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From: Sally Freeland [redacted]
Sent: 30 May 2018 16:05
To: TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT
Subject: Re: proposed extension of Rother Valley railway

my address is [redacted] Please note that I am female!!!

From: TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 2:14 PM
To: Sally Freeland
Subject: RE: proposed extension of Rother Valley railway

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your e-mail. In order to register your objection formally could you furnish us with a full postal address please?

Kind regards,

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From: Sally Freeland [mailto:[redacted]]
Sent: 27 May 2018 09:51
To: TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT <TRANSPORTANDWORKSACT@dft.gov.uk>
Subject: proposed extension of Rother Valley railway

Dear Sirs

Re: Proposed extension of the Rother Valley Railway from Bodiam to Robertsbridge East Sussex.

I am writing to object to the above extension and am horrified and disgusted at the fact that a Compulsory Purchase order can even be considered over the farmland of two families. Should this evil event happen, who is to say that any of us who own even a little land that we have toiled and worked for all our lives, can be taken from us at the whim of some hobby persons whim.

I am also horrified at the possibility of a level crossing on the exceedingly busy A21, which as it will cause delays, people will then try to make up lost time and cause even more accidents than there are already. A further level crossing on another straight, fast road that already has its bad accidents, is also to take place. How can anyone in their right minds agree to this. [redacted]

Apart from this there is of course the question of the floodplain and parking at Robertsbridge station which is always full of commuters anyway so to add to this will be a horror for the village as cars will be parked all over the place.

Anyone spending time on the railway will not be walking into the village as if they are visiting Bodiam Castle, for example, they will want to get there and spend their money there, and clog the village up.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] It is a very serious situation, and a worry to us.

Yours faithfully,

Sally Freeland

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