## Dear Supporter,

This is a reminder to let you know that the deadline for comments on submissions by National Highways is nearly upon us.

We are most concerned that, once again, National Highways is lobbying hard for its discredited Stonehenge road widening scheme to be approved by the Secretary of State for Transport.

## CLICK HERE FOR KEY POINTS TO INCORPORATE

We believe our list of points make a compelling case for a re-examination of the scheme BEFORE the Secretary of State redetermines a re-application for the very same road scheme.

Comments must be submitted to the Planning Inspectorate by 23:59, MONDAY, 4 APRIL 2022

Please email: A303Stonehenge@planninginspectorate.gov.uk

The new dual carriageway would gouge deep cuttings into an internationally acclaimed archaeological landscape,



threatening the very status of the World Heritage Site.

Western tunnel entrance and cutting | Photo and image credit: National Highways 2019. More images of the Stonehenge road scheme can be <u>found here</u>.

Thank you so much to all our supporters who have sent comments to the Planning Inspectorate. Several of you have pointed out that if you did not register as an "interested party" for the Examination in 2019 you might receive a bureaucratic reply from the Planning Inspectorate as per the graphic below.

"Thank you for your email, I can confirm receipt of your comments. These will be forwarded to the Secretary of State (SoS) however as you are not a registered Interested Party it will be at the discretion of the SoS whether or not your comments are accepted. If they are accepted they will be published on the project webpage of the National Infrastructure Planning website in due course.

Regards, Max Baldwin

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DO NOT be discouraged! Your comments will be read, they will make a difference and, we sincerely hope, will be published by the Secretary of State for Transport along with all the others. One of our supporters who took exception to the irksome reply, elicited an\_informative response from the Planning Inspectorate. The exchange can be read here.



## ABOUT THE STONEHENGE ALLIANCE

The Stonehenge Alliance is a group of nongovernmental organisations and individuals that seeks enhancements to the Stonehenge World Heritage Site and opposes development that would cause it significant harm. <u>More about us</u>







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