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To: <u>A303 Stonehenge</u>

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Subject: opposition to Stonehenge road scheme

Date: 04 April 2022 16:53:16

To the Secretary of State,

Re: National Highways plans for Stonehenge tunnel

I wish to register my firm objection to National Highways plans for the Stonehenge road scheme, which would involve boring a 3km tunnel beneath the world famous designated UNESCO site, causing significant harm to the archaeological integrity of the area.

No road scheme should be permitted to cause further damage to the World Heritage Site, described by UNESCO to be a 'landscape without parallel.'

I would be horrified if this damaging road scheme were to be built leading to the possibility of its World Heritage status being withdrawn.

Future generations would be appalled at those who decided that road widening should be at the expense of England's most iconic World Heritage Site.

Furthermore, how could these plans ever be in line with the recommendations of IPCC report to take urgent action to reduce emissions and stop the destruction of nature? Any responsible government needs to put a stop to the traditional pursuit of short term gain at the cost of long term pain.

Yours Sincerely

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