

## **Information for all FISH Bus Passengers**

My annual reminder that during the next two or three months there may be periods of very wintry weather when driving conditions could become hazardous.

In the event of snowy or icy road conditions, or other extreme weather situations, the scheduled Driver may decide to cancel a trip in the interests of passenger safety.

In such cases, the Driver and Bus Manager or Deputy Bus Manager will attempt to make telephone contact with all the passengers signed up for the trip to inform them of the cancellation.

Wherever possible notice of any cancellation will be given the day or evening before the trip is due to take place. However, given that weather conditions can change quickly overnight this may not always be feasible.

Bus passengers should be aware that if it is snowing or if there is snow or ice on the ground, which is not thawing, it should be expected that any planned bus trip for that day will be cancelled.

In poor weather conditions, it is understood that even if a bus trip is not cancelled, passengers may make their own decision not to travel if they feel concerned about their own safety when on foot. It is understood that this decision may be made at a time that will not allow the FISH Office to be informed of the cancellation.

Let us hope that such weather conditions are few and far between and that warmer weather comes early in 2025.

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