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To: the **Secretary of State for Transport**

I am writing regarding the proposal to undertake major road development through one of the world's most important archeological sites at Stonehenge.

We are blessed with a World Heritage site which the current plans will degrade substantially - and all unnecessarily. The proposals as they stand constitute historical vandalism.

Alternative proposals have been put forward - and recommendations have been made by various knowledgeable bodies. National Highways refuses to take any of them into account, it seems - even those from the 2021 World Heritage Committee.

A number of workable alternatives have been put forward - a new southern by-pass route (cheaper than the current plans), plus measures to reduce road traffic and carbon emissions (which are supposed to be a top priority nationwide!). All these have so far been ignored. The plan as it stands also takes no account of the objectives in the 2021 Environment Act - one arm of government working against another!

Given that we are supposed to be moving on from ever-increasing dependence on road traffic, I urge you to move back from the plans as they stand and work towards a progressive and environmentally responsible solution that protects and enhances this unique site.

Sincerely

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