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Dear Sir/Madam,

A while ago I signed the petition against the new road at Stonehenge because it is a World Heritage Site and is fascinating to me for a few reasons.

I now see that Highways England has resubmitted plans as they have been requested to do.

They have not made any changes to the scheme and that is sad and disappointing. Also, they have not acknowledged the Secretary of State saying that the impact of the western cutting area would be adverse.

Nor have they fully assessed alternative routes such as a longer tunnel to reduce impact on the WHS.

Or explored alternatives to hard engineering which is measures to reduce road traffic and road emissions.

And since the examination closed there is more concern for climate change and the need to reduce emissions which the Stonehenge road scheme would not.

Finally, the Environment Act 2021 sets out new ambitions for nature recovery.

