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DL/EJH 23564 Councillor Denise Lelliott

Dr F Milo 5th October 2020

By email

Dear Dr Milo

Council Meeting – 30th September 2020

Thank you for submitting a question for the above Council meeting.

You ask "Residents are concerned about the council's parkway expansion plans. What guarantees will the council give to install a sound barrier, and will the council commit to a review of the need for parkway expansion given change in commuter behaviours due to the pandemic?"

A full environmental assessment has been completed for the scheme, and the results will be published on the council website in early October. The noise assessment shows that the scheme has a negligible impact on noise, both in the long and short-term, and so therefore no noise barriers are proposed.

During the construction phase best practice mitigation measures will be employed to ensure the minimum amount of disturbance to residents. The scheme has been submitted to the Government (Department for Transport) for consideration and we await the response.

I hope above information adequately answers your question.

Yours sincerely

Councillor Denise Lelliott

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