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Subject: Comments on submissions of National Highways
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To Whom it May Concern,

I drive past the beautiful Stonehenge site on a fairly regular basis. I love seeing the stones as I drive past.

I am very concerned that this proposed tunnel so close to a World Heritage Site of such great British import has not been scrutinized further. I wish to object to this tunnel proposal due to the following points.

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

Nor have they acknowledged the Secretary of State found the scheme's impact on the proposed western cutting area to potentially be "significantly adverse".

National Highways have not fully assessed alternative routes which would be less damaging to the world Heritage Site.

I cannot see that the scheme construction costs have been updated. Nor is there an update on the carbon assessment and costs.

Since the examination closed there has been an increased concern for climate change with the latest Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change report and the need to take urgent action to reduce emissions, in increase them as any new Stonehenge road scheme would do

Finally the environment Act 2021 sets new ambitions around nature recovery which this scheme would not fulfill.

Yours sincerely,

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