

From: Amanda Scholes on behalf of Planning.Responses
Sent: 02 July 2020 07:18
To: Planning Scanning
Subject: FW: 600 bus service to Middleton-on-Sea M/80/19/pl

Amanda Scholes | Receptionist, Department, [Arun District Council](#) | Location: Ground Floor, Arun Civic Centre, Maltravers Road, Littlehampton, BN17 5LF

Internal: 37736 | External: +44 (0) 1903 737500 ext 37736 | E-mail: amanda.scholes@arun.gov.uk



Visit Arun's web site at [Error! Hyperlink reference not valid.](#)



Save the environment - think before you print.

From: Anita Gardner <Anita.Gardner@arun.gov.uk>
Sent: 01 July 2020 19:32
To: Planning.Responses <Planning.Responses@arun.gov.uk>
Cc: Caroline Pattenden <Caroline.Pattenden@arun.gov.uk>
Subject: FW: 600 bus service to Middleton-on-Sea M/80/19/pl

Please scan as correspondence with third party

Anita Gardner
Principal Planning Officer,
Directorate of Place

T: 01903 737529
E: Anita.Gardner@arun.gov.uk



Arun District Council, Civic Centre, Maltravers Rd, Littlehampton, West Sussex, BN17 5LF
www.arun.gov.uk

Sign up to our newsletter [here](#)



From: Anita Gardner
Sent: 01 July 2020 19:27
To: Timothy Bell [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: 600 bus service to Middleton-on-Sea

Dear Mr Bell,
Your e-mail has been forwarded to me by Juan Baeza for response.
Thank you for the research you have undertaken to clarify the situation re the 600 bus service.

Your correspondence will be added to the file planning file which will be copied to the Inspectorate when the appeal questionnaire is completed and submitted.

Yours sincerely,

Anita Gardner
Principal Planning Officer,
Directorate of Place



T: 01903 737529
E: Anita.Gardner@arun.gov.uk

Arun District Council, Civic Centre, Maltravers Rd, Littlehampton, West Sussex, BN17 5LF
www.arun.gov.uk

Sign up to our newsletter [here](#)



From: Timothy Bell [REDACTED]
Sent: 26 June 2020 16:09
To: Juan Baeza <Juan.Baeza@arun.gov.uk>; Mike Davies [REDACTED]
Cc: Nigel Lynn <Nigel.Lynn@arun.gov.uk>; Gemma Stubbs <gemma.stubbs@arun.gov.uk>; Sue Bowley <Sue.Bowley@arun.gov.uk>; Carolyn Nysingh <Carolyn.Nysingh@arun.gov.uk>; Neil Crowther <Neil.Crowther@arun.gov.uk>; Cllr. Jacky Pendleton <Cllr.Jacky.Pendleton@arun.gov.uk>; Cllr. Shirley Haywood <Cllr.Shirley.Haywood@arun.gov.uk>; Cllr. Tony Dixon <Cllr.Tony.Dixon@arun.gov.uk>; Cllr. Hugh Coster <Cllr.Hugh.Coster@arun.gov.uk>; Anita Gardner <Anita.Gardner@arun.gov.uk>; Cllr. Jim Brooks <Cllr.Jim.Brooks@arun.gov.uk>; Colin Mansfield [REDACTED]; Mospc [REDACTED]; Louise Alger [REDACTED]; Tim & Susanne Kerss [REDACTED]; Nicolas Gibb [REDACTED]
Subject: 600 bus service to Middleton-on-Sea

Dear Mr Baeza

Application M/80/19/PL

Thank you for your email of 7 May 2020 in reply to my letter of 21 April 2020 (not 2021) about the Report Update posted on your Planning Portal on 6 February 2020. I appreciate the trouble you took to address all 13 of the points I raised, and the fact that you were able to send it to me with just 3 hours and 9 minutes before your deadline.

I ask you to take another look at my point 2. As I said, the 600 bus does not run on Sunday.

I thought I should check this so I looked at the timetable displayed at the bus stop opposite Barleys on the corner of Sea Lane in Middleton-on-Sea. Here's the photograph I took that morning.



The first column, in the blue panel it says 'Mondays to Fridays' and in the second column, in the red panel it says 'Saturdays'.

To be absolutely sure, I wrote to Stagecoach. My letter is attached, together with the reply I received from Russel Byrne, Commercial Officer at Stagecoach South in Chichester. He is clear that the 600 has not served Middleton-on-Sea on Sundays for 'quite a few years'.

Good Afternoon Tim,

Thank you for contacting Stagecoach South regarding the 600 service in the Middleton-on-Sea area.

All Stagecoach services in the Bognor Regis area are operated commercially without funding from development section 106 or from local authorities.

We haven't operated a Sunday service for quite a few years now due to low passenger numbers on the service originally when a service used to operate on Sunday

Please find the pre-COVID timetable attached for you with bus times to and from Middleton-on-Sea.

Many Thanks & Stay Safe

Russel Iain Byrne
Commercial Officer, Stagecoach South

Proud To Serve
Stagecoach (South) Limited (Registered in England & Wales No. 1673542)

Registered Office: One Stockport Exchange, 20 Railway Road, Stockport, SK1 3SW

From: Timothy Bell

Sent: Monday, June 22, 2020 16:53

To: South Enquiries <

Subject: Service 600

Good afternoon

I would like information about your 600 service at Middleton-on-Sea. I am trying to help Arun District Council advise a developer on bus services available to staff and visitors to a planned care home in the village.

1. During the last 3 years has the service ever run on Sundays?
2. Before the Covid 19 lockdown, at what times did the 600 service stop at Middleton-on-Sea's Sea Lane junction:
the earliest time and latest time in each direction -- towards Elmer and towards Bognor Regis?

Many thanks.

Tim Bell

Please let me know if you do not get all 12 pages of the timetable.

It seems to me that the response you gave me to point 2 in my 21 April letter, which refers to the Stagecoach website, is ill-founded and misleading. Do you not check such information as a matter of course?

I ask you to share the information I have provided with the planning officers at ADC and those of the WSCC Highways Department you mention in your responses to my points 6 and 7, both of which relate to bus services in Middleton.

Yours sincerely.

Tim Bell