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To: Aquind Interconnector <aquind@planninginspectorate.gov.uk>

Subject: Further Objection

Hello,

Further to my objection already sent and logged I wanted to make you aware of the impact closing the eastern road has had on the traffic in and around our city.

On Friday last week the Eastern road was closed between Farlington roundabout and anchorage park. Add to that an accident on the motorway and this was the impact to the roads:

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I am where the blue dot it on that photo and cars were everywhere and not moving... at all! All of the smaller roads were jammed but this unfortunately doesn't show on the map.

This continued into Monday when the traffic was like this:

<~WRD1997.jpg>

I ask you if this was the impact of a small part of the eastern road being closed for a weekend how you think we will cope as a city if Aquind is given the go ahead? This has to be rejected to ensure our city doesn't grind to a halt.

Ambulances and other emergency services couldn't get anywhere as there was nowhere to go to. People will die if the approval is given for Aquind. Appointments were missed, people couldn't get to collect their children from school. It was absolutely crazy. I walked to collect my daughter from school on the Friday, as I always do and the cars had not moved at all in the time I left my house to walking back.

Please ensure this is logged as a further objection as this has to be rejected.

A picture speaks a thousand words!

Thanks and kind regards

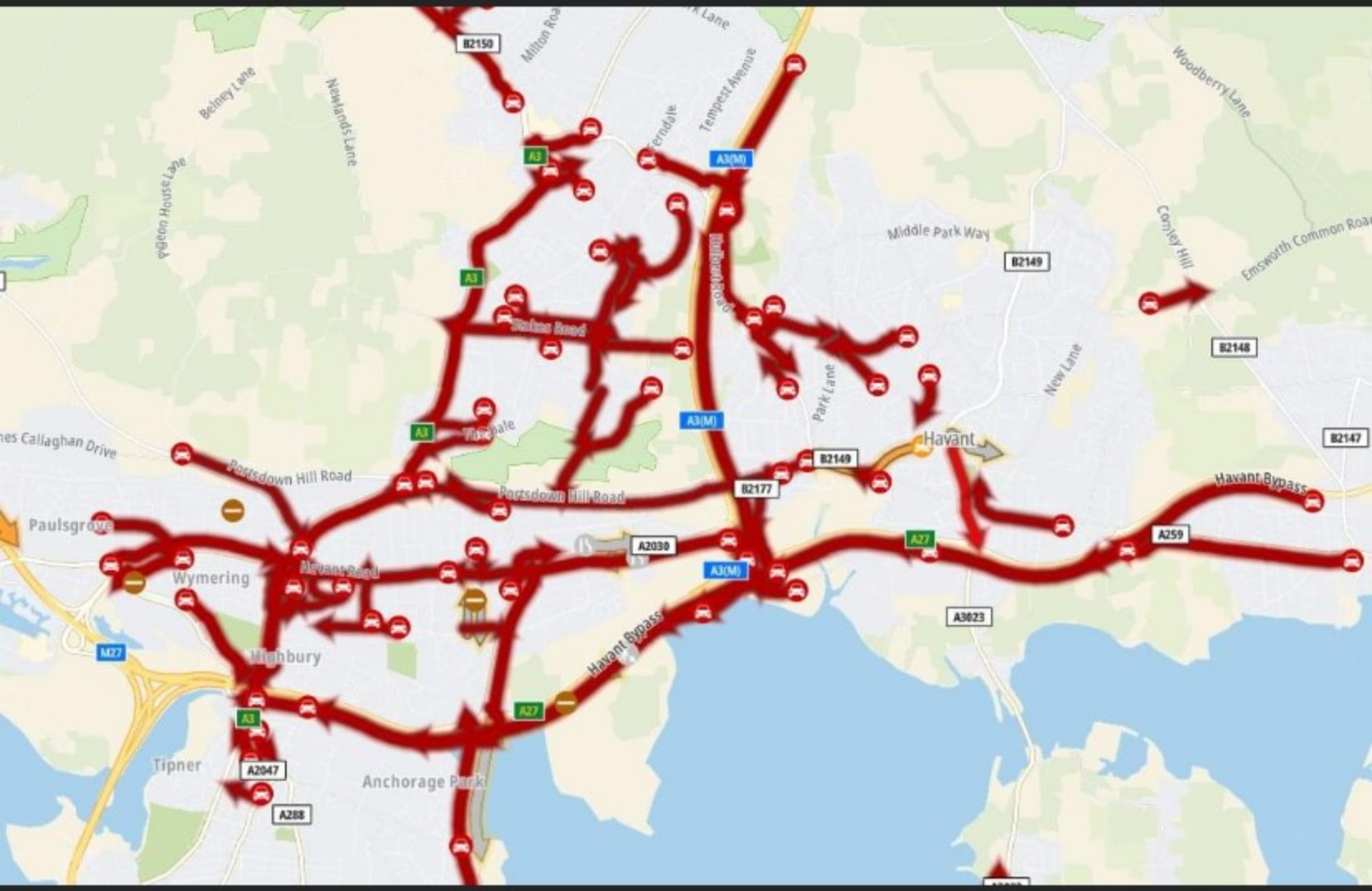
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