**Fife Council Proposed Supported Bus Services in North East Fife, From August 2023**

Fife Council currently provides subsidy, either in part of whole, for the following bus services in North Fife:

Go-Flexi (F3, F4, F5, F6), 59, 41, 41A, 42, 64, 64A, 68, 68A, 68B, 69, 77, 92, 92A, 92C, 92D, 94, 94A, 95, 36

In May and June last year the Council carried out consultation on these routes and asked the public for their opinions on the services we currently support in North East Fife.  We used these comments to help influence the routes which were put out to tender for the services which will start in August 2023.  The tender bids have now been returned, assessed and are in the process of being awarded.

It should be noted that there has been a significant increase in tender costs which is reflected across the bus industry nationally and as such additional funding had to be sought to maintain reasonable levels of service. Even so, whilst the Council is able to retain the majority of the current subsidised network plus some enhancements there are some areas where services have had to be reduced.

A summary of the proposed service, route and frequency is listed below, and we are now seeking further feedback on these proposals. We would encourage current and potential bus users to complete the short consultation, we currently have on Fife.gov.uk. The survey can be found by clicking [here](https://www.fife.gov.uk/BusSurveyNorthEastFife) and is available from now until Sunday 12th March.

There is however still the opportunity for some minor tweaking of these services prior to their operation in August 2023. As an example, the timetable can be amended to ensure connections with bus & rail services.

Additionally to assist with bus travel in and around North East Fife, passengers can make use of the [ABC multi-operator ticket](https://www.abcbustickets.com/). The ABC bus ticket scheme allows travel on All Bus Companies across Dundee and North East Fife by purchasing one smart ticket. The ABC bus ticket can be purchased direct from the driver on Moffat & Williamson and Stagecoach bus services.

**Please note we can only influence the supported (i.e. funded by Fife Council) part of the route not the commercial (funded by the bus operator) element.**

**Go-Flexi - (F3, F4, F5, F6)**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route:  F3 Zone - St Andrews - New Gilston - Kemback - Blebo Craigs - Kincaple  F4 Zone - East Neuk - Arncroach - Earlsferry - Cellardyke - Kilrenny F5 Zone - Cupar - Luthrie - Gauldry - Dunbog - Wormit - Newport on Tay - Newburgh F6 Zone - Cupar - New Gilston - Kemback - Coaltown of Burnturk  **Subsidised element: - Monday to Thursday 0700 – 1815, Friday 0700 – 2330 Saturday 0815 - 2330** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Retain current route and current level of operating hours.  Go-flexi zone amendments based on consultation feedback.   Kingsbarns added to F4 Zone, for travel westwards. Travel between Newport on Tay and Wormit to Cupar is permitted. Leaflets and website will be updated to reflect amendment to zones.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**59 - St Andrews - Glenrothes**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route  St Andrews - Bus Station, Links Crescent, A91, Guardbridge - Cupar Road, Dairsie - Main Street, Cupar - East Road, Station Road, Rail Station, South Road, Pitlessie - Cupar Road, Balmalcolm - Cupar Road, Kettlebridge - Back Park, Rumdewan, Main Street, Kettle Road, Ladybank - Victoria Street, Melville Road, Church Street, Monkstown, Freuchie - A92, Glenrothes - Queensway, Glenrothes Bus Station.  Commercial element: Monday - Saturday 0515 – 2000 hourly service. Sunday 0830 – 2130 hourly service  **Subsidised element: - Monday - Saturday 2010 – 0000 hourly service** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Retain current route and current level of operating hours.  Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**41 / 42 - Dundee - Tayport - Balmullo - Cupar - Ceres - Craigrothie - Kennoway - Windygates - Cameron Hospital - Boreland - Victoria Hospital - Kirkcaldy**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route  Kirkcaldy - Bus Station, Wemyssfield, Bennochy Road, Hendry Road, Adamson Avenue, Victoria Hospital, Cairns Street West, McKenzie Street, St Clair Street, Rosslyn Street, Gallatown, Randolph Road, Cameron Hospital Turning Circle, Windygates - Leven Road, Kennoway Road, Kennoway - Sandy Brae, New Road, Bishops Court, New Road, Cupar Road, Craigrothie - Ceres Road, Ceres - Craigrothie Road, Main Street, Bridgend, Cupar Road, Cupar - Ceres Road, South Road, Rail Station, Station Road, East Road, Dairsie - Main Street, Balmullo - Main Street, St Michaels, Tayport - Elizabeth Street, Golf Crescent, Shanwell Road, Nelson Street, Maitland Street, B946 William Street, Albert Street, Newport Road, Tay Road Bridge, South Marketgait, Crichton Street, Dundee Bus Station.    Commercial element: Monday - Saturday 0600 – 1930 hourly day time service  **Subsidised element: - Monday - Saturday 1855 – 0030 2 hourly service. Sunday 0840 - 0015 2 hourly service** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Retain current route and current level of operating hours.  Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**64 - St Andrews - Strathkinness - Pitscottie - Craigrothie - Cupar - Ladybank - Auchtermuchty - Strathmiglo - Gateside - Falkland - Glenrothes**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route:  St Andrews - South Street, Bell Street, Market Street, Church Street, Abbey Street, Greenside Place, Langlands Road, Lamond Drive, Sandyhill Road, Tom Morris Drive, Largo Road, John Knox Road, Bogward Road, Younger Gardens, Melville Road, Strathkinness - Low Road, Strathkinness, Main Street, Sunnyside, High Road, Main Street, Blebo Craigs - Road End, Pitscottie - Main Street, Ceres - Main Road, Craigrothie - Main Road, Cupar - South Road, South Bridge, Crossgate, Bonnygate, West Port, Westfield Avenue, Westfield Road, Stratheden - Main Street, Springfield - Station Road, Main Street, Bow of Fife, Letham (Village), Ladybank - Cupar Road, Melville Road, Victoria Street, Commercial Road, Monkstown, Shiells Road, Dunshalt - Ladybank Road, Auchtermuchty Road, Auchtermuchty - Station Road, Low Road, Strathmiglo - High Street, Kirk Wynd, Sandygates, Gateside - Main Road, Station Road, Bower Park turning area, Station Road, Main Road, Falkland - New Road, Pleasance, Newton Road, B936, Newton of Falkland, Freuchie - High Street, Glenrothes - Queensway, Church Street, Bus Station.  **Subsidised element: - Monday - Saturday 0515 – 0030 hourly service. Sunday 0915 – 2230 2 hourly service** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Retain current route and current level of operating hours. Route amended to incorporate Gateside  Following consultation feedback, Service 64 route amended to incorporate Gateside (every 2 hours), allowing for direct travel to Ladybank, Cupar and St Andrews. To incorporate Gateside into the timetable, Letham service provision will reduce from an hourly service to a 2 hourly service. The Go-flexi service is available for the residents of Letham for travel options to Ladybank and Cupar.  Start and end times of the Service 64 will reflect current timetable with gaps (out with peak time travel) incorporated into the timetable to accommodate drivers rest breaks.  Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**68 - Cupar Town Service**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route:  68 Cupar Crossgate WH Smith, Blalowan Park, Millfield, Westpark Road, Kirklands Park, Adamson Hospital, Upper Dalgairn, Cupar Railway Station.  68A Cupar Crossgate Central Café, Adamson Hospital, Kirklands Park, Bonnygate, Cupar Crossgate WH Smith.  68B Cupar Crossgate Central Café, Braehead, Thomastoun Drive, Robertson Road, Sandylands Road, Cupar Crossgate Central Café.  **Subsidised element: Monday - Saturday 0845 – 1745 hourly service each route** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Retain current route and current level of operating hours.  Following consultation feedback, route amended to incorporate Robertson Road.  Start and end times of the Service 68/A/B will reflect current timetable with gaps (out with peak time travel) incorporated into the timetable to accommodate drivers rest breaks.  Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**69 - Newport on Tay - Wormit- Cupar**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route:  Cupar - Crossgate, South Bridge, Station Road, East Burnside, Burnside North, Bank Street, A92 Rathillet, Grayson House, A92 Newport on Tay South Access, Newport on Tay - B946 Tay Street, (Union Street, James Street, East Queen Street, Craighead Crescent, Norwood, Albert Crescent, Victoria Street, High Street - 10:02 - 14:02) B946 Tay Street, High Street, High Road, Kinbrae Park, West Road, St Fort Road, Riverside Road, Wormit - B946 Naughton Road, Kilmany Road, Peacehill Farm, Bottomcraig, Gauldry - Main Road, Crawford Avenue, Balgove Road, Maryknowe, Ballindean Farm, A92 Rathillet - Grayson House, Cupar - Bank Street, Burnside North, East Burnside, St Catherine Street, Cupar Crossgate.  **Subsidised element: Monday - Saturday 0635 – 1430 hourly off-peak service** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Service withdrawn due to extremely low passenger numbers. Alternative travel options are available with other local bus services in the area for travel to Cupar and within Newport on Tay and Wormit.    Cupar journey options – Go-flexi service is available for passengers for travel between Newport on Tay, Wormit and Gauldry to Cupar. Go-flexi service operates Monday to Thursday 0700 – 1815, Friday 0700 – 2330 and Saturday 0815 – 2330. The Go-flexi service can be booked an hour before travelling and up to a week in advance.  Newport on Tay / Wormit – local travel within Newport on Tay and Wormit is available with Service 77/B and amended Service 92 timetable.  Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.    ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**77 - Dundee - Newport on Tay - Wormit - Gauldry - Balmerino**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route:  Dundee - Seagate, Trades Lane, Dock Street, A92 Tay Bridge, Newport on Tay - South Access, B946 Tay Street, High Road, Kinbrae Park, West Road, St Fort Road, Riverside Road, Wormit - B946 Naughton Road, Kilmany Road, Peacehill Farm, Gauldry - Main Road, Balmerino, Coarse Brae.  Commercial element: Monday - Saturday 0630 – 1900 hourly day time service  **Subsidised element: - Monday - Saturday 1930 – 2330 hourly service. Sunday 0915 – 2330 hourly service** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Retain current route and current level of operating hours.  Start and end times of the Service 77 will reflect current timetable with gaps (out with peak time travel) incorporated into the Sunday timetable to accommodate drivers rest break.  Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**92 - St Andrews - Guardbridge - Balmullo - St Michaels - Tayport - Newport on Tay - Wormit - Gauldry**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route  St Andrews - South Street, Bell Street, St Mary's Place, City Road, Pilmour Links, Guardbridge - Main Street, Leuchars Railway Station, Station Road, Toll Road, Balmullo - Pitcairn Place, School Road, Hayston Park, St Michaels, Tayport - Banknowe Drive, Banknowe Avenue, Banknowe Road, Craig Road, Queen Street, Castle Street, Tay Street, School Wynd, Mill Lane, Nelson Street, Golf Crescent, Elizabeth Street, Queen Street, William Street, Albert Street, B946, OR VIA Queen Street, Maitland Street, Nelson Street, Golf Crescent, Elizabeth Street, Queen Street, Castle Street, Castle Road, Albert Street, Scotscraig Drive, Newport Road, *DUNDEE - Seagate, Union Street, Nethergate, Rail Station, Tay Bridge*, Newport on Tay - Tay Street, James Street, East Queen Street, Norwood, Station Brae, Cupar Road, High Street, Kinbrae Park, Wormit - Riverside Road, Naughton Road, Kilmany Road, Gauldry - Crawford Avenue, Balgove Road, Maryknowe, Main Road.  **Subsidised element: Monday - Saturday 0515 – 0100 hourly service. Sunday0715 – 0115 hourly service** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Route and timetable amended between Balmullo – Tayport, Newport on Tay and Gauldry, based on consultation feedback.    Service 92 route amended from the circular route within the Taybridgehead between Balmullo – Tayport – Newport on Tay to provide direct journey options between Balmullo - Tayport and Newport on Tay. This route amendment improves links between Tayport and Newport on Tay incorporating Tayview Medical Practice.  Service 92 timetable will also be amended to terminate and commence from St Andrews, South Street instead of St Andrews Hospital.  Travel between St Andrews, South Street and St Andrews hospital is available with alternative Service 64 and 9B. Langlands Road travel options are available with Service 64 and 91/A.  Additionally, the last departure from St Andrews will be retimed to depart later to accommodate shift workers with additional Sunday daytime journeys added between Newport on Tay and Tayport to Balmullo and St Andrews.  Start and end times of the Service 92/A will reflect current timetable (last journey excepted) with gaps (out with peak time travel) incorporated into the timetable to accommodate drivers rest breaks.    Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**94 - 94/A St Andrews - Guardbridge - Leuchars - St Michaels - Dairsie - Cupar - Cuparmuir - Pitlessie - Kingskettle - Ladybank - Giffordtown - Collessie/Auchtermuchty - Grange of Lindores - Newburgh**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route  St Andrews - Bus Station, Market Street, Union Street, North Street, Pilmour Links, Guardbridge - Cupar Road, Main Street, Leuchars - Rail Station Turning Circle, St Michaels, Balmullo - Hayston Park, School Road, Pitcairn Drive, Dairsie - Main Street, Cupar - East Road, St Catherine Street, Crossgate, Millgate, Millbank, Brighton Road, Cupar Muir, Springfield - Rail Station, Clushford Toll, Pitlessie, Balmalcolm, Coaltown of Burnturk / Kettlehill, Kettlebridge - Cupar Road, Back Park, Rumdewan Terrace, Kingskettle, South Street, Ladybank Road, Ladybank - Rail Station, Victoria Street, Melville Road, Church Street, Commercial Road, Monkstown, Giffordtown, Collessie, B937, Lindores, Grange of Lindores, Den of Lindores, Newburgh - Cupar Road, Abbey Road, Newburgh Nursing Home, Scotland Terrace, Robertson Crescent, Melville Place, High Street, Banklands.  94A as above until Giffordtown, Collessie, Auchtermuchty, Grange of Lindores, Den of Lindores, Newburgh, Cupar Road, High Street, Banklands, High Street, Melville Place, Robertson Crescent, Newburgh Nursing Home, Scotland Terrace, Abbey Road, Cupar Road.  **Subsidised element: Monday - Saturday 0600 – 2330 hourly service** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Retain current route and current level of operating hours.  Start and end times of the Service 94/A will reflect current timetable with gaps (out with peak time travel) incorporated into the timetable to accommodate drivers rest breaks.  Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**95 - Leven – Lundin Links - Lower Largo - Upper Largo - Colinsburgh - Elie - St Monans - Pittenweem -Anstruther - Crail - Kingsbarns - St Andrews**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route  Leven - Bus Station, Promenade, Durie Street, Scoonie Road, Scoonie Brae, Largo Road, Lundin Links - Leven Road, Emsdorf Street, Lower Largo, Drummochy Road, Harbour Wynd, Upper Largo - Main Street, Colinsburgh - Main Street, Kilconquhar - St Andrews Road, Main Street, Elie - Links Place, Bank Street, High Street, St Monans - Elm Grove, Pittenweem - Viewforth Place, James Street, Milton Place, Anstruther - Pittenweem Road, High Street, Rodger Street, Shore Street, East Shore, East Green, Caddiesburn, Burnside Terrace, Fowler Street, Fowler Place, Toll Road, Crail Road, Crail - Anstruther Road, Westgate, High Street, Marketgate, St Andrews Road, Kingsbarns - Main Street, Boarhills, St Andrews - Anstruther Road, Lamond Drive, Largo Road, City Road (Abbey Street, South Street), Bus Station.  Commercial element: Monday - Saturday 0608 – 1900 hourly day time service  **Subsidised element: Monday - Saturday (1820 - 0115, hourly service) Sun (0650 - 0115, hourly service)** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Continuation of current service with amended timetable.  Based on consultation feedback an additional late night departure from St Andrews bus station will be added between St Andrews, Kingsbarns, Crail and Anstruther to accommodate shift workers. An additional late night departure from St Andrews to Leven operating via Largoward will also be incorporated into Service 95 timetable.    Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |

**36 - Glenrothes - Freuchie - Falkland - Auchtermuchty - Newburgh - Bridge of Earn - Perth.**

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| CURRENT SITUATION |
| Route  Glenrothes - Bus Station, Church Street, Rothes Road, Leslie Road, Western Avenue, Cadham Road, Lodge Rise, Glenrothes Hospital, Cadham Road, Huntsman Road, Western Avenue, A92, Freuchie - East End, Knowehead, Newton of Falkland - Main Street, Falkland - New Road, Main Street, Dunshalt - Main Street, Station Road, Auchtermuchty - Burnside, Newburgh Road, Grange of Lindores, Burnside, Cupar Road, Newburgh - High Street, Abernethy Road, Newburgh Road, Abernethy, Backdykes, Perth Road, Bridge of Earn - Wickes o’ Baiglie Road, Kintillo Road, Forgandenny Road, Heughfield Road, Main Street, Edinburgh Road, Friarton, Perth - Edinburgh Road, Princes Street, Canal Street, York Place, St Andrews Street, Perth Bus Station.  Commercial element: Monday - Saturday 0530 – 2035 hourly day time service  **Subsidised element: Sunday 0935 - 1830 2 hourly** |

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| PROPOSAL |
| Retain current route and current level of operating hours.  Minor timing amendments can be accommodated based on consultation feedback.  ABC ticket options available for multi operator use. |