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Dear Sirs,

I am concerned that the rerouting of the Tackley bridleway has not been properly considered to provide an acceptable result.

It is important to note that this is a very well used route by walkers, cyclists and horse riders, and is also a transport connection for these modes of transport between the villages of Tackley and Kirtlington.

It is key that this bridleway remains usable by all these groups and that additional danger is not created by frightened horses and dogs by having to travel alongside the rail tracks. I don't think this has been taken into account.

I am a keen walker but not a rider. However, there are a lot of horse riders in Tackley. Horses are very large animals and I most certainly do not want to encounter a terrified horse that had been frightened by a train while I am out on a walk. This danger will be significantly increased by routing the bridleway alongside the tracks.

In addition, it is key that access across the bridge is maintained at all times and in perpetuity, with NO caveats about when ticket machines are installed or until such time as Network Rail wishes to remove access.

This is an ancient right of way and the right of way must be maintained!

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Reason for right to object: Local Tackley resident and walker

Regards,
Amanda Darley

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