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## Re: Pedestrian Crossing on A470, Glan Conwy

Dear Minister, Edwina,

I am writing with reference to your response to WAQ69227 and WAQ69228 regarding a potential pedestrian crossing on the A470 at Glan Conwy, in my constituency of Aberconwy.

In your answer, you mention that "*A lack of new residential or commercial development in this area*" has affected the decision not to develop a crossing here, however I feel that it should be brought to your attention that at present planning permission has been granted for a further 94 properties in Glan Conwy, the development of which would increase pedestrian demand significantly.

Furthermore, I understand that a survey carried out between the 14 – 21 September 2011 identified 155,786 vehicular movements along the A470 through the village, travelling north and south.

Local Councillors, residents and myself have been campaigning for a number of years for this crossing, and I am concerned that, with such a significant number of vehicles passing each day, it may only be a matter of time before an accident occurs. Clearly, we would wish to act in prevention, rather than reaction. Therefore I am writing to you today to urge you to reconsider the installation of a pedestrian crossing at this location.

I look forward to your response on this matter.

Yours sincerely,



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Janet Finch-Saunders will treat in confidence any personal information which you may pass on to her, and she will normally allow her staff to see it, so that they can consult with relevant authorities in order to help and advise you. We may wish to write to you from time to time to keep you informed on issues which you may find of interest. Please let us know if you do not wish to be contacted for this purpose.

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