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## A46 Wildmoor Roundabout/Shottery Relief Road

Dear Ms Lazenby,

16th June 2025

As Member of Parliament for Stratford-on-Avon, the Shottery Relief Road is an important new piece of road infrastructure which is needed to alleviate traffic within Shottery and Stratford-on-Avon. The residents of Shottery and Stratford-on-Avon have waited years for this road to be opened and it is frustrating that the entire road is nearly complete, save for the A46 junction. I understand that the developer consortium has been working to secure National Highways' approval to construct this junction since 2021, but this has been delayed due to clashes with other road construction projects at Evesham Road, Birmingham Road, and HS2 on the Kenilworth bypass.

Although National Highways' policy is for A46 maintenance works to be undertaken at night, as the local Member of Parliament, I am particularly concerned to ensure that longer term construction works do not create unreasonable disturbance for my constituents. The Wildmoor Roundabout programme duration is 43-weeks, and the construction site will be overlooked by homes in five or six residential cul-de-sacs and streets. If construction works are undertaken during night shifts, this will disturb sleep for many residents. Given how noise can travel at night when background levels are reduced, the total number of affected people would be unacceptable if the contractor is limited to working during nighttime.

I would be grateful if National Highways approves the developer's proposal for works at A46 Wildmoor Roundabout and ensures that construction shall be completed during daytime hours as far as is possible.

Warmest regards

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