428 6210** (leave your name, address and request on the answerphone) or email bath.bigchoices@westofengland-ca.gov.co.uk.

Register for email updates

If you wish to receive email updates on this project, please visit www.haveyoursaywest.co.uk to register.
Closing date for responses:
23:59 Sunday 24 December 2023

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