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Sir

The excerpt below appeared in the email I received from Stonehenge Alliance on 25th September 2022. The emphasis is mine.

It appears the the National Highways staff have failed to take on board adequately the fact that Stonehenge is unique- it has a cultural and national value that must be in the £billions!

Please ask your staff to get with the narrative and to stop pushing this philistinism. It may be of course that they are all labour supporters and would like to hang this decision around the necks of the conservative party for ever!

Whatever the additional cost it must be but a flea bite compared to the cost of that enormous and unnecessary white-elephant, HS2 to Birmingham.

*“The [UNESCO Advisory] Mission advised that a less damaging scheme, such as a southern bypass, should be sought and indicated that, at the very least, any tunnel should be extended to the western WHS boundary. **National Highways insists that its current scheme would bring benefits to the WHS and that a longer tunnel would not be worth the expense.**”*

Yours

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