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By Email

Dear Highways England,

A303 Stonehenge supplementary consultation July-August 2018

CPRE Wiltshire Branch has commented on earlier consultations on the A303 Stonehenge Project (23.2.17 and 27.3.18) and we would be grateful if you would, please, take those responses into account now, in addition to our comments on the present consultation.

In respect of the present consultation, we would refer you to the response of the Stonehenge Alliance (20.7.18), of which we are a supporter-organisation, with whose views we concur, including under Questions 1–3 of the Supplementary Consultation Booklet.

We note and deplore the continued lack of precise information on a number of issues of direct relevance to the scheme and to the present consultation: including location and types of fencing; the absence of any proposed alternative facility for motorised traffic between Byways 11 and 12 such as exists at present; the management of land taken for the road scheme post construction; accurate photographic montages of the proposed changes at Longbarrow Roundabout and Rollestone Crossroads.

We also wish to express our deep concern that the scheme as currently proposed makes no attempt to implement the clear advice of the international Advisory Missions invited to give advice on the scheme, nor the Decisions of the World Heritage Committee in 2017 and 2018.

Yours faithfully

Anne Henshaw Chairman