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**Subject:** Objection - Princess Parade

Dear Caroline,

I object to the 'Stopping Up' of Princes Parade and the closure of the coastal road along Prince's Parade in Hythe. I have lived in this area for over 18 months now and in all that time I have NEVER experienced a problem with accidents or any incidents on Prince's Parade. I believe that speed is by no means a problem along this road and in fact most people slow down to enjoy the breathtaking views of the sea.

To close this road or even to change the purpose of this road is crazy. This road isn't only used by those that want to experience the views and to park along so they can utilise the beaches and canal paths, this road is used as an alternative route to avoid the already busy Seabrook Road. Traffic along Seabrook Road can be a total nightmare as in certain areas where the road narrows there is only room for one car to pass and therefore, there are regular queues and traffic jams. This is a very busy bus route which only makes this worse.

I am very concerned that by making these changes to Princess Parade, it will compound these issues and I feel would most definitely have a devastating affect as Seabrook Road is used by ALL the emergency services and the police too and any extra traffic will make this impassable and I believe at times will create a gridlock which could potentially have devastating repercussions if an ambulance, fire engine or the police were unable to pass in an emergency. The whole proposal is totally absurd! It will be a very sad day if this is allowed to happen.

Kind regards  
Gillian Curtis