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 Road widening proposal

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This is an utterly appalling proposal. It has been known for decades 'improved roads attract more traffic', Geography Dept, UCL, close roads and 25% of the traffic disappears, a clue there I think. It will also detract from the site itself, why is there a major road next to Stonehenge? A bit like 'Why was Windsor castle built so close to Heathrow?'

How this 'bigger road' idea fits with global warming, reducing our carbon footprint etc I do not understand. Other countries are reducing car use, why not here?

Nor do I understand how this 'World Heritage Site' is to be downgraded in this way.

Can the UK sink any lower in world esteem. I doubt it. We (the UK) are already a laughing stock.

I grew up in Dorset at a time when Stonehenge was a few neglected rocks to picnic next to and run around, and still occasionally go by when off to visit the country relatives (I'd rather go by train but hey ho) it is clearly a huge tourist attraction, how would a major road enhance it?

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