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To: A417 Missing Link at Air Balloon

Subject: A417 Missing Link, Birdlip, Gloucestershire

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FAO The Inspector.

May I bring the following to your attention, as a close friend of several Birdlip village residents, I support the above scheme and ask to be included.

I support the scheme as it addresses the Safety issues for road users (many accidents and lives lost), Pollution, noise, rat running through Birdlip, and surrounding villages.

I am aware of an incident where a young race horse was being ridden on the lanes between Birdlip and Brimpsfield in recent weeks and was physically hit by a car wing mirror, travelling at speed, one of man such incidents causing distress to local villagers.

On Sunday 26 September 2021, there was another head on collision in the general location of Nettleton Bottom, near Birdlip, where upon an air ambulance was required. This again confirms that there is a need for this scheme as it addresses the Safety issues for road users and will reduce the terrible loss of life.

I submit for your information.

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