

COUNTY COUNCIL: 18TH JULY 2017

13. MOTION FROM COUNCILLOR LUCY NETHSINGHA

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Amendment from Councillor Bates (additions in bold and deletions in strikethrough):

This Council notes the large number of studies which are looking at congestion on the A10 King's Lynn to Cambridge corridor including:

- County Council work on the A10 to King's Lynn in response to a previous motion.
- City Deal work on the section of the A10 from the A14 interchange to the edge of the City Deal area.
- Work being done in response to the Mayor's 100 days programme, looking at an M11 extension north of the Bar Hill junction.
- Work in progress to improve the rail network in the same area.

This Council notes that with so many different groups requesting large scale changes any decisions on major road building projects to the north of Cambridge are likely to have to wait until work on all these studies is complete, as major changes to the road network will need to be considered together.

~~This council notes that under these circumstances major improvements to the A10 are unlikely to start quickly.~~

~~This council notes that congestion on the A10 largely occurs at junctions.~~

~~This council therefore requests that a small study on the impact of improving the junctions between Littleport, and the A14 be carried out, with a view to improving flow at the junctions, to allow traffic to run smoothly along the current road in the short to medium term.~~

This Council, on receipt of the three studies, will review to ensure that they meet transport issues arising from these studies, and this will include junctions between Littleport and the A14. Following the review, the outcome will be reported to the organisation who have commissioned these studies, and thereafter will continue to work in partnership with a way forward.