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**Subject:** NATTRAN/SE/S247/3254 - STOPPING UP OF PRINCES PARADE – PUBLIC ENQUIRY

Dear Council,

I want to show my support for rerouting the road away from the seafront and stopping up Princes Parade. I am a frequent dog walker along this path have always thought it a waste of prime location to have a busy road ploughing through it. The cars go too fast, and children, dog walkers and elderly people often take their life into their own hands crossing the road.

A lot people like to do a seafront and canal loop which means they always have to cross the busy road. It would be far safer if cars stuck to A259 instead of trying to beat the traffic along the coastal road and charging along South road or Twiss road. Both are already congested with excessive parking, so these speeding cars cause additional problems to those using the playing fields or walking into town.

Over the years I have seen many near misses along Princes Parade: dogs running into the road, cyclists swerving onto the pavements miss speeding cars, children being dragged back by their hoods as they step through one of the promenade gaps onto the road!

Please stop up the Princes Parade road to allow for a much improved peaceful walk along the seafront of Hythe for residents and visitors to the area. It is such a waste as it stands.

Yours sincerely  
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