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From: Roads Eastern Srit
Sent: 09 March 2015 11:51
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: York Street Interchange Formal Consultation

Greg

Thank you for your response to the consultation on the proposals for the York Street Interchange. Your views have been recorded as part of this process and will contribute to the decision on whether The Department should hold a Public Inquiry into the scheme.

Regards

Colin Pentland

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From: Greg Keefe [REDACTED]
Sent: 07 March 2015 18:07
To: Roads Eastern Srit
Subject: York Street Interchange

Dear Sir,

Having seen the plans for York Street and having studied the provision for cyclists in the scheme, I am writing to voice my opposition to the scheme.

The complete lack of engagement with cyclist groups and the utilisation of the very minimum in terms of provision would seem to me to be a serious mistake.

Cycling is the future of transport in the city. Many cities are removing motorised provision to make space for cyclists. Research has shown that segregation for cyclists is the most important factor in changing people's mode of transport. Belfast has a chance to make a sea-change in its modal mix which the current scheme totally misses.

I hope you will listen to me and other dissenters and review the scheme and prioritise cycling and pedestrian movement rather than the car.

Yours

Greg

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