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**Evidence**

**Questions about you:** In order for the evidence to be analysed and taken forward by the Inquiry we will need some further information about you and / or your organisation. Please note that all evidence submitted to the Inquiry may be published at any point during the Inquiry or when the Inquiry Report is issued. If you are responding as an organisation your full details will be published. If you are responding as an individual your name will be published, but your address will only be published if the Inquiry considers this to be relevant to the evidence submitted.

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**Are you responding as an organisation or an individual?**

Individual

**Does your evidence relate to a particular period of time?**

Yes

**If yes, what period?:**

To the period of the traffic diversions due to tram works and afterwards

**Does your evidence relate to a particular event or activity?**

Yes

**If yes, please explain what the event / activity was.:**

To the effect of tram work traffic diversions on the quality of residential life in the New Town and particularly on Abercromby Place

**We are particularly interested in:• How you found out about what was happening, and how informed you were throughout the project• What**

**did you think would happen• What actually happened• What were the effects if any, on you (or your organisation) at the time of the project•**

**What if any, were the on-going or longer-term effects on you (or your organisation). Please write your evidence here.**

**We are particularly interested in:**

Traffic diverted as a result of the tram works had never reverted it its previous routes. Abercromby Place is now a preferred rat-run for traffic that is heavy, fast and constant. Pollution is greatly increased and the urban fabric is being damaged.

Residents are acutely aware of a complete change in the quality of life in this and some other neighbouring streets.

This matter has been repeatedly discussed at meetings of the New Town and Broughton Community Council. Letters have been written to Councillors and Council officials.

**Do you have any documents which you think it would be useful for the Inquiry to see?**

Not Answered

**Details of documents:**

Minutes of New Town and Broughton Community Council

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**Are you content for the Edinburgh Tram Inquiry team to contact you again in relation to this evidence?\***

Yes