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**To:** [A303 Stonehenge](#)  
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Dear Sir

You have asked for responses to five matters you wish to consider with regard to the Stonehenge scheme.

Regarding 'Alternatives':

National Highways has not fully assessed alternative routes less damaging to our precious World Heritage site, for example a southern bypass or a longer tunnel. Nor have they explored alternative to hard engineering solutions in order to safeguard and enhance the site, for example, a package of measures to reduce road traffic, road emissions and improve access to the South West.

Regarding 'Carbon':

National Highways has not updated the carbon assessment and costs.

Regarding 'Policy':

National Highways has not made any changes to the Scheme to take the 2021 World Heritage Committee Decision into account.

Regarding 'Environment Information':

National Highways has not acknowledged that the Secretary of State found the Scheme's impact on the proposed western cutting area would be 'significantly adverse'.

Regarding 'Any Other Matters':

National Highways has not updated the Scheme construction costs.

Furthermore, since the Examination closed, concern for climate change has increased with the latest Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change report and the need to take urgent action to reduce emissions, not increase them as any new Stonehenge road scheme would. And in addition, the Environment Act 2021 sets new ambitions around nature recovery.

Please reconsider and throw this application out.

Regards  
Lynn MacAskill  
a concerned citizen