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The proposal to create a new road from the Ythan Estuary, north of Newburgh, to enable through traffic to/from Foveran, should be deleted from the plan.

1. There is no justification for this development. Newburgh does not suffer from traffic congestion. As repeatedly reported to the Council, it does have a problem with speeding traffic, but other measures should be sufficient to tackle that.
2. The route outlined for this road would destroy a rural area that currently provides great amenity for the community, being a location where many go for peaceful walks.
3. Increasing the traffic through Foveran would undo all the benefits introduced there by the Western Peripheral Route, which has taken the traffic away from the village and its school.
4. The road would isolate tracts of countryside that would consequently hold less value for agriculture and encourage incursions from developers, both housebuilders and industrialists, thereby threatening to destroy the shape and scale of Newburgh.

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