



A4 Bath to Bristol project – 2025 public consultation

Questionnaire

About the project

The A4 is one of the region's main transport corridors and a key focus for future growth. It connects Bristol and Bath, as well as major innovation areas like Bristol's Temple Quarter and Bath's Riverside Innovation District. Anyone who travels on the A4 between Bath and Bristol knows that traffic can be a real problem – especially during rush hour. Over 62% of commuters drive to work between the two cities.

Over the next 20 years, thousands of new homes are expected to be built in the area, which will only add to this.

The A4 Bath to Bristol project is designed to give people better options to travel sustainably and to make safer, more pleasant routes for pedestrians and cyclists. Most of the plans have been designed to not take away lanes of traffic for vehicles and include:

- New bus lanes for faster, more reliable journeys
- Nearly 150 upgraded bus stops
- Safer crossings for people walking, wheeling or cycling especially to schools
- Around 3.5 miles (5.5km) of new cycle lanes, many fully separated from traffic

For many, driving will continue to be the most convenient way to travel. At the same time, others depend on buses, walking, wheeling, or cycling to get to work, school or appointments. By improving these alternatives, it will make it easier for people to leave the car at home when they want to, helping to ease congestion and keeping the road flowing more smoothly for those who do need to drive. As well as changes to the A4 itself, proposals include improvements to nearby side roads, safer routes around local schools, and aims to improve access for pedestrians and cyclists to reach the A4.

Responding to the consultation

We want to hear your views on our updated plans for the A4 Bath to Bristol project. The deadline for responding is Tuesday 2 December 2025.

You can return your questionnaire to us, free of charge, by posting to: FREEPOST West of England Combined Authority

Alternatively, you can email a scan of it to: bathtobristol@westofengland-ca.gov.uk

Please read the relevant sections of the consultation materials to help inform your responses in this questionnaire. You can read the latest proposals at: www.haveyoursaywest.co.uk

To request paper copies of the proposals, please email us at



bathtobristol@westofengland-ca.gov.uk or call us on 0117 428 6210.

1. How do you normally travel on the A4 between Bath and Bristol? (please tick all that apply)

- Walk
- Cycle
- Bus
- Mobility scooter / Wheelchair
- Motorcycle
- Car / Van (as a driver or a passenger)
- Taxi
- Other

If you ticked 'Other', please specify in the box below

2. Do you have any comments about our proposals for Brislington and Totterdown, including Arnos Vale, the A4 between West Town Lane and Emery Road, and the traffic calming and walking and cycling measures in Brislington?

As a reminder, we are not consulting on proposals for the section of the A4 between the junction of the A4 with Emery Road and Stockwood Road and Hicks Gate roundabout. You will have an opportunity to have your say on this in the future.



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3. Do you have any comments about our proposals for Salford and Keynsham, including the A4 between Broadmead roundabout and Saltford village, and Norman Road?

As a reminder, we are not consulting on the Keynsham bypass. You will have an opportunity to have your say on this in the future.



4. Do you have any comments about our proposals for Bath, including the A4 between the Globe roundabout and Upper Bristol Road, including Twerton Fork and Newbridge Road?



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5. Do you have any comments about our proposals for the Bristol and Bath Railway Path, including the link to the Bird in Hand pub and the Railway Path extension in Newbridge?



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6. Do you have any comments about our proposed upgrades to bus stops?

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7. Do you have any other comments you would like to add?



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About you

We would like to ask a few demographic questions to help us understand who is responding to this questionnaire. This information will help ensure we hear from a diverse range of people and consider different needs when planning improvements as part of the A4 Bath to Bristol project. Your responses will remain anonymous and will only be used to help shape future engagement and decision-making.

8. What is your age group? (Please put a tick in the box that applies to you)

- Under 15
- 16 - 24
- 25 - 34
- 35 - 44
- 45 - 54
- 55 - 64
- 65 - 74
- 75 +
- Prefer not to say

9. Which of the following best describes your gender? (Please put a tick in the box that applies to you)

- Female
- Male
- Non-binary
- My gender is not listed
- Prefer not to say



10. What is your ethnic group? (Please put a tick in the box that applies to you)

Asian or Asian British

- Bangladeshi
- Chinese
- Indian
- Pakistani
- Any other Asian background

Black, Black British, Caribbean or African

- African
- Caribbean
- Any other Black, Black British, Caribbean background

Mixed / Multiple ethnic groups

- White and Asian
- White and Black African
- White and Black Caribbean
- Any other Mixed or multiple ethnic background

White

- English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British
- Gypsy or Irish Traveller
- Irish
- Roma
- Any other ethnic group

Other

- Prefer not to say



11. What is your postcode? This will help us to understand where your feedback is coming from.

12. Are you responding as an individual or as a representative of a business or organisation?

- Individual
- On behalf of a business or organisation

If you are responding on behalf of an organisation (business, community group, residents' association, education establishment, council or any other organisation), please tell us the name of your organisation.

13. Please tell us about your employment status. (Please put a tick in the box that applies to you)

Are you:

- In education
- Employed
- Self employed
- Unemployed
- A stay-at-home parent, carer or similar
- Retired
- Unable to work
- Prefer not to say



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14. Are your day-to day activities limited because of a health problem or disability which has lasted, or is expected to last at least 12 months? (Please put a tick in the box that applies to you)

- No
- Yes, limited a little
- Yes, limited a lot
- Prefer not to say

Thank you for completing our questionnaire

We only collect the personal details you choose to provide, along with anonymous statistical data. Your information is used to improve services, send updates (if you opt in), and for essential administration with trusted partners. We keep your data secure, only share it when required by law or for safety reasons, and retain it only as long as necessary.



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