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Subject: NATTRAN/SE/S247/3254 Princes Parade, Hythe, Kent

Dear Sir/Madam

I wish to object against the proposed stopping up of Princes parade, Hythe, Kent for the following reasons:

1. The road does not need to be stopped up as any new development could be accessed from the existing Princes parade. As an existing road, it can be accessed from either the Sandgate or Hythe ends.
2. The road is an essential connection and if Seabrook road were blocked or closed for resurfacing, Princes Parade would be perfect for diverting traffic onto.
3. There is a huge environmental impact when laying new tarmac, which will increase carbon emissions etc. Particularly, when it doesn't need to happen.
4. The road has been in place for many years and has historical importance, access to the beach and parking for many cars is essential for those wishing to enjoy the beach.
5. The new position of the relocated road will have a severe environmental impact on the Royal military canal and the noise levels from stopping up and the construction of a new road would mean there would be no peace and quiet. Particularly as the Canal has scheduled monument status.
6. The "vehicle free link" as described by the FHDC will have a huge negative impact on the walkers, runners, cyclists, fishermen and local people and visitors who use the canal path.

Best regards

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