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Please hear the concerns of people who live in Portsmouth.

There are multiple reasons why this project will be detrimental to all in the area as well as the conservation issues.

1- destroying sensitive and vital habitats for marine life in the ocean and a much needed green spaces for UK birds, but also migrating birds, as well as other creatures and insects dependant on established trees, shrubs and fauna. In a time where biodiversity is in desperate need of being restored this unnecessary project would be detrimental. Mature trees and shrubs cannot be replaced.

2- these spaces are needed for the wellbeing of humans in this densely populated city.

3- it's likely to cause airborne harm in terms of potential asbestos dumped as hard core which would be dug up. 4- the proposed route would disrupt 1 of the 2 only arteries to get in and out of the city. Future maintenance would do the same.

5- why this route anyway when there are shorter routes?

6- it's a waste of money and not needed, local solutions including renewables should be the focus.

These are but a few of my objections. All political parties have united against this project for good reason. We will continue to fight this no matter how long it takes.

With deep concern Lynda Bryer Sent from my iPhone