## THE A86 DUPLEX: AN INNOVATIVE STRUCTURE TO RELIEVE TRAFFIC IN WESTERN PARIS

The A86 Duplex is a 10-kilometre tunnel linking Rueil-Malmaison and Vélizy in western Paris region « Ile-de-France ». Inaugurated on 8 January 2011, this urban tunnel completes the closure to the west of Paris of the A86 motorway, the second ring road in the Paris region after the « Périphérique ».

Designed, built, financed and operated by VINCI Autoroutes, the A86 Duplex facilitates the link between La Défense and Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines / Vélizy, two major economic centres in the Ile-de-France region.

The A86 Duplex offers considerable time savings for everyday travel. It takes less than 10 minutes to travel the 10 km of tunnel between Rueil-Malmaison and Vélizy, compared with an average of 45 minutes using the roads at the surface.



## TWO UNIDIRECTIONAL TRAFFIC LEVELS, ONE ABOVE THE OTHER





Rueil-Malmaison

The A86 Duplex is a real asset to the daily mobility of the people of Ile-de-France and is also a tunnel of new generation.

For light vehicles only, it comprises two unidirectional traffic levels, the first one being above the other one. This means that vehicles never pass each other, thus avoiding any risk of head-on collision. The teams at the Traffic Control Centre look after the comfort and safety of the users of the tunnel.

They are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week to provide first response to incidents. Sophisticated monitoring equipment and systems ensure that any anomalies are quickly detected and dealt with. While travelling through the A86 Duplex, you will be surprised to discover works of art on the tunnel walls.

An amazing infrastructure that offers all the conditions for a safe and peaceful journey for road users!