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To whom it may concern,

The commencement of passenger train services on the Airport Line in the first half of 2022 will mark a significant change in the public transport network through Perth's eastern suburbs.

As part of the forward planning and preparation for these changes Transperth has developed a conceptual bus route network geared towards supporting the forthcoming expansion of the rail network.

These changes, which will be focused on integrating the bus route network with the new train line, will reflect the changes in travel patterns that it is anticipated will eventuate as a result of the new train service.

The new Airport Line supporting bus network will:

- Offer expanded bus service frequency with extended operating hours throughout the week;
- Integrate bus services to connect with train services at Redcliffe and High Wycombe Stations. Suburbs closer to Perth will maintain direct services to the City;
- Remove network duplication and simplify the number of routes which travel directly to the City;
- Provide expanded opportunities for cross suburban travel negating the need for people to travel into the City.

Transperth has untaken a comprehensive review of existing bus services and is inviting the public to comment on changes which are proposed to be implemented in the first half of 2022. Feedback received throughout this consultation process will be used by Transperth to further meet the broad travel requirements of the community in the eastern suburbs.

To view the proposed network, please visit www.mysaytransport.wa.gov.au

The consultation period will open on Monday 18 October 2021 and will close at 5:00pm Friday 19 November 2021. After this date, Transperth will analyse the feedback received and make changes to the proposed Airport Line bus network where required.

Changes to the dedicated school special network will be undertaken closer to the Airport Line commissioning with service changes communicated directly to each specific school community.

Please feel free to forward this information to those who may be interested or affected.

Kind regards,

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