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Subject: NATTRAN/SE/S247/3254

Dear sirs/madames,

I wish to register my objection to the proposed stopping up of Princes Parade, Hythe, Kent on the above reference for the following reasons:

I wholly object to the stopping up proposal in its entirety because and not limited to:

- It is not required, the new development could be accessed from the existing Princes Parade, indeed the road would benefit from greater connectivity and access points to calm the traffic speed. The road in its current position is also vital for access to the seafront for people with limited mobility.
- the road is iconic, historic and has been in place for many years.
- the new position of the relocated road will have a very significant detrimental impact on the Royal Military Canal and destroy the peace and tranquillity of the setting of the Scheduled Monument (RMC),
- the "vehicle free link from the proposed leisure centre and housing development to the beach and existing promenade" highlighted by FHDC in their application will be at the total detriment of the walkers, runners, cyclists, anglers, visitors and local people who use the Royal Military canal path every day and enjoy its peaceful, tranquil and traffic free setting.
- I believe the current road to be a vital link, for instance to emergency services, in the event of the only other route (A259) becoming blocked in what is an increasingly busy area.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Flood