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Local Plan

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Dear Sirs

I oppose this plan, in particular the routing of North Canterbury traffic through Rough Common

The proposal is unworkable, irresponsible and ruinously costly as to expense, precious local amenity and the impact on hundreds of lives.

Funnelling traffic from many to one roads defies common sense, especially when that road is no better than a rat-run and would need widening at the expense of many houses and gardens through compulsory purchase orders. Sometimes the greater good CAN trump the loss to a few, but the few is in fact the residential many and the good illusory.

Giles Lane and Rough Common boast housing and heritage that don't deserve such Corporation vandalism all for a concentration of congestion that will leave commuters worse off by far. Pedestrians and schoolchildren would also suffer totally unwarranted disturbance and risk.

Vague notions of relieving he pressure via un-costed and un-specified Park and Ride sites merely highlights the Council's awareness of the harm that would be done and the need to force incoming commuters to abandon their cars far short of their goal.

Later plans to deny access to zones for locals based on where they live runs counter to democratic fundamentals with breath-taking arrogance.

The inability to put together cause and effect speaks ill of this Council's competence, spells electoral humiliation (deservedly) and needs to be exposed for the foolish thinking it is. Charles Jubber

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