Response to Consultation Notification from Peter Lewis, County Council Member for Loughborough **South-West**

From: Mr. P. G. Lewis
Sent: 31 October 2013 10:13
To: Varsha Mistry
Subject: RE: Loughborough Town Centre Bus Trial Consultation

Thank you.

I hope the public get involved as this is so important

Peter Lewis

Response to Consultation Notification from Robert Sharp, County Council Member for Loughborough South

From: Mr. R. Sharp

Sent: 31 October 2013 13:57

To: Varsha Mistry
Cc: Miss. H. Worman

Subject: RE: Loughborough Town Centre Bus Trial Consultation

Tony,

Many thanks for your email.

I have had a number of emails criticising what is perceived as the biased nature of the impact assessments, a view I have much sympathy with. I have met with officers and spoken at Area Forums to ensure the impact assessments are fair and representative and they do not appear to have come out that way. You lose count of the number of mights and maybes in options B & C to highlight the negative, Statistically, you could say that Option A might result in more deaths and road accidents compared to options B & C yet that is not mentioned but seems as real as the 'threats' to service laid at the door of options B & C.

I have arranged a meeting with Peter Osborne next week and will be taking the issue up with him.

I will be visiting the exhibitions and look forward to submitting my response to the consultation.

Kind regards

Robert