

Scotland Policy Conferences Keynote Seminar: Next steps for transport in Scotland - infrastructure, decarbonisation and promoting economic growth

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 20th November 2018

Venue: Central Edinburgh



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Jamie Greene MSP, Spokesperson for Transport and Infrastructure, Scottish Conservatives
- 9.05 - 9.15 **Scotland's transport system in context**
Professor Tom Rye, Professor of Transport and Director, Transport Research Institute, Edinburgh Napier University
- Policy priorities for the forthcoming National Transport Strategy: infrastructure delivery and supporting economic growth**
- 9.15 - 9.25 **Derick Murray**, Director, Nestrans
- 9.25 - 9.35 **Neil Amner**, Director, Anderson Strathern and Director, Scottish Chambers of Commerce
- 9.35 - 9.45 Senior representative, infrastructure
- 9.45 - 10.15 Questions and comments from the floor with **Professor Tom Rye**, Professor of Transport and Director, Transport Research Institute, Edinburgh Napier University
- 10.15 - 10.45 **Next steps for Scotland's transport system**
Humza Yousaf MSP, Minister for Transport and Islands, The Scottish Government
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.45 - 10.50 **Chair's closing remarks**
Jamie Greene MSP, Spokesperson for Transport and Infrastructure, Scottish Conservatives
- 10.50 - 11.20 Coffee
- 11.20 - 11.25 **Chair's opening remarks**
Colin Smyth MSP, Shadow Cabinet Secretary for Rural Economy and Connectivity, Scottish Labour
- Decarbonising Scotland's transport system**
- 11.25 - 12.10 **Key issues for implementing low emission zones**
George Gillespie, Executive Director, Land and Environmental Services, Glasgow City Council
Emilia Hanna, Air Pollution Campaigner, Friends of the Earth Scotland
Nicholas Lyes, Head of Roads Policy and Public Affairs Lead, RAC
Martin Reid, Business Unit Director, North, Road Haulage Association
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.10 - 12.55 **Delivering low-carbon infrastructure and increasing uptake of LEVs**
Ross Fairley, Partner and Head of Energy, Power and Utilities, Burges Salmon
Councillor Lynne Short, Convener, City Development Committee, Dundee City Council
Caroline Jones Carrick, Project Director, The TEV Project
Senior speaker to be confirmed
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Scotland Policy Conferences closing remarks**
Colin Smyth MSP, Shadow Cabinet Secretary for Rural Economy and Connectivity, Scottish Labour
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Scotland Policy Conferences