From:

A1 in Northumberland: Morpeth to Ellingham

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Dear A1 in Northumberland - Ellingham Case Team

My name is Christopher Rowlands and I live at

I have accessed the information and believe the proposals are the best way forward regarding this road.

The choices of staying as we are are or moving forward with these proposals is stark when you've lived parallel to this road for as long as I have.

My house faces this road and I have been witness to the tragedies because of it over the years.

Tritlington First School is the catchment school for where I live but we chose a school in Morpeth because travelling up and down that A1 stretch is a death trap.

We do use the road to get to Alnwick Garden, Rothbury and the coast which makes me more determined to add my voice to this much needed proposal.

The number of drivers who put their life and that of other A1 road users is staggering. On a journey to Alnwick Garden from my house I can witness approximately 5-6 near misses on this stretch every journey. I cannot overestimate the seriousness of this. Alnwick is approximately 17 miles from my house. I am in the middle of a journey from Alnwick to Newcastle which is also 17 miles in the other direction but the two journeys cannot be more different.

Please do not let this proposal be held up.

Best wishes, Chris Rowlands

Sent from my iPhone