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Hi Milly

This is the formal response following the consultation which will be published on our Let's Talk page soon:

Torpoint Chapeldown Road

Consultation result:

Support 41.6%
Partially support 14.3%
Object 44.2%

'During the consultation period, we received a large number of concerns from residents living on Chapeldown Road and in response we carried out a door to door survey to give us a better understanding of the issues.

We received 63 comments overall and the common issues raised and confirmed during our door to door survey are as follows:

- A loss of views from properties caused by tree canopies as they get larger.
- Frequent access is needed to the sewerage pumping station by HGV's following flooding. New trees in this location would be damaged and potentially cause issues for HGV's accessing this area causing obstructions in the road.
- Windsurfers regularly park on the grass area next to the pumping station, so tree planting would mean they have to park along the road which is will cause issues with local traffic and parking.

Considering the above concerns and current lack of local support from residents living on Chapeldown Road, our decision is not to proceed with the proposed planting. The main aim of the Forest for Cornwall is to plant more trees to tackle the climate and ecological emergencies. For some urban areas like streets, to be successful, we know it is important to have a higher level of local support than we currently have'.

Any questions please let me know

Kind regards

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