

Unhappy Anniversary

Save Our Buses (SOB) warned about this in February 2017 (See below)

Saturday 20th January 2018

Route 58

Temporary Cut Becomes Permanent

Monday to Saturday Service reduced to every 12 minutes

In January 2017 a **temporary** timetable was introduced on the busy 58 route. A bus an hour was lopped off the service and frequencies reduced from every 10 to 12 minutes.

Delays caused by National Grid Gas works in Newham and ongoing cycling works in Waltham Forest were cited as the reason.

The timetable cuts are now **permanent**, just as SOB predicted almost a year ago.

Passengers along the route face longer waits for their bus.

The 58 links....

Walthamstow, Markhouse Road, Leyton, Cann Hall Road, Forest Gate, Green Street, Upton Park & East Ham.

WALTHAM FOREST BUS CUTS

Route 58

Roadworks and a frequency cut have dealt a double blow to route 58 passengers. Daytime frequencies were reduced from 14th January. Buses now run every 12 minutes Monday to Friday (after the morning Peak) and all day Saturday. That's down from every 10 minutes.

The result is fewer buses for: Walthamstow: Markhouse Road
Leyton: Church Road and Leyton High Road Leytonstone: Crownfield Road and Cann Hall Road

Temporary!

National Grid Gas works in Newham and ongoing cycling works in Waltham Forest led to the revised temporary timetable.

How long is temporary?

No date is set for the full schedule to be restored on the 58 bus.

From 2018 TfL loses the operating grant used to fund public transport. There will be pressure to cut costs.

In a turning back of the clock, bus service reductions are on the agenda for London.

It will be a battle to get frequencies restored on our local routes and to prevent further cuts.

February 2017

SOB warns of permanent Cut

...faces cuts from 4th March. Peak hour service which links Wanstead, Wanstead Park, ... Clapton.

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