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Sustaining Dunbar is a local charity which is building a vibrant and environmentally-friendly community in the Dunbar and East Linton area. It provides a network for people to get together with others who share similar interests and want to work together to build a sustainable, low-carbon community.

<http://www.sustainingdunbar.org/>

The Climate Challenge Fund is a Scottish Government grant scheme administered within the Sustainable Action Fund. It gives communities, through individual community groups and community planning partners, the ability to implement actions to reduce their carbon emissions.

<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Environment/climatechange/ClimateChallengeFund>

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Thinking of leaving the car at home?



Connecting Dunbar is a new local project which will make it easier to walk, cycle or take public transport as an alternative to using the car.

Dunbar residents have pointed out some of the things that make it difficult to use sustainable travel in and around Dunbar:

- Buses don't connect with each other or trains
- It is difficult to get hold of bus timetables
- Walking and cycling routes are hard to find
- Footpaths can be muddy or uneven
- Roads are hard to cross
- Traffic feels dangerous



The Bus Stop on Belhaven Road is often empty



Cycling on Kellie Road

Over the next few months we will be asking local residents about how they travel and what changes they would like to see, and we hope to make it possible for people to transfer short journeys made by car to other more sustainable means. This will include producing promotional materials such as route maps of Dunbar and the surrounding areas for cyclists, pedestrians and public transport users.

We want to work with community groups, schools and local employers and to find out how we can make it easier for more of us to leave our cars at home.

What do *you* think would make it easier to walk, cycle or catch a bus or train in Dunbar?



Send your comments to **Connecting Dunbar**, 16 West Port, Dunbar EH42 1BU



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