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## Good evening.

I would like to draw your attention to the bats that reside at the back of our houses beyond the garden fences onto the motorway verge and in the trees where the intended work for planning consent is currently being sort on the M60 motorway. The bats can be seen flying at dusk from the motorway through our driveways and around our houses. My neighbours and I can confirm these bats are seen daily in the sky along our road that we live.

We are also concerned about the hedgehogs that use our gardens to nest and to pass through onto adjoining Prestwich Heys fields. We suspect they also pass via motorway verges and into our gardens.

I will be attending the meeting on 11th September to raise this again as myself and other neighbours are concerned that these bats and hedgehogs that are protected by law are not protected here if this planning consent is agreed. Please can you reply to my email confirming receipt of my concerns about the surrounding wildlife in the area we live which will be affected by these proposals.

Kind regards

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