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Hi

**Re: LONDON BOROUGH OF RICHMOND UPON THAMES**  
**(TWICKENHAM RIVERSIDE)**  
**PROPOSED COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER 2021**  
**COMPULSORY PURCHASE OF LAND AND**  
**NEW RIGHTS IN TWICKENHAM RIVERSIDE**

I object to the above Compulsory Purchase Order of the lands and New Rights in Twickenham for the following reasons.

The site is opposite Eel Pie Island which only has access via a footbridge which falls within the site boundary.

The exchange land contains the Embankment Road which is the only access to Eel Pie Island.

The application contains a stopping up order of the Embankment Road.

A Stopping Order was not included in the recent planning application relevant to the site.

This road gives safe access for all vehicles to circulate and load and unload and is essential for everyday life on the island.

This road closure will be detrimental to all island dwellers and to the public who currently use this highway.

The road enables equality of access to the public of any ability to have direct access to the River Thames in Twickenham.

The purpose for which the Council is proposing to acquire the land can be achieved by other means without causing serious distress to the island community.

Yours sincerely,



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