

Ideas to improve Public Transport collected at Heaton Mersey Farmers Market stall on 21 September.

- Bus drivers to learn to brake smoothly
- Cleaner, safer, well lit buses
- Council walking school bus scheme
- More information as to which buses have buggy ramps
- No parking on main roads
- Improved evening service
- Ban mobile phones on public transport
- Bring back to old railway lines
- Learn from other countries eg Switzerland
- Buy weekly ticket at shop (buy on Saturday – no queue on Monday)
- Cost
- Bus conductors (safety issues)
- Wider cycle lanes separate from road
- Stop people parking in bus/cycle lanes
- Improve bus service reliability
- Better cycle routes – one solid route takes you all the way there and all the way back
- Radial bus routes
- More money from Government
- Posh buses with exec leather seats
- Regular reliable buses – Visit Holland and see how it is done cheaply
- Trains to be more reliable
- Safer cycle routes
- Incentivise more walking and cycling
- Concentric rings for bus routes
- Raise awareness of the benefits of walking -> improve attitudes -> new behaviour -> new habit