
Cornwall Council statement following announcement

"This news has come as a shock, and we know it will cause real worry for the passengers who depend on these services every day, as well as for First employees in Cornwall.

"Our bus network continues to face major challenges, and some routes have only survived thanks to targeted extra funding.

"This is a decision First has taken as a company, and our focus now is on finding providers who can take these routes on. We will keep communities informed and provide a further update before Christmas."