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Re:Draft Canterbury District Local plan 2020 to 2045

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Sue Mankelow

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To: "consultations@canterbury.gov.uk" <consultations@canterbury.gov.uk>

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to strongly oppose the ridiculous draft proposal of using Rough Common Road as the route of the Northern part of the 2045 ring road.

This is a village that is already used as a rat run. You have ripped the life out of it, by taking away our buses, so the elderly have now lost their life line into the city. With your proposal it will pose a threat to life as they will no longer be able to safely, cross the road. It is not just the elderly, this is a family friendly village, young children need to cross the road to travel to the preschool and Blean School. How do you propose they do this, safely, with constant traffic, travelling in both directions at up to 50mph

Now you plan to pollute the air of the village with exhaust fumes from cars travelling day and night through it, added to that Is the constant noise.

You are diverting the traffic from the City Centre due to congestion and pollution from car fumes only to move this problem out to rural areas. This is not the solution!

Rough Common is home to the ancient woodland of Blean woods Nature Reserve, I am lucky enough to live at the entrance to it.

You will damage this environment with your ridiculous plans.

The real solution is stop building the number of houses you are planning to build, then you won't need to build extra schools, new gp surgery's, expand the hospital, add to extra cars on the roads and save yourself a lot of expense. Let the houses be built in other parts of Kent, where there is more room. Canterbury Is just not big enough to take all these extra planned houses.

You as a Council are an utter disgrace, all you think about is lining your own pockets and stuff the environment! This is one plan you will not win!

Regards Sue Mankelow
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