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Appendix 2 – Letter from James Palmer

**MAYOR OF CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH**

The Grange,  
Nutholt Lane,  
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CB7 4EE

16 October 2017

To the Inspector,

**Re: Public Inquiry, C20 Leonards Soham (Burnt Fen)**

I have used the crossing C20 Leonard's regularly over the last 20 years. It's a very well used route and I have been approached by many walkers who are very keen to see the crossing kept open.

In my previous role as a County and District Councillor I gained support from all fellow Soham Councillors and the Town Council, all of whom agreed that the C20 crossing should be kept open.

As the directly elected Mayor for Cambridgeshire and Peterborough I am fully supportive of the campaign to keep the crossing open and I would like my views to be noted.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. P. Palmer', written in a cursive style.

**James Palmer**  
Mayor of Cambridgeshire and Peterborough