



What devolution means for you as a commuter

Making travel easier

From flights to Beijing to the new Wythenshawe Interchange, devolution for Greater Manchester is transforming transport across our city region.

We're developing a high quality, fully integrated transport system for Greater Manchester, with travelling customers at its heart.

Transport is crucial for supporting Greater Manchester's ambitious plans and its growth will be driven by connectivity. We'll be building on the success of Metrolink, transforming the local bus network, establishing Greater Manchester as bike and pedestrian friendly and ensuring the roads are reliable and safe for all users - including freight and commercial traffic.



Commuter's eye view of Wythenshawe



Commuter's eye view of Wythenshawe Interchange

New transport hub is making people's journeys so much better

The £6m development – brought about by the Greater Manchester Combined Authority (GMCA) – has revitalised the town centre and has resulted in an increase in footfall of between 8,000 to 10,000 per week.

The Interchange features a brand new bus station located directly alongside the Wythenshawe Town Centre tram stop, a Travelshop with high quality cycle parking facilities and ready access to town centre shops and facilities.

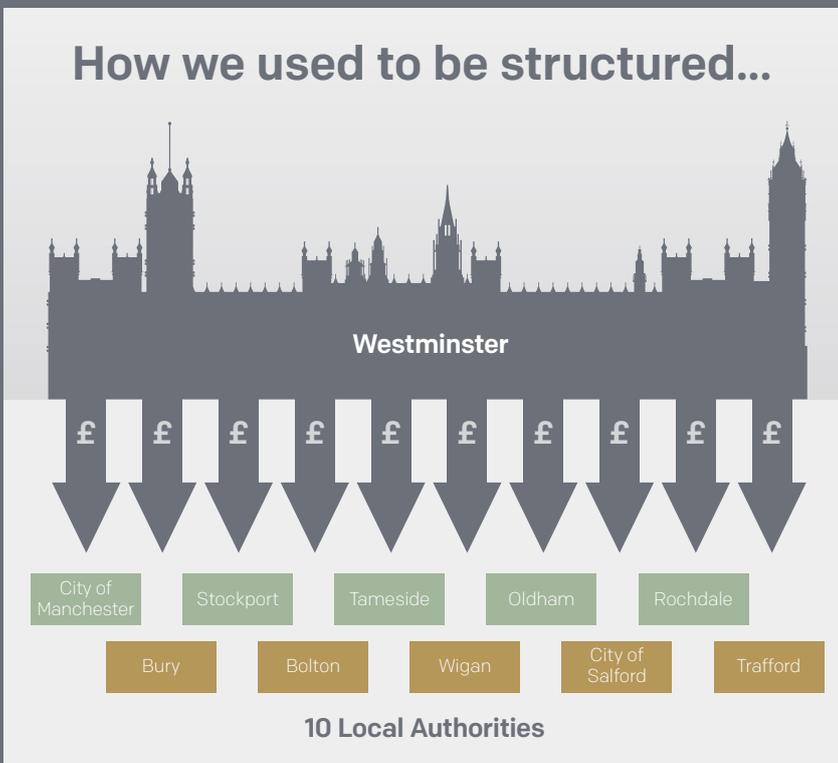
Bus operator Stagecoach has praised the new facility. They said:
"Customers now have better access to information and ticket sales and to help and facilities. They also benefit from the covered waiting facilities which offer much greater levels of safety and security. The new facility is therefore very much appreciated and welcomed."



"This is the final push in Manchester's move towards being a city in control of our own destiny."

Tony Lloyd, Interim Mayor of GM

How we used to be structured...



...and how we're structured now...



How powers used to be organised...

National



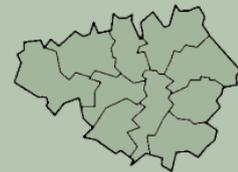
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Local boroughs



Schools, roads & waste collection, street lighting etc



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Regional

GMCA GREATER MANCHESTER COMBINED AUTHORITY

Health and care, Fire, police and crime, Transport, Low carbon, Skills and employment, Planning and housing, Transforming public services, Investment and business development



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