

#### Rural Transport 13.00-15.00, Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2022

13:00	Welcome to the RSN National Rural Conference
	Councillor Cecilia Motley, Chair of the Rural Services Network

#### 13:10 Rural Transport <u>Graham Biggs MBE</u>, Chief Executive, Rural Services Network

## 13:15 **John Birtwistle**, Head of Policy, **First Bus** "The Future for rural buses" Followed by Q&A

### 13:35 <u>Councillor Adam Paynter</u>, Deputy Group Leader, Independent Group & Miriam Binsztok, <u>Cornwall Council</u> "Rural Bus Fare Pilot"

Followed by Q&A

12.55 Event Opens to Delegates

# 13:55 Renee van Baar, Principal Transport Planner, Midlands Connect "Improving Rural Transport Options" Followed by Q&A

- 14:15 Comfort Break
- 14:20 Wider delegate discussion on the issues raised and opportunity to pose questions to presenters
- 15:00 Close of Event

  Providing a voice for rural communities and service providers

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