My house is approx 1.5k North of the main runway, and this past 3 years the noise from the airport has been getting louder, prior to this the aircraft noise was barely discernible, now however we can hear the aircraft most times of the day. We now for some reason very regularly suffer from the smell of aircraft fuel. I do believe that they are using the Northern Taxiway on occasions, although I am not sure how often.

I am however positive that if permission is granted for the 2nd runway the nuisance of aircaft noise and smell will increase greatly. Add this to the noise and pollution from the increased congestion, on our already congested roads, from the huge increase of road traffic.

I believe there are plans to widen the A23 at the Longbridge roundabout. but no plans for and road improvements elsewhere. I believe this will lead to greater usage of the rural roads leading to and from the airport.