

Dear Elizabeth,

At the recent site viewing session for the above application, I had wanted to give Members a better understanding of the importance of the watercourse which runs through the field for taking groundwater away from the built-up area of Acton. Groundwater drainage infrastructure is already at over capacity in the area and regular flooding takes place along the road in the area, especially where the new access road is proposed.

Please see attached video taken this morning after a relatively normal level of rainfall overnight. Water is flowing out of the drain and down to the site of the proposed junction. This is a major lack of infrastructure issue as SCC Highways have been unable to solve the issue.

Kind regards,

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