RESPONSE TO APPLICATION NO 192928: CENTRAL SECTION OF SOUTH WOKINGHAM DISTRIBUTOR ROAD

I am writing on behalf of the Executive Committee of the Wokingham Society in respect of the application for delivery of the central section of the South Wokingham Distributor Road.

The Committee has no overall objection to the application, but wishes to offer the following observations in respect of footpaths:

We would welcome the opportunity to discuss the detailed plans for footpaths with relevant Officers in order to clarify and offer suggestions in respect of the plans.

One point of concern is the apparent removal of the spur from FP9 to the road, meaning that, when pedestrians coming from the North meet a flooded path they will have to retrace their steps a long way to the junction with FP10 before taking the detour via FP10.

Also, we wish to point out that it is Gipsy Lane not 'Gypsy in 'the new Gypsy Lane Footbridge', and we would like to suggest that this is an over-long name and actually not near Gipsy Lane.

Peter Must

2 February 2021