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Subject: Stopping Up application ref. NATTRAN/SE/S247/3254

Dear Sir/Madam.

Re NATTRAN/SE/S247/3254

I wish to object to this Stopping Up order submitted by Folkestone and Hythe District Council for the following reasons:

- 1. If development proposals go ahead, the building of a new road behind it would be unnecessary as the existing route would still be useable, nothing would be gained by going to the expense of building a new road.
- 2. Vehicle access along the beach is essential for current users of the beach e.g. families with young children and sea fishermen. Restricting this access and making them walk through the proposed development with all their equipment would be detrimental to users of the new facilities.
- 3. If the road was moved to the proposed location the noise and pollution to the adjacent Royal Military Canal, a protected ancient historic monument, would destroy the peace and tranquility enjoyed along the footpath. This would be a great loss to walkers, of which I am one, and also the wildlife along the canal.
- 4. There are currently a pair of swans nesting at the Seabrook end of the Royal Military Canal and a road at so close a proximity could prevent them from doing so in the future. Swans are know to return to their previous safe and quiet nesting spots. This is a fascinating and educational process for people, especially children, to watch and enjoy.

Yours faithfully

Elaine Martin