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John Mothersole
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Dear Sir

Re: Chesterfield Road

Buses have a particularly key role to play in enabling towns and cities to prosper. As well as being the main mode of travel for many people, they have a vital role in reducing traffic congestion. It is therefore essential that the investment is made in selective bus priority measures to make buses more punctual and reliable with journey times quicker and more predictable, in order to improve the customer experience and to improve opportunity for modal shift. This will improve the sustainability of the commercial bus network and improve air quality in the area. Reducing general traffic congestion also provides wider economic benefits.

For the reasons outlined above, Stagecoach strongly supports the proposed scheme.

Yours faithfully



John Young
Commercial Director