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Dear Sirs:

Having looked into the proposals to enhance the railway line between Diggle and Stalybridge, I have noticed the intended refusal to build a footbridge over the railway line at the site known as Moorgate crossing, Uppermill. (Footpath 209)

May I raise an objection to this lack of understanding by Network Rail who clearly do not realise the importance of a safe crossing for the many residents of Saddleworth who have used the previous crossing point to walk into Uppermill. As someone who enjoys the Countryside and supports initiatives to reduce levels of petrol pollution, this would be a bitter blow especially with the proposed alternative route seemingly more of a danger to all concerned.

It seems ironic that a project to improve train travel communication may be at the expense of a persons right to walk along a well liked and beautiful area of our country.

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