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To: [A303 Stonehenge](#)
Subject: Redetermination of A303 Stonehenge scheme
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Dear Planning Inspectorate,

I am very concerned about the plans being put forward for a new dual carriageway which will cut deep into an internationally acclaimed archaeological landscape near Stonehenge. This will threaten its status as a world heritage site. I do use this road from time to time and know it to be very beautiful in many places although I do recognise the problems of the traffic accumulation at certain times of the day.

We know that we face a climate crisis which is getting worse each year. The last thing we should do is increase the potential for yet more traffic as well as expand the amount of land which is processed and built on. The most important thing is to encourage less car use and find better ways for people to take journeys. This will also prove to be similar to HS2 which is very close to my home here in the Chilterns and has proved to be incredibly over budget and increasingly damaging to the environment.

In addition I understand that the plan now does not take into account the 2021 World Heritage Committee decision and that the Secretary of State found the impact to the proposed western cutting area would be 'significantly adverse'.

Also it would appear that other alternative route have not been fully assessed nor has there been exploration into the possibility of alternatives to hard engineering.

In all and for all these many important reasons I would ask this proposal is dropped and that extremely serious consideration is given to reducing traffic, maintaining the archaeological site, protecting the environment and biodiversity. Please do not build this monstrous road.

It is surely time to rethink our ways before it is too late..

Kind regards,
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