



### Irvine Active Travel Hub

Energy Saving Trust is pleased to announce the opening of The Trinity Active Travel Hub, situated within the town centre of Irvine and realised with support from Transport Scotland's Low Carbon Travel and Transport Challenge Fund.

This project was officially launched by the Active Nation Commissioner for Scotland, Lee Craigie, in June 2019, and is part of North Ayrshire's wider *Irvine Active Travel Hub*.

The new hub aims to promote sustainable travel as an attractive and viable option for everyday journeys in and around Irvine and to focus on the provision of information, personal travel advice and training engaging for local residents, businesses and visitors.

The project has established a bike library (including an adult tricycle) and installed public infrastructure to support active travel including cycle parking, public cycle pumps and public cycle tools.

The Council have also invested in the upgrade of several path routes to support access across the town. They have created satellite hubs at key public transport halts and a new closed cycle loop has been constructed at The Circuit, Quarry Road in Irvine, which will be used to provide cycling training.



[Left to right] Councillor Alex Gallagher – Cabinet Member for Economy, Councillor Joe Cullinane – Leader of North Ayrshire Council, Craig Hatton – Chief Executive North Ayrshire Council, Lee Craigie, Active Nation Commissioner for Scotland