## Save our train services

## Respond to the franchise consultations

The Government is consulting on Thameslink/Southern and Southeastern rail franchise contracts, including our services to London Bridge, Victoria & St Pancras (via Blackfriars). If you use and value these **direct** services, email to say that, and that they need to be kept and improved.

## You can send one email by 13 September to both addresses:

<u>thameslink@dft.gsi.gov.uk</u> (**St Pancras + London Bridge**) <u>southeastern@dft.gsi.gov.uk</u> (**Victoria**)

We are an inner London area without the Tube; we use our local rail services as a substitute. But they are in part infrequent, irregular and not every day or every evening. Key improvements needed at Peckham Rye, and for some services at Nunhead, Denmark Hill, N+E Dulwich, Queens Rd Peckham:

- \* franchise proposals might impose change at Blackfriars, losing the **direct trains to St Pancras**. Ask for the direct trains to remain and to be increased to 4tph and to run after 9pm.
- \* after Dec 12 we will have only 2tph **to Victoria**, and none in the evenings or Sundays. Ask for those gaps to be filled so we have 4tph, 7 days a week.
- \* after Dec 12 ask for return to 6tph to London Bridge as now, not just 4tph.

## **Further information:**

www.bellenden.net/Thameslink www.bellenden.net/victoria

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