

All Party Parliamentary Light Rail Group House of Commons Endon SWIA DAA Re LR Apply Brilamentary Sponces 2018



## A study visit to TramTrain Sheffield, 7<sup>th</sup> February 2019.

The Sheffield TramTrain Project was a major project for the APPLRG shortly after the Group was set up nearly 15 years ago following a successful member's visit to Kassel, the UK TramTrain Trials was set up initially on the Penistone Line but moved to the Sheffield Rotherham Line with a dowry of sufficient size to enable our then sponsor Vossloh – Kiepe – Stadler to supply 7 TramTrain vehicles.

It is with great pleasure and sense of achievement to invite you to a Sponsored study visit sponsored by TramForward to come to Sheffield for a Presentation, Q & A by Mr Tim Kendell formerly of the Dept of Transport and now Technical Director TramForward, LRTA

The meeting is in the "Source", a community meeting room near the Meadowhall South tram stop

The programme for the day is as follows:

12:00 - 12:30 - Arrival & Teas/Coffees

- 12:30 12:35 Welcome Paul Rowan, Former MP and Inaugural Chairman Applrg
- 12:35 12:55 - Introduce Day and presentation on the History & Development of the Project by Tim Kendell
- 12:55 13:15 Network Rail Perspective on Tram Train and future opportunities by Simon Coulthard -Network Rail
- 13:15 13:30 What to look out for on trip and Questions by Tim Kendell
- 13:30 13:44 Leave room and walk to Meadowhall South to board 13:44 Tram Train to Rotherham Central
- 13:51 14:03 Time to look at the new platforms at Rotherham
- 14:03 14:06 Tram Train to Parkgate.

Rest of the day free to travel around on the System.

Applrg Members Sponsored

Tramforward/ LRTA £3.00 + tram fare

Non Members of either Group, £5.00 + tram fare

## Please RSVP soonest to jimh@jimmyharkins.com as spaces are limited

