
From: Tim Hipwell
Sent: 19 August 2015 13:30
To: DPD
Subject: Northwest Cullompton Urban Extension

Dear Sir,

would you please note the following comments in regard to the above development proposals.

As a retired Collision Investigation Officer and Road Safety Auditor I have concerns about the proposed new highway link junction at Willand Road.

Option 2 shows the link to Willand Road to the south of Rull Lane. If this option is pursued there is no direct link to the most appropriate route to junction 28 along Millenium Way. With option 2 the majority of the traffic from the new development will turn south on Willand Road and then turn left and cut through Headweir Road. This is a residential road with the associated pedestrians, many of them children, and extra traffic on this route is unacceptable on safety grounds alone.

It would be far safer and environmentally better for the new road to link directly to the existing roundabout at Willand Road / Millenium way as shown on Option 1. Millenium Way has no frontage access and therefore would be the much safer and more appropriate route for the increased traffic that the new development will generate.

Faithfully, Tim Hipwell