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Dear Sirs/Mesdames,

I remain convinced that any tunnel bored/excavated near the precious site will be harmful in terms of effects on the underlying strata - in particular natural drainage.

There is a new factor to consider - namely the cost to the atmosphere of maintaining lighting and other electrical plant 24/7 inside a tunnel. Placing a solar farm to sustain this would be an irony in this environment and a proposed EFW plant some distance away is a hotly-contested feature.

Until recently, my chief concern (and it is still one) is the increasing volume of traffic and overground atmospheric pollution - much of which is caused by long queues for the nearby roundabout. I was in such a queue for 3/4 of an hour the last time I passed south of the monument.

A simple road-improvement scheme is preferable in so many ways.

Faithfully, Martin Kilbey