

Tram Train Initiatives

Cardiff Bay Tram Option

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Cardiff Bay - Tram Train Option

Current Proposal

- Replace the existing Rail Shuttle Service with a Light Rail Shuttle to Queen Street
- Add a Station along Bute Street
- Open out a few crossing points between Bute Street and Lloyd George Avenue

Tram Train Option

- Replace the Bay branch with a tram or tram train service along Lloyd George Avenue to the Millenniums Centre
- Remove the Bay branch and landscape the land between Bute Street and Lloyd George Avenue.
- Connect the tramway into the Bay branch near Herbert St
- Run the tramway to Cardiff Central Station along Tresillian Way.
- Connect into central Cardiff
- Fund from potential developments on the old Bay Branch land.

Cardiff Bay Area – Bute Street

- Bute Street is very run down and would benefit from some redevelopment
- The Bay branch acts as social barrier.



Cardiff Bay Area – Existing Station

- Cardiff Bay Station has some visibility from Bute Street



Cardiff Bay Area – Bay Station?

- The Bay branch and Station is invisible from Lloyd George Avenue



Cardiff Bay Area – The Social Barrier

- Just replacing the train on the Bay branch does nothing for Social Cohesion in the area



Cardiff Bay Area – The Opportunity

- A tram along Lloyd George Avenue would be visible



Cardiff Bay Area – The Opportunity

- Removing the Branch line and re-landscaping between Bute Street and Lloyd George Avenue could reduce the barrier effect.
- Some intermittent development on this land could help fund the tramway and help improve the social cohesion in the area.



Cardiff Bay Tram Train The Proposal

- Tram Train from Millennium Centre to Queen Street Station and beyond
- Tram Service from Bay Area to Central Station and City Centre.
- Extra stops along Lloyd George Avenue and towards Central Station
- Remove the social barrier of Bay Branch



