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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 11 January 2018 10:16  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Ibrox Stadium New Station Enquiry

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your subsequent email of 22 December 2017.

You have asked for Transport Scotland, in support of the various interested parties to make a request for a new train station at Ibrox. As previously advised it is for promoters of new schemes to discuss their proposals with the relevant Regional Transport Partnership who will consider the proposal.

In regard to the contact details for Strathclyde Partnership for Transport these can be obtained by following the attached link.

<http://www.spt.co.uk/corporate/contact/>

Kind regards

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**From:** [REDACTED]@hotmail.co.uk]  
**Sent:** 22 December 2017 16:00  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Ibrox Stadium New Station Enquiry

Hi [REDACTED]

Thanks for responding to my email, I am glad to hear that local councils and community groups have been pushing for a new train station at Ibrox. Could I request that Transport Scotland also make a request on behalf of the mentioned parties above to push for a new station? Even just to let SPT know about discussions? Would hope something can get done before Rangers and Glasgow City Council agree on final development plans.

Also, would you be able to send me an email address for a member of SPT who deals with future plans?

Regards

On 22 Dec 2017, at 08:48, [REDACTED]@transport.gov.scot"

[REDACTED]@transport.gov.scot> wrote:

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email of 01 December 2017 to Transport Scotland regarding a new train station at Ibrox Stadium. As the policy officer responsible I have been asked to respond.

We are aware of the aspiration of a new station at Ibrox by local councils and other community groups, however the Scottish Government currently has no plans to build a railway station at Ibrox.

Whilst the Scottish Government is committed to improving rail connectivity, reliability and journey times throughout Scotland, when considering proposals for new stations it is necessary for the Government to take a strategic view. We must fully consider the impact that new or reinstated stations will have on the network and how they fit within the national objectives.

You advise that a consultation with Glasgow City Council regarding redeveloping the area surrounding Ibrox Stadium has started. Promoters of new schemes should in the first instance discuss their proposals with the relevant Regional Transport Partnership, in this case, Strathclyde Partnership for Transport (SPT) who will consider the proposal and whether this fits with regional transport priorities. If SPT confirm that there is a requirement for an additional transport intervention in the area and they wish to progress the proposal, a transport appraisal in line with Scottish Transport Appraisal Guidance (STAG) will need to be undertaken.

I hope this is helpful.

Kind regards

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From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.co.uk]

Sent: 01 December 2017 19:02

To: Transport Scotland Info <[info@transport.gov.scot](mailto:info@transport.gov.scot)>

Subject: Ibrox Stadium New Train Station

Hi there,

Have been requested by Glasgow City Council to direct my query to Transport Scotland. My question was about the prospect of building a new train station at Ibrox Stadium. The reason being was down to two points.

1. How highly requested this has been by locals who live in the Govan area of Glasgow as well as the 50,000 Rangers supporters who go to Ibrox every home game which would also take some pressure of the Glasgow Subway.
2. Rangers have just begun talks with Glasgow City Council about redeveloping the area around Ibrox Stadium as announced at yesterdays AGM and would hope Transport Scotland could get in contact with Rangers and Glasgow City Council about a potential proposal to build a new train station beside Ibrox Stadium, as I say how highly requested it has become and now is the time to talk while plans are being presented between the club and the council.

Regards



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