

Angela Foster

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From: dave yates
Sent: 14 May 2018 18:59
To: TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT
Subject: Re: Rother Valley Railway (Bodiam to Robertsbridge Junction) Order

Hi Shenaz

My address

Regards , Dave

Sent from my iPhone

On 14 May 2018, at 18:02, TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT <TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT@dft.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Mr Yates,

Thank you for your e-mail, in order to formally register your support we require a full postal address.

Many thanks
Shenaz Choudhary

Ms Shenaz Choudhary | Transport Works Act Order, Department for Transport
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From: Dave [<mailto:>]
Sent: 12 May 2018 22:41
To: TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT <TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT@dft.gov.uk>
Subject: Rother Valley Railway (Bodiam to Robertsbridge Junction) Order

Sir

I wish to place on record my **full support** to the granting of this Order.

The Kent & East Sussex Railway has for many years been a major tourist attraction in this rural area. Being linked to the main rail line at Robertsbridge will ensure that it continues to a viable attraction supporting other enterprises in the area. Visitors would have the option of travelling by train and leaving their car at home and thereby reduce congestion on the minor rural roads around Salehurst, Bodiam and Northiam.

Recent wildlife reports have indicated that Britain's farmland wildlife is struggling with serious declines in many bird species. It is recognised that rail lines provide corridors to allow movement of wildlife between differing areas helping species to spread across the landscape. With careful planting and management of embankments could enhance biodiversity.

I appreciate there are some local objectors to this scheme, but I am certain that the proposer could work with these to ensure that the impact is kept to a minimum.

I hope you can agree to support the above mentioned order

Regards, Dave Yates

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