Devon and Cornwall Branch Strategy



Okehampton Line Reopens December 2021

Track renewal almost done.



Station Reopenings

Exeter Metro Area Services

Cullompton Strong Business Case & progressing.
Willand Possibility - Platforms remain.
Marsh Barton In Exeter, Government funding.

Potential to be served by Plymouth to Torbay service

Plympton South Brent Kingskerswell Edginswell Goodrington Large population – the forgotten town Would serve south side of Dartmoor. Possible rail halt – low platforms exist. Torbay led, but no further progress. Useful extension of Paignton service.

Cornwall

Pool Urban area of Redruth – Camborne.

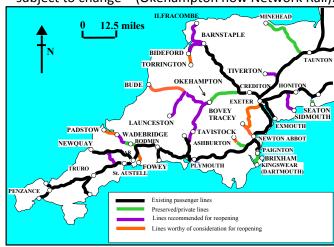
Adequate diversionary routes

Whimple loop for Honiton route.



Reopening Strategy Discussion Map

-subject to change - (Okehampton now Network Rail).



Okehampton to Bere Alston Reopening

Our main reopening priority.



Bideford Reopening

Bideford to Barnstaple has been a Railfuture (Railway Development Society) aspiration since the 1980s when the track was still there.

