



visitor travel guide

getting to our office



your travel guide

We want to make it easy for you to plan your journey to and from our base in Salford.

We also want to reduce our impact on the environment and have set ourselves a target of reducing our carbon footprint by 5% each year. This is one of the key measures in our corporate plan.

This travel guide provides information about how you can get to and from our base at the Soapworks and encourages us all to use more sustainable means of travel that will help us to reduce our emissions.

public transport

bus

Our new office at the Soapworks is ideally located with a range of bus services that serve the Salford Quays area.

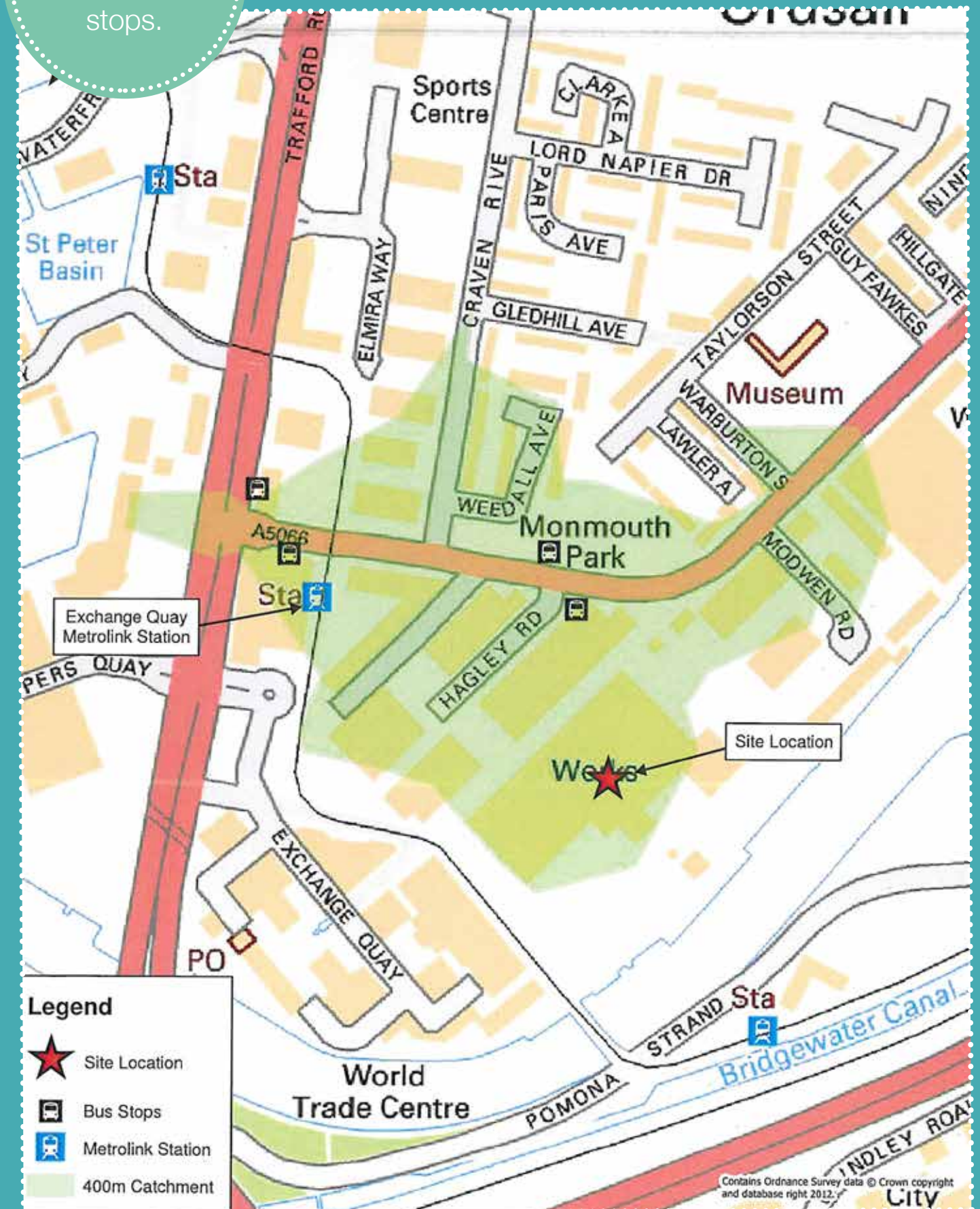
Buses stopping closest to the Soapworks include the number 71/73 and 79 services.

Buses running slightly further from the Soapworks include 250, X50 and 263.

The buses running closest to the office are in the table below.

Bus number	Stop Location	Route	One Way frequency per hour
71/73	Ordsall Lane	Clifton – Pendleton – Swinton - Ordsall - Salford Quays - Manchester	1
79	Trafford Road	Swinton – Pendleton – Salford Quays – Stretford	1
53	Trafford Road	Salford – Old Trafford – Cheetham Hill	4
250/X50	Wharfside Way	Manchester – Old Trafford – Intu Trafford Centre	4
263	Chester Road	Manchester – Hulme – Sale – Altrincham	6

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tram

There are trams every 12 minutes to and from the Exchange Quay tram stop which is a 5 minute walk from the office. This is in Zone 2 of the tram network.

If you are travelling from Altrincham, Manchester Airport, Bury, Manchester Victoria and Didsbury you will need to change at Cornbrook. From there you can catch any tram heading to Eccles or MediaCityUK.

rail

The nearest mainline train station with regular services is Deansgate Railway Station in Manchester City Centre. This is next to the Deansgate-Castlefield tram stop which can be accessed by the foot bridge. From there you can get on any tram to Exchange Quay by catching any tram heading to Eccles or MediaCityUK.

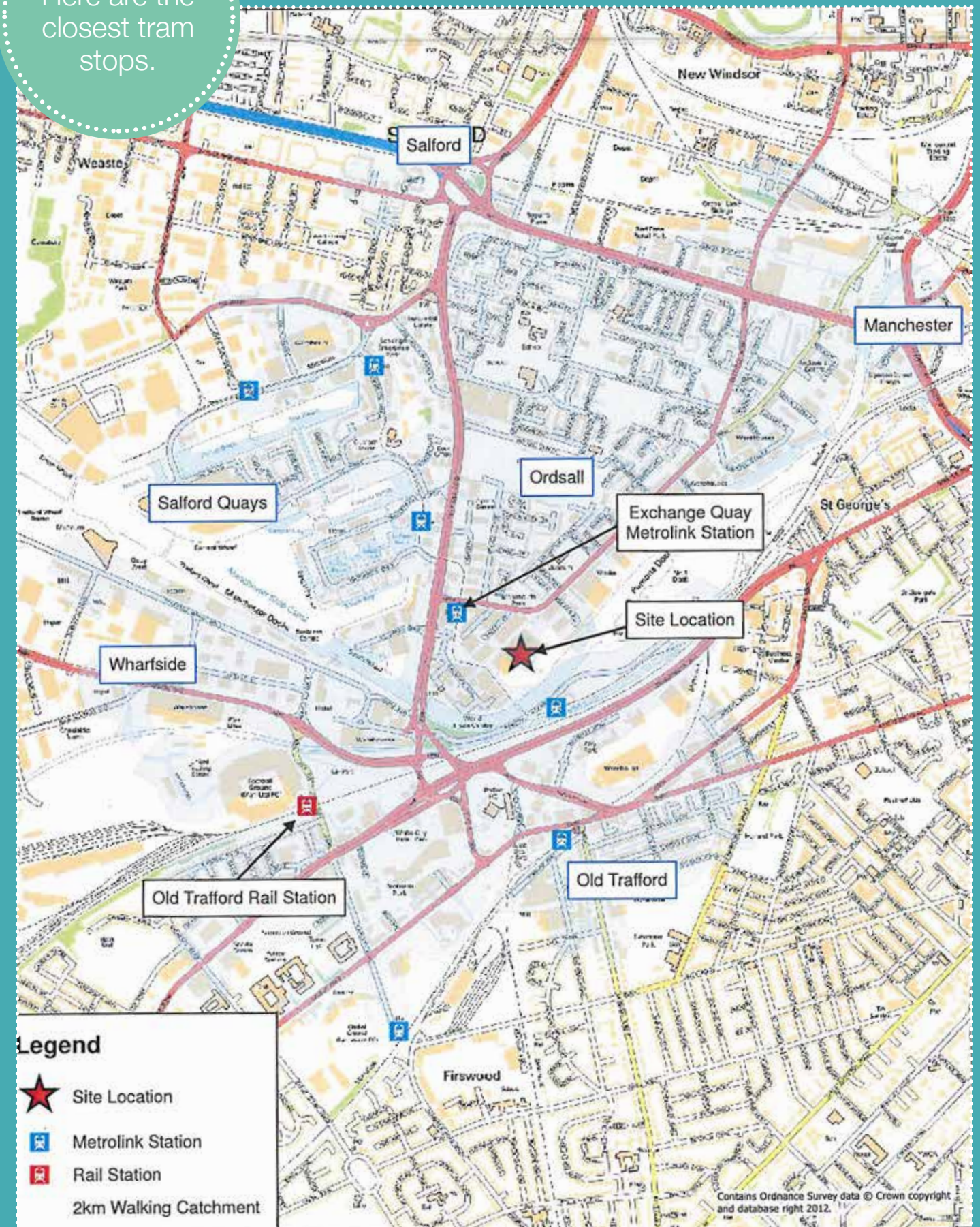
park and ride

You can use park and ride facilities where you can leave your car in a car park outside the city centre and transfer to a bus or tram for the remainder of your journey. You can find your nearest park and ride stop here

<https://tfgm.com/public-transport/park-and-ride>



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nearest park and ride trams

Sale Water Park – Junction 6 M60

There is parking for 300 cars at the tram stop which is well lit.

<https://tfgm.com/public-transport/park-and-ride/sale-water-park-tram>

Sale Water Park tram stop is in Zone 3. The ticket price to Exchange Quay would be £3.40 return at peak time, or £3.00 return off peak (after 9.30am) – parking at the tram stop is free.

You will need to change trams at Cornbrook and catch a tram to Eccles or MediaCityUK.

Ladywell - Junction 2 M602

There is parking for 450 cars at this tram stop as well as 22 disabled spaces.

<https://tfgm.com/public-transport/park-and-ride/ladywell-tram>

Ladywell tram stop is in Zone 2. The ticket price to Exchange Quay would be £2.60 return at peak time, or £1.80 return off peak (after 9:30am) - parking at the tram stop is free.

To get to Exchange Quay you will need to take the tram towards Ashton-Under-Lyne.

Park and Ride Bolton Rail

There is parking for 30 spaces

www.tfgm.com/public-transport/park-and-ride/bolton-rail

nearest park and ride buses

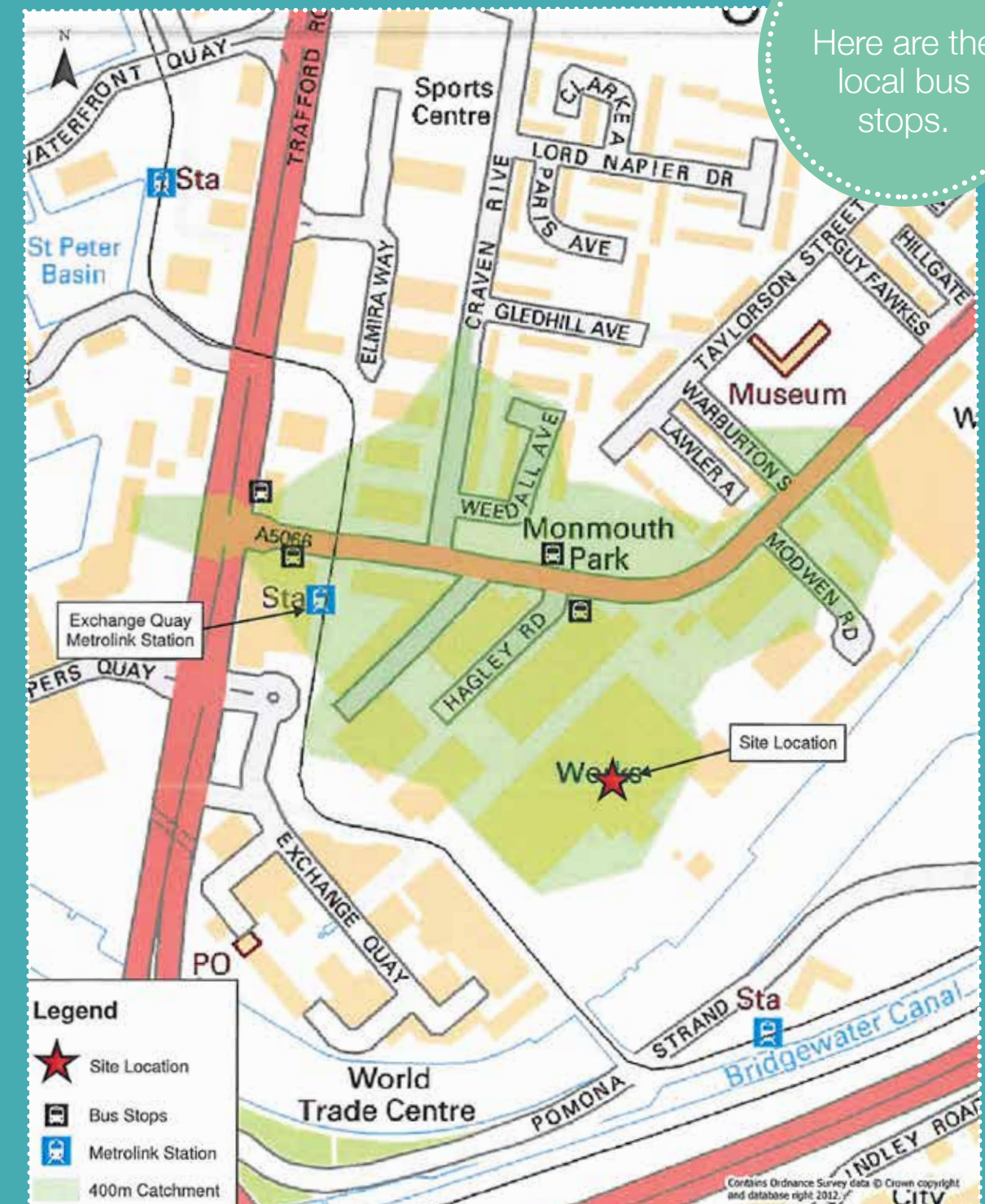
Park and Ride Vantage bus from Leigh to Manchester

Pick up point on East Lancs Road, Worsley – A580 Park & Ride Vantage buses V1 and V2 take you to Salford Crescent Rail Station. You then need to take the number 50 bus from stop B to the Lowry. The journey takes around 20 minutes in rush hour traffic.

Further details can be found here: www.firstgroup.com/greater-manchester/routes-and-maps/vantage/park-and-ride

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Here are the local bus stops.





parking

As we have limited parking space at our office, should you need to park your car you can do so at the following car parks.

www.lowryoutlet.co.uk/car-parking This is a bit of a walk from the office (*approx. 20 minutes*) but offers low cost – long stay parking.

1 Hour £1.00	5 hours £6.00
2 Hours £2.00	6 hours £7.00
3 Hours £3.00	12 hours £12.00
4 Hours £4.00	24 hours £16.00

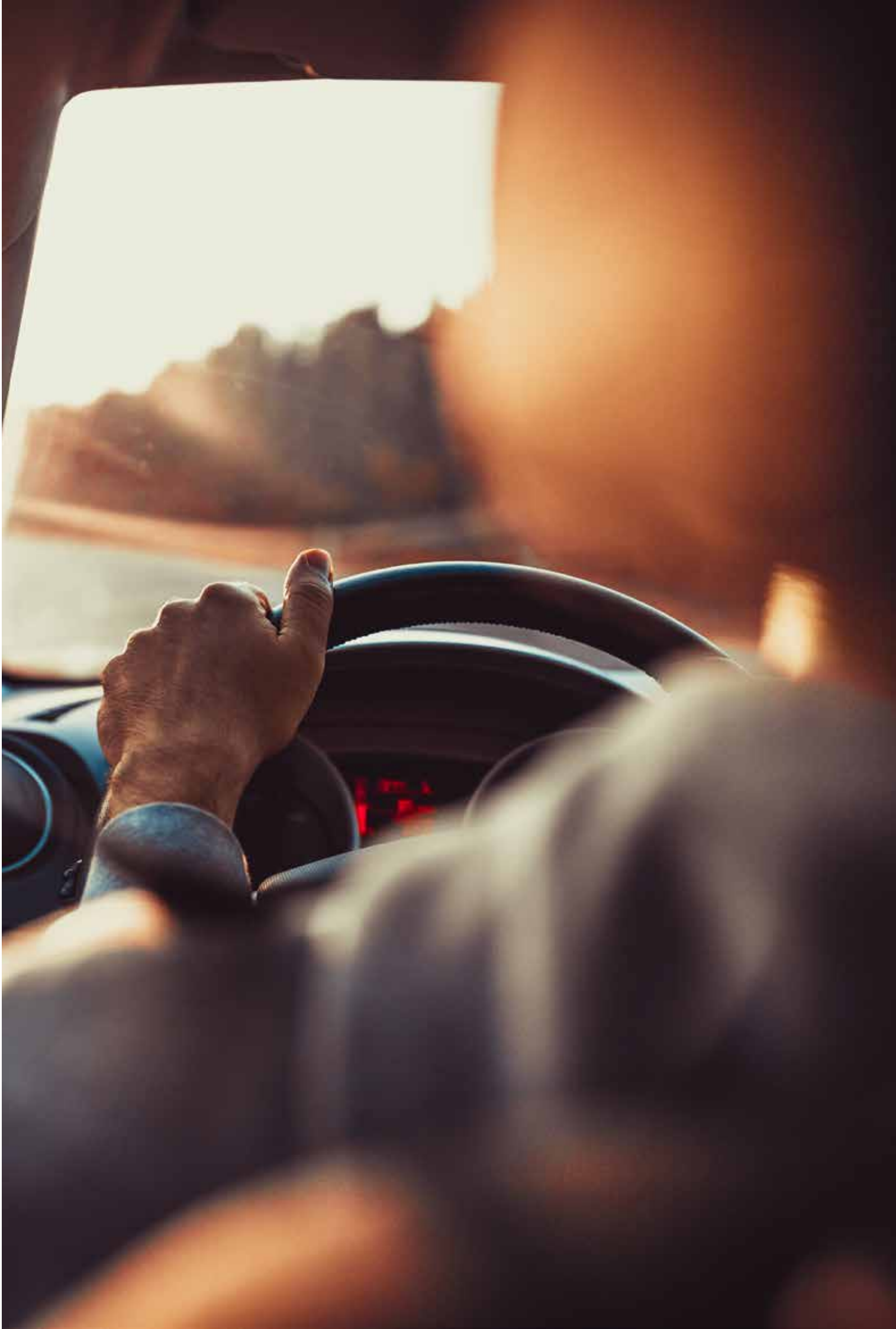
Radclyffe Park, Phoebe Street, Salford M5 3GZ – This is a bit of a walk from the office (*approx. 12 mins*).

15 Mins Free	24 hours £15.00
1 Hour £1.00	Additional day £15.00
2 Hours £2.00	

There is two hours free parking if you spend £5.00 at Morrisons or have a Health Centre Appointment

www.yourparkingspace.co.uk You can book parking spaces by the hour. Just enter where you'd like to park and the date and times. It will give you a list of where you can park and how long it will take to walk.

www.parkopedia.com Enter where you are going and the times and date you need parking and it will also provide you with a list of options and how long it will take to walk.



plan your journey

Transport for Greater Manchester have a Plan my Journey facility
<https://my.tfgm.com/#/>

You can enter your start and end points and select your mode of transport and it will plan your route for you and let you know how long it will take.

