

Submission ID: 16228

Dear Sir/Madam

I write further to the rule 6 letter and the request for written submissions about how the application should be examined.

As stated in our Relevant Representation, Hampshire County Council is supportive of the project subject to the resolution of the issues identified in our Relevant Representations including the impact of the scheme on the A33/B3047 junction, known locally as the Cart & Horses junction. Both the County Council and the Applicant are confident that they can achieve suitable mitigation via agreement and are working towards this outcome. However until an agreement is reached the impact on the Cart & Horses junction is an important concern for the County Council that we would like to flag with the Examining Authority, and may need to be included on the agenda of specific issue hearings convened to address the DCO or transport and highways impacts of the proposed scheme if agreement on mitigation is not reached beforehand.

Representatives from Hampshire County Council have registered to attend in person (but not speak at) the preliminary meeting.

Yours faithfully

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