

Equalities & Access to Healthcare Forum Friday 2nd November 2018 Item 7. Bus Real-Time Passenger Information Update

Bus Real Time Passenger Information Update

1. Introduction

1.1 The report provides Members with an update on the current status and progress of the regional Real Time Passenger Information system.

2. Real-Time Passenger Information (RTPI)

- 2.1 On 25th September 2018, SEStran held an RTPI Project meeting at the WYG Offices in Edinburgh. In attendance were representatives from Stagecoach East Scotland, City of Edinburgh Council, First Buses Edinburgh, Travelline Scotland, Borders Buses, Borders Council, INEO, and WYG.
- **2.2** First Bus East are in the process of integrating their buses back into the SEStran/INEO system on a temporary basis, until their new system is fully operational.
- 2.3 Until the system is operating fully in areas served primarily by Stagecoach & First Bus East SEStran has developed a general travel information layout that will help the public with travel information, Thistle Assistance Card, news & weather. This layout will be displayed in screens in Fife, West Lothian, Clackmannanshire and Falkirk,
- **2.4** SEStran/Borders Buses/Scottish Borders Council are working jointly to improve quality/accuracy of the information provided at the Interchange.
- 2.5 The City of Edinburgh Council is finalising the preparation for a new content management system (CMS). The Procurement Team of the CEC have determined that a NEC Contract tender should be issued within the next couple of months. It is hoped to have the new system operating early in the new financial year. Bustracker SEStran will be integrated with the new CMS.

3. Recommendations

3.1 It is recommended that the Members take note of the contents of the report.

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Policy Implications	None
Financial Implications	None
Equalities Implications	None
Climate Change Implications	None