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To: A38 Derby Junctions <A38DerbyJunctions@planninginspectorate.gov.uk>  
Subject: A38 junctions roadworks

Dear Sirs/Madam,

I understand that the planning process is well underway and that interested parties have already been asked for their opinions on the above. However as a resident of Derby city, I feel that there has been very little publicity about the proposed scheme and in fact very few people are aware that it is once again being planned.

I live in [REDACTED] and am concerned about air and noise pollution during the 3 1/2 years of construction . I am also concerned about getting to and from [REDACTED] where I work. The parking/traffic issues there are already so severe that patients are frequently late for or miss appointments and staff are stuck trying to get out of the car park to get home. If this scheme should go ahead there should be some definite benefit to the people of Derby, not just to those travelling past.

I am aware that there is apparently no money for mitigating factors but I would like to ask that this be reconsidered as it would be wonderful opportunity to address the issue of the Climate Emergency which was declared by the Government and Derby city council last year. Given that road transport is the biggest contributor to emissions it would be sensible to consider the following:  
Eco friendly buses, not diesel, more frequent services.

Ring road buses so people can access the hospital without going into the city centre.

Freight could be travelling primarily by rail, not road.

A good Park and ride scheme, with shelter and refreshments, from outside the ring road.

Better provision for cyclists and walkers into the city.

A car-free zone in the city centre in order to reduce emissions and improve air quality.

Yours sincerely,  
Carol Leak

Sent from my iPad