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Fordwich Bypass Consultation (EMC)

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We are writing to object to the proposed Eastern Movement Corridor for the following reasons:

- 1) Canterbury is the wrong city to implement zoning. It is too small and radically different from Gent in many important respects - Gent is 4-5 times the size of Canterbury and has an extensive, reliable, affordable public transport system - trams and buses, plus extensive, safe parking on the outskirts of the city. Contrarily, CCC just close Park & Rides down and build city centre car parks that end up being underused.
- 2) The anticipated cost of £300m is ridiculous. You have nowhere near exhausted far more environmentally friendly, cheaper alternatives such as an affordable, low carbon public transport system, like they have in Gent for example.
- 3) The proposal will, quite simply, do enormous damage to Fordwich - the route will cut the town in half, destroy mature woodland and damage wildlife habitats.

Regards

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