

## A457 Route 87 Route Improvements

Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council is developing proposals for improvements along the A457 and Bus Route 87 between Cape Hill and Burnt Tree Island (the junction between Sedgley Road West and Birmingham New Road). The purpose of this is to address issues of congestion, look at specific measures to improve bus travel and improve safety.

Your input is valuable and your views on the ideas proposed are invited. We also seek your input as to further suggestions you may have to improve the movement of all users along the A457 and Bus Route 87. Having reviewed the proposals, either via the website: [www.a457route87.co.uk](http://www.a457route87.co.uk), or at the Exhibitions, we would be grateful if you could complete this questionnaire to tell us what you think.

<b>Q1</b>	<b>Generally, are you in favour of the proposals?</b>					
	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>11</sub>	No	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>12</sub>	Don't know	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>13</sub>

<b>Q2</b>	<b>Please tick how often you travel along the road, covered by the proposals, by each of the modes listed.</b>					
		<b>Daily (5 or more times a week)</b>	<b>2- 4 times a week</b>	<b>Once a week</b>	<b>Less often</b>	<b>Never</b>
	(1) Car/Mini cab	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>211</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>212</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>213</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>214</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>215</sub>
	(2) Black Cab	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>221</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>222</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>223</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>224</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>225</sub>
	(3) Van/lorry	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>231</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>232</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>233</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>234</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>235</sub>
	(4) Bus	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>241</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>242</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>243</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>244</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>245</sub>
	(5) Motorbike	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>251</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>252</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>253</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>254</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>255</sub>
	(6) Cycle	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>261</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>262</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>263</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>264</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>265</sub>
	(7) Walking	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>271</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>272</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>273</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>274</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>275</sub>

<b>Q3</b>	<b>As part of your daily travel, what aspects of your journey would you like to see improved? Please tick all that apply.</b>					
	Improved crossing points	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>31</sub>	Cycle Lanes	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>36</sub>	Improved signage	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>311</sub>
	Slower traffic speeds	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>32</sub>	Improved footpaths	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>37</sub>	Other facilities for cycles	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>312</sub>
	Faster Traffic speeds	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>33</sub>	More off road parking	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>38</sub>	Dropped kerbs at crossing points	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>313</sub>
	Fewer buses	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>34</sub>	More on road parking	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>39</sub>	Other (please specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>314</sub>
	More buses	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>35</sub>	Better lighting	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>310</sub>		314a

<b>Q4</b>		<b>Please tick how <u>IMPORTANT</u> each of the following are to you.</b>				
		<b>Very Important</b>	<b>Important</b>	<b>Unimportant</b>	<b>Very unimportant</b>	<b>No opinion</b>
(1)	Reducing the day-to-day variability in journey times along the road	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>411</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>412</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>413</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>414</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>415</sub>
(2)	Improving road safety along the road	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>421</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>422</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>423</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>424</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>425</sub>
(3)	Improving personal safety along the road	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>431</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>432</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>433</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>434</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>435</sub>
(4)	Improving bus shelters along the road	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>441</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>442</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>443</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>444</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>445</sub>
(5)	Providing electronic screens with departure/arrival times at bus stops.	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>451</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>452</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>453</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>454</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>455</sub>
(6)	Being able to park along the route	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>461</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>462</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>463</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>464</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>465</sub>
(7)	Being able to stop along the route	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>471</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>472</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>473</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>474</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>475</sub>
(8)	Separate lanes for different modes of transport	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>481</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>482</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>483</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>484</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>485</sub>

<b>Q5</b>		<b>How often do you need to stop to unload / load goods or make deliveries/ collections along the route?</b>				
		<b>Daily (5 or more times a week)</b>	<b>2- 4 times a week</b>	<b>Once a week</b>	<b>Less often</b>	<b>Never</b>
		<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>51</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>52</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>53</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>54</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>55</sub>

<b>Q6</b>		<b>Please tick <u>how well</u> you think the proposals will achieve the following objectives:</b>				
		<b>Very well</b>	<b>Quite well</b>	<b>Neither well nor poor</b>	<b>Quite poor</b>	<b>Very poor</b>
(1)	Reducing the day-to-day variability in journey times along the route	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>611</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>612</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>613</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>614</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>615</sub>
(2)	Improving road safety along the route	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>621</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>622</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>623</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>624</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>625</sub>
(3)	Improving personal safety along the route	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>631</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>632</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>633</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>634</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>635</sub>
(4)	Improving bus shelters along the route	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>641</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>642</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>643</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>644</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>645</sub>
(5)	Providing electronic screens with departure times at bus stops.	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>651</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>652</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>653</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>654</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>655</sub>

<b>Q7</b>	<b>Please indicate how you heard about the proposals (tick all that apply)</b>			
	Press advertisement	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>71</sub>	Road sign	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>76</sub>
	Leaflet	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>72</sub>	Web site	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>77</sub>
	Letter through your door	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>73</sub>	Other (Please specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>78</sub>
	Poster on the bus	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>74</sub>	<small>78a</small>	
Word of mouth	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>75</sub>			

<b>Q8</b>	<b>If you have seen the consultation website, how informative did you find it? (www.A457route87.co.uk)</b>				
	<b>Very Informative</b>	<b>Informative</b>	<b>Uninformative</b>	<b>Very uninformative</b>	<b>Not seen</b>
	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>81</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>82</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>83</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>84</sub>	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>85</sub>

<b>Q9</b>	<b>Please indicate which of the following age groups applies to you.</b>			
	Under 18	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>91</sub>	45-54	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>95</sub>
	18-24	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>92</sub>	55-59	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>96</sub>
	25-34	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>93</sub>	60+	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>97</sub>
	35-44	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>94</sub>		

<b>Q10</b>	<b>Are you male or female?</b>			
	Male	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>101</sub>	Female	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>102</sub>

<b>Q11</b>	<b>In order to see the area that this consultation has reached, please could you write in the first 5 characters of your home postcode.</b>								
	<b><u>Please note</u> You cannot be contacted from this information.</b>								
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<b>Q12</b>	<b>To assist in monitoring the success of this consultation we would be grateful if you would indicate which of the following ethnic groups applies to you.</b>			
	<b>White</b>		<b>Mixed</b>	
	White British	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>121</sub>	White and Asian	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>128</sub>
	White Irish	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>122</sub>	White and Black African	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>129</sub>
	Other (Please specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>123</sub>	White and Black Caribbean	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>1210</sub>
	<small>123a</small>		Other (Please specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>1211</sub>
			<small>1211a</small>	
	<b>Black or Black British</b>		<b>Chinese and Other Ethnic Groups</b>	
	Black or Black British	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>124</sub>	Chinese	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>1212</sub>
	Caribbean	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>125</sub>	Other (Please specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>1213</sub>
	African	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>126</sub>	<small>1213a</small>	
	Other (Please specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> <sub>127</sub>		
	<small>127a</small>			

**Q13 Please make any comments which you may have on the proposals below.**

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.

If you would like this questionnaire to be presented in any other language or format please contact Jacobs on 01952 236519.

Please return this questionnaire by Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2008 (either in the envelope provided or on-line at [www.a457route87.co.uk](http://www.a457route87.co.uk)).

Alternatively return it to:

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The data from the feedback process will be used for the purpose of aiding in the design of this scheme. The data will be held anonymously in electronic format by Jacobs and Faber Maunsell.