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Dear Sir /Madam,

I have spent the last 3 weeks trying to read up and answer on line as many questions fairly as possible on the huge Local Consultation plans.

I have done my best but it has taken me hours and I still feel I am not finishes,

Briefly.

I am very concerned that Canterbury and the surrounding area does not have the infrastructure with, drains, utilities, services, roads, hospitals, schools, places of worship for growth for the proposed plans.

It can hardly sustain what it has and I have heard the NEW COUNTY & KENT HOSPITAL has been down graded and plans for a new hospital scrapped.

Patients frequently are redirected to The William Harvey or Margate which too can not cope. Again requiring transport.

Please re consider the NEW HOSPITAL!!!!!! For improved medical treatment in this corner of ENGLAND.

It is important to build communities and the is support which comes from churches like St Thomas of Canterbury Church, which provides immeasurable support both practically & spiritually in Canterbury and the surrounding areas. Places of worship are an important daily part of people's lives and as such they need access.

Building communities not just shells is important for family and society, the break down of which can lead to mental health issues, drink & alcohol abuse, violence and can lead to crime!

The new designs fro Park & Ride are as doomed as the current one which has already been scrapped. Not being able to drive across neighbourhoods and having to take a 12 mile detour to do so is going to add to congestion and air pollution. There is an aging community in Canterbury who cannot walk or cycle and will need transport. On the other hand the taxis cripple Canterbury around 8.00- 9.00 every morning taking children to school. They really ought to walk, a great way for getting the blood circulating and brains going.

My concerns are too that farm land used for food will be given over for new builds!

Canterbury Cathedral a world heritage site owes it's heritage to a belief in the Body of Christ not White friars Shopping Centre.

Please consider some of my thoughts.
With thanks & best wishes,
Jennifer