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OXFORD  
STREET W1

# SAY "NO" TO THE PEDESTRIANISATION "TRANSFORMATION"- OF OXFORD STREET



WE WANT A BETTER OXFORD STREET. TFL SHOULD FIX THE ISSUES, NOT JUST SHIFT THE ISSUES

The Mayor wants to pedestrianise Oxford Street, and TfL have a consultation out on this which could gravely impact the future of all the surrounding areas. But they don't call it pedestrianisation - it is called "transformation". What does this mean? They want to "transform" Oxford Street by closing it to traffic: buses, taxis, cyclists and commercial vehicles.



At first sight this looks good. They say that they can close Oxford Street to all traffic and not damage the surrounding areas. In fact they say that they will benefit from this "transformation".

But this is **untrue**, surrounding areas will be greatly damaged. Many of these have large residential communities, with schools and hospitals as well as many businesses.

**Marylebone, Mayfair, Soho and Fitzrovia will all suffer** from taking the traffic that is banned from Oxford Street. They will all suffer from even worse congestion, even worse pollution than at present, just when we, and the Mayor himself, are trying reduce it.

We all want a Better Oxford Street which really tackles the issues congestion, air quality and safety rather than just shifting the problems into the surrounding streets and areas which play a vital part in the West End's success.

**Now** is your chance to have your say - don't lose it

**Respond:** "No to transformation" by going to <https://consultations.tfl.gov.uk/roads/oxford-street/consultation>  
In question 1 on the consultation form select the third box: –

**I do not support the transformation of Oxford Street**



or write to Freepost TfL Consultations (no stamp required)  
or email [consultations@tfl.gov.uk](mailto:consultations@tfl.gov.uk)  
expressing your concerns about pedestrianisation

Consultation closes Sunday 18 June 2017

*"The closer decisions are taken to the people they impact, the better those decisions are" – Mayor Sadiq Khan*

**HAVE YOUR SAY TODAY**

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