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I wanted to submit comments on the Transport and Works Act order for the Cambourne to Cambridge busway.

I oppose the proposed route as it cuts through Coton Orchard which is an ancient orchard (over 100 years old), the largest orchard in east anglia and an irreplaceable biodiversity hotspot.

The proposed busway has a low BCR which will become even lower now that East-West rail has been approved. The current scheme will cost over £200M to save 3 minutes off a 30 minute journey. A viable and low cost alternative scheme has been put forward by Cambridge Past Present and Future but this has not been fully assessed by the GCP. This alternative scheme would not go through the orchard.

I hope that the Secretary of State for Transport can stop the current scheme and advocate for the lower cost, non-orchard-destroying alternative route.

Yours
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