

# UK | NTA | NATIONAL TRANSPORT AWARDS

2026

In association with

**transport**times

## Short-List of Entries

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## 2026 Short-Listed Entries

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### Exemplary approach to Active Travel & Public Space

- AtkinsRéalis, Buckinghamshire Council and MBM Groundworks: White Hart Street Public Realm
- Jacobs, Essex County Council and Harlow and Gilston Garden Town Partnership - Harlow Sustainable Transport Corridor (North to Centre)
- Glasgow City Council - Glasgow Cycle Hire Scheme
- Gloucestershire County Council - A435 Cheltenham to Bishop's Cleeve Cycle Spine
- Islington Council - Widening Participation in Cycling
- Salford City Council - Chapel Street East Phase 1 and New Bailey Gateway Phase 2
- ScotRail's Active Travel Strategy
- Transport for Greater Manchester - Streets for All
- Transport for London - Designing Safer Nights: Active Travel Assessments for Women and Girls
- West of England Combined Authority - West of England Mobility Hubs

### Best Bus Service

- Arriva UK Bus - Arriva Cymru's T51 Service
- Blackpool Transport Services - Lytham Line Service 11
- Brighton & Hove and Metrobus - Route 12
- Gloucestershire County Council - The Robin – Bookable Bus Service for Gloucestershire
- Go North East - Angel21
- Grant Palmer – Jo Service
- McGill's Bus Group - McGill's Midland Bluebird Service 38 – Falkirk to Stirling
- Reading Buses - Windsor Express
- Transdev - The SHUTTLE 662
- Transport for Greater Manchester - All new electric Bee Network bus service for Salford

### Excellence in Road Safety, Traffic Management and Enforcement

- Collard Group Ltd - Transport Excellence
- Glasgow City Region Bus Partnership - Bus Priority AI Measures
- London Borough of Hackney - Hackney Parking Services
- Stagecoach South Wales - Avoidable Road Traffic Accident Scheme (ARTA)
- Stantec / Shetland Islands Council - Glasgow Citywide 20 mph Project
- Stockport Metropolitan Borough Council - Real-Time Driver Behaviour Change on Rural Roads
- Transport for West Midlands - RoadPeace: Zero Tolerance to Road Harm

## Design, Engineering & Construction Project of the Year

- Alexander Dennis - The Alexander Dennis Enviro200EV: lighter and narrower with increased accessibility and efficiency
- Buckinghamshire Council - Marlow Suspension Bridge Major Maintenance and Conservation Works Design & Construction
- Diamond Bus North West - Preston Bus Depot Redevelopment
- Liverpool City Region Combined Authority - Woodside Ferry Terminal Landing Stage
- National Highways, HS2 / BBV / Freyssinet - A46 Kenilworth Bypass
- Network Rail - Liverpool Street station roof refurbishment
- Network Rail - New Hairyres station and transport interchange
- Portsmouth City Council and Bauer Media Outdoor UK - Bus Infrastructure Partnership
- Translink - Bats and Bridges - Engineering Out Risk
- Transport for West Midlands - Revitalising Rail Across the West Midlands

## Outstanding contribution to Net Zero

- Avanti West Coast - Making Net Zero a Reality
- Dundee City Council - Active Travel Dundee (Schools)
- Glasgow City Council - Glasgow Cycle Hire Scheme
- Great Western Railway - Powering Net Zero: GWR's Record-Breaking Battery Train
- Kent County Council and Go-Ahead - Fastrack
- London Borough of Hackney - Delivering Net Zero Through Hackney's Parking and Enforcement Plan 2022–27
- Metroline - Decarbonisation Journey
- Network Rail - East Kilbride Enhancement Project
- The PC Agency - Uber Boat by Thames Clippers
- Transport for Greater Manchester - Powering greener journeys across Greater Manchester: How TfGM is reducing emissions through cleaner buses, trams and active travel

## Best Practice in Diversity, Inclusivity and Accessibility

- Alstom - World's first Pride parade on a train
- Connected Places Catapult, Motability Foundation and Coventry University - Scaling Innovation Programme – National Centre for Accessible Transport (ncat)
- Cornwall Council & ITP by Haskoning - Cornwall Council's innovation in understanding barriers to bus use
- Enfield Council - Enfield Disability Reference Group
- Network Rail - Sexual Harassment Prevention campaign: Sexual Harassment Stops Here
- Rail 74 CRP- Inclusivity Matters – Making Rail Travel Accessible Through Community Rail
- South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority - Barnsley MiCard
- East West Rail – Inclusive Design from the Outset: EWR Accessibility Advisory Approach
- Transport for Wales - Transport for Wales accessibility
- WSP - Gender Inclusive Design Team

## Campaign of the Year

- Alstom - The Greatest Gathering
- Blackpool Transport Services - Festive Family Saver
- Campaign for Better Transport - Better Bus Stops
- Hertfordshire County Council - Choose The Bus
- Network Rail - Project Brunel
- Northern - Train Beats Car
- Scottish Borders Council - RIDONKULOUS
- The Bikeability Trust - Cycle to School Week 2025
- Translink - We're So Glad You're Here: When Walls Speak Welcome
- Transport for Greater Manchester - Hyperlocal marketing to get people on board the bus

## Best Alliance / Collaboration of the Year

- Arriva Midlands, Shrewsbury Big Town Plan Partnership, Shrewsbury BID, Shrewsbury Transport Integration Group, Shropshire Council, Shrewsbury Town Council, West Mercia Police and Crime Commissioner - Shrewsbury Moves: How a Town Finally Got Its Night Bus
- Brighton & Hove and Metrobus - Transforming the way you pay for bus travel
- Light Rail Safety and Standards Board - Safer Tram Crossings - VibeSafe Technology - LRRSB and Efficiency Ups Ltd
- Lothian Buses - Lothian Buses & Police Scotland
- Merseyrail - Rebuilding Futures Alliance: Second Chances
- Network Rail and British Transport Police – Stay off the tracks: You v Train
- Portsmouth City Council - Portsmouth Buses Partnership
- South Eastern Railway - One Railway, One Team: South Eastern Railway's First-Year Impact
- Transpennine Express – Rail Industry Risk Forum
- Transport for Wales - Local T-Network partnerships

## Digital and Technology Excellence in Transport

- Arriva UK Bus - Business Intelligence & Data Transformation Programme
- Blink - First Bus + Blink
- CitySwift & Go-Ahead Group
- Icomera - Connecting Communities: Delivering Consistent Rail Connectivity Through Hybrid Satellite and 5G Innovation: TfW and Icomera
- Moonbility Ltd - Multimodal Disruption Impact Platform
- OnTrack Retail Ltd - Southeastern App - Southeastern & OnTrack Retail Ltd
- Snapper Services Limited - Promoting collaboration between public transport authorities with the Mosaik Global Public Transit Index (GPTI)
- South Western Railway & Signapse – BSL Direct-to-device
- Transport for London - Escalator Annunciator Proof of Concept (EA PoC)
- Window Seater Ltd - LNER guide for children

## Frontline Employee / Community Champion of the Year

- Arriva UK Bus - Dainh Danzine, Customer Service Team Leader
- Arriva Merseyside - Paul Meharg, Bus Driver
- Avanti West Coast - Camille Parchment, Customer Service Assistant, Birmingham New St
- Great Western Railway - Simon Bellinger, Customer Sales Advisor, Pewsey Station
- Greater Thameslink Railway - Lorrae Smith, On-board Supervisor
- McGill's Bus Group – Pummy Hadebe, Bus Driver
- Metroline - Shabir Hassan, Bus Driver
- Stagecoach East Midlands - Derreck Smith, Bus Driver

## Woman of the Year

- Bikeability - Emily Cherry
- Hertfordshire County Council - Alice Missler
- London Borough of Hackney - Gossica Anichebe
- Lothian Group - Sarah Boyd
- Network Rail - Alison Davies
- Pentland Ferries - Helen Inkster
- ScotRail - Kathleen McGee
- Source - Deepa Chandrasekaran
- South Western Railway - Paula Aldridge
- Transport for Greater Manchester - Helen Humble

## Ferry Operator of the Year

- Caledonian MacBrayne
- Pentland Ferries
- Red Funnel
- Uber Boat by Thames Clippers
- Wightlink

## Airport of the Year

- Aberdeen International Airport
- Bristol Airport
- East Midlands Airport
- Edinburgh Airport
- Glasgow Airport
- Liverpool John Lennon Airport
- Manchester Airport
- Southampton Airport

### **Rail Operator of the Year**

- Avanti West Coast
- Great Western Railway
- Greater Anglia
- GTS – Writing the next chapter of the Elizabeth Line
- Heathrow Express
- Hull Trains
- London Northwestern Railway and West Midlands Railway
- Merseyrail
- ScotRail
- South Eastern Railway
- Transport for Wales

### **Tram Operator of the Year**

- Blackpool Transport Services
- Edinburgh Trams
- West Midlands Metro

### **Bus Operator of the Year**

- Blackpool Transport Services
- Brighton & Hove and Metrobus
- Diamond Bus North West
- Go North West Ltd
- Lothian Buses
- Metroline Manchester
- Reading Buses
- Stagecoach East Midlands
- Stagecoach South
- Transdev Keighley Bus Company
- Transport UK London Bus

### **John Prescott Regional Transport Authority of the Year**

- Highlands and Islands Transport Partnership (HITRANS)
- South East of Scotland Transport Partnership Team (SEStran)
- Transport for Greater Manchester
- Transport for West Midlands
- West of England Combined Authority