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We have referred to emerging and adopted council policy when evaluating options for a new transport solution linking south Bath with the city centre. These include the Bath Core Strategy, Bath Placemaking Plan, Bath Transport Strategy and Joint Local Transport Plan. The proposals have been developed with the following aims in mind:

- Deliver improved connections and journey time savings between the city centre and south Bath as part of an integrated transport network for the city.

- Realise environmental benefits by improving air quality, reducing carbon emissions, supporting climate resilience, minimising noise impacts and protecting and enhancing Bath's World Heritage assets.

- Improve equality of access to services and opportunities by delivering a sustainable, affordable, resilient and convenient transport link.

- Improve quality of life; promoting safety, health and wellbeing.

- Support and enable inclusive economic growth, competitiveness and job creation through the provision of enhanced transport facilities that helps tackle congestion.

- Deliver a viable solution supported by a robust business case with a clear means to gain planning consent and operate sustainably.

More information on policies relevant to our proposals is available in the Baseline Report at www.southbathtransportoptions.co.uk