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Secretary of State

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I have grown up in the village of Upperthong & spent most of my leisure time in or around the area. I have since left the area but often frequent the area with my family.

I feel the objections to the new & improved footpath are a little petty. There seems to be a social media campaign to thwart the changes.

The new path is much nicer than the old one, better views & barely any difference in distance.

I see posters trying to stop this path, there seems to be some personal reasons behind this campaign. How can you ever believe the old route is better? Six-foot-high walls on either side with no view of the countryside. The new path has scenic views of the countryside & even a bench to rest on.

The poster is asking for people to object, I am objecting to them trying to stop it. I'm sure the improved pathway is preferred by all who really use it.

Regards

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