

Sharing the best in Gardening

# RHS FLOWER SHOW TATTON PARK 2017 Wednesday 19 – Sunday 23 July BUS STOP BOULEVARD Supported by Transport for Greater Manchester FACTSHEET

#### Design

We're looking for unusual, clever and eye catching designs that give a healthy dash of green inspiration, colour and fun. We want it to inspire others to get growing, celebrate local community, culture and people.

## Open to communities, businesses, designers, groups based in Greater

**Manchester.** Transport for Greater Manchester and the RHS will look to relocate some of the winning planting in the local area so they can continue to benefit communities.

#### Funding

Each successful design will receive a **£500** grant towards their shelter.

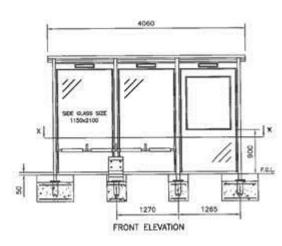
#### The Bus Stop

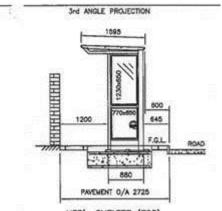
Each successful design chosen will be given a bus stop at the Show to decorate as part of the Bus Stop Boulevard.

## Two shelter sizes:

The 3 bay shelters are 4m long with 0.88m side panels (4m by 1.5m roof)  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{OR}}$ 

The 2 bay will be are around 2.6m long with 0.88m side panels (2.6m by 1.5m roof)





HEP's SHELTER (FOP) RECOMMENDED MIN. FOOTPATH WIDTH 2730mm



All bus stops should have some link to growing, gardening and lifestyle. Each bus shelter should be finished to a professional standard and will be viewed from all sides so consideration should be made about the 360 bus shelter views. The inside and outside of the bus shelter should be designed.

#### Do's and Don'ts

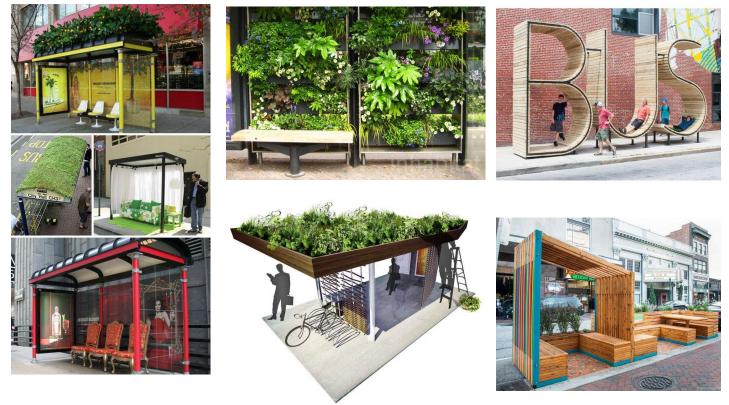
Real bus shelters will be used to create the 'Bus Stop Boulevard', therefore there are a few do's and don'ts to make sure they can be re-homed in communities afterwards.

- No drilling
- Do not place anything heavy on the roof that could cause damage
- Any additional attachments need to be easily removed with no damage left behind
- Temporary fixings only
- All shelters should be left as found when they are dismantled

#### Inspiration

- Living Walls
- Music & Culture
- Edible plant/flowers

- Seating
- Technology
- Art and design



#### **Build-up**

The bus shelters will be ready assembled and available at the showground ready for you to start decorating build-up on the 10th July. Each Bus Shelter must be completed by 8pm on 17<sup>th</sup> July.

	BUILD-UP	SHOW		
10 – 14 July	15-17 July	18 July (Press Day)	19 – 22 July	23 July
8am – 7pm	8am – 8pm	7am – 8pm	10am – 6.30pm	10am – 5pm

Your bus stop decorations must be dismantled by your team and removed from site Wednesday 26 July.

#### **During the Show**

Each bus stop will have a sign with details of designer, sponsor and theme of the Bus Stop. There is no need for you to man your bus stop during the whole show but you might want to take advantage of the visitor attention and publicity.

#### Working access passes

The following passes will be given to each bus stop designer

Working Access Passes				Vehicle Passes			
Build-up	Press Day/Final Build Tuesday	Show week (Per Day)	Breakdown	Exhibitor Showground Access	Exhibitor Parking	Delivery	Complimentary tickets
5	5	3	5	3	3	3	5

## The Show – RHS Flower Show Tatton Park 2017

The Show takes place on the 19 – 23 July at Tatton Park, Knutsford, Cheshire. It attracts around 75,000 visitors and offers the perfect summer day out full of colour, inspiration and plants and gardens galore.

#### Get in touch – queries, ideas etc



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