

Proposed service changes, Bus Strategy 2011 - 2016

Adoption of the proposed minimum network, defined within the draft bus strategy, would have the following implications;

- **Removal of subsidy from supported Evening services.**

- 1 - Monkmoor to Gains Park, last departure from Bus Station 1818, currently 2318.
- 1 - Gains Park to Monkmoor, last departure from Bus Station 1815. currently 2315.
- 20 - Bus Station to Radbrook, last departure from Bus Station 1813, currently 2245.
- 20 - Radbrook to Bus Station, last departure from Radbrook 1857, currently 2257.
- 8A - Bus Station to Sutton Farm, last departure from Bus Station 1845, currently 2315.
- 8A - Sutton Farm to Bus Station, last departure from Sutton Farm 1827, currently 2257.
- 25 - Bus Station to Harlescott, last departure from the Bus Station 1851 currently, 2251.
- 25 - Bus Station to Bayston Hill, last departure from the Bus Station 1842, currently 2312

- **Service reductions as proposed within the bus strategy**

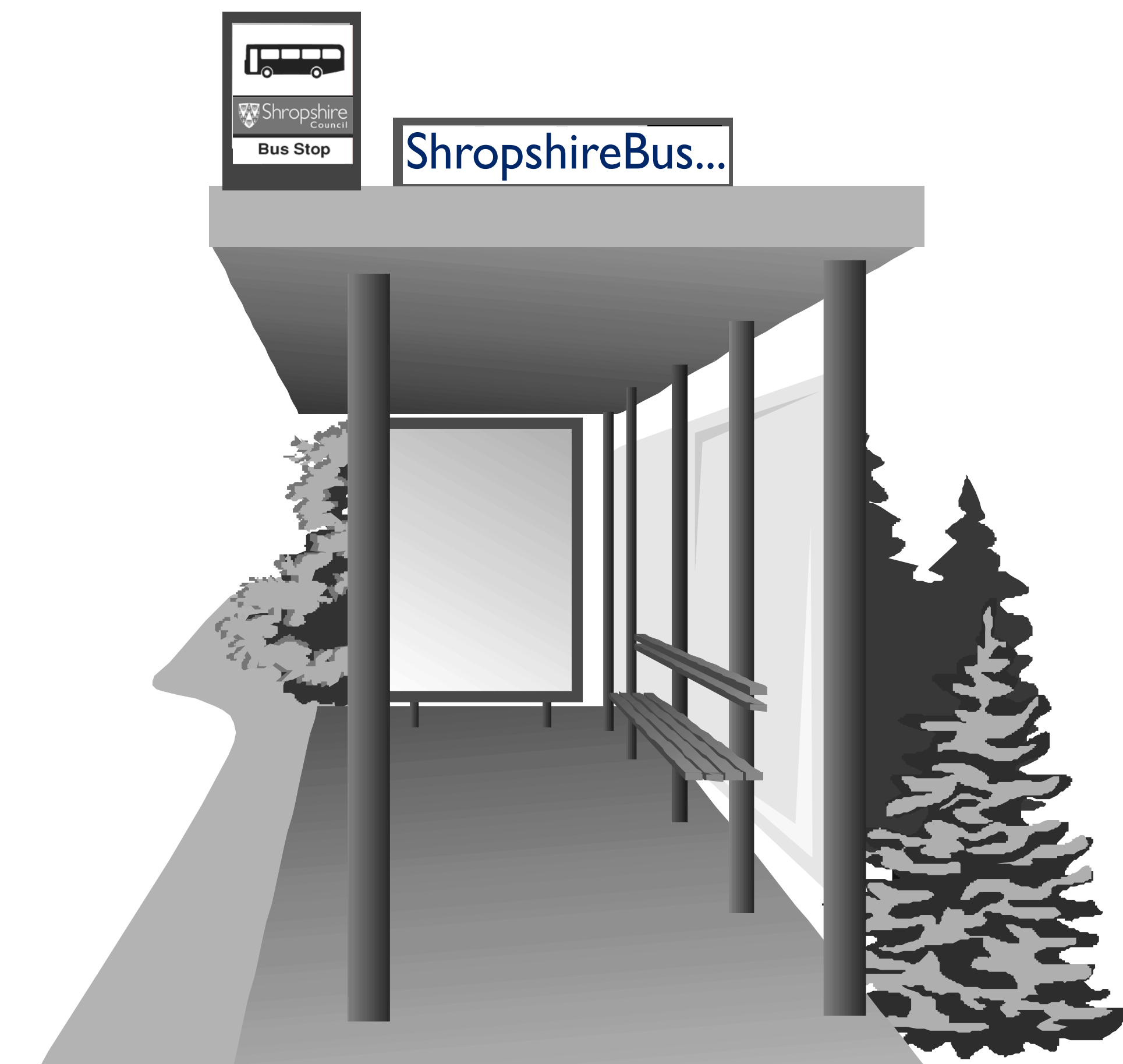
- 435- Ludlow to Shrewsbury, reduce frequency to every 2 hours between peak (9am to 3pm) (Inter-urban service)
- 341 / 342 - Market Drayton to Wellington, reduce frequency of service. (Inter-urban service)
- 26- Meole Village to Shrewsbury Bus Station, remove subsidy. Potential service reduction. (Inter-urban service)
- 201 / 202 - Wem Town Service, reduce days of operation to three days a week. (Inter-urban service)
- 436- Shrewsbury to Bridgnorth, reduce frequency to every 2 hours between peak (9am to 3pm) (Inter-urban service)

- **Removal of subsidy from supported Sunday services.**

- 70 - Oswestry to Shrewsbury
- 436 - Bridgnorth to Shrewsbury
- 501 - Ellesmere to Shrewsbury
- 553 - Bishop's Castle to Shrewsbury
- 64 - Hanley - Shrewsbury - Market Drayton

- **Withdraw subsidy from services predominantly carrying non-entitled school children proposed from September 2012**

- 715- Bouldon to Ludlow, school days only
- 216 - Whitchurch to Calverhall, school days only
- 132 - Cleobury Mortimer to Bridgnorth, school days only
- 731 - Ludlow to Tenbury Wells, school days only
- 755 - Cleobury Mortimer to Ludlow, school days only
- 63 - Ifton Heath to Oswestry, school days only
- 120 - Six Ashes to Bridgnorth, school days only
- 217 - Whitchurch to Market Drayton, school days only
- 815 - Newport to Market Drayton, Monday to Friday



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Proposed service changes, Budget Strategy 2011 / 2012

The 2011 / 2012 Budget Strategy for Shropshire Council commits to a saving of approximately £716,000 from the public transport and concessionary fares budget.

These savings were agreed by Shropshire Council in December 2010 and will be applicable from the stated dates;

From 7 February 2011

- Increase fares on Shrewsbury Park and Ride from £1.40 to £1.60
- Shrewsbury Park and Ride reduction in frequency between 11am and 3pm Monday to Friday. The service will operate every 15 minutes

From 1 April 2011

- Remove Concessions from Shrewsbury Park and Ride.
- Remove Pre 9.30am Concessions.
- Increased fares on subsidised local bus services including ShropshireLink.
- Increase passenger contribution to Community Car Scheme.

Savings will be achieved from removal of subsidised high cost local bus services. The following are services currently being considered.

Removal of subsidy from High Cost Services
(over £4 per passenger trip)

Service 552 / 553 Bishop's Castle to Plox Green

Mon—Sat **1139** departs Bishop's Castle, arrives Plox Green **1205**

Mon—Sat **1339** departs Bishop's Castle, arrives Plox Green **1405**

Mon—Sat **1049** departs Plox Green , arrives Bishop's Castle **1116**

Mon—Sat **1449** departs Plox Green, arrives Bishop's Castle **1516**

Service 20 Radbrook to Shrewsbury Bus Station

Saturday only **0756** departure from Priory School arriving at Shrewsbury Bus Station **0813**

Service 492 (Thursday only service) **Bridgnorth Town Service**

Service 540 (Monday to Saturday service) **Acton Scott to Shrewsbury**

Individual services on various timetables as below

Service 576 - Mon—Fri **0716** departs Ruyton XI Towns, arrives Shrewsbury **0752**

Service 511 - Mon—Fri **0800** departs Shrewsbury, arrives Wem **0845** (replaced by school contract)

Service 524 - School days only **1515** departs Meole Brace School, arrives Roddington **1600**

Service 524 - School days only **1615** departs from Shrewsbury, London Road to Roddington **1650**

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