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To whom it may concern,

Firstly, we would like to thank you for taking time to read this letter which is of the upmost importance to ourselves.

We are Pobl (meaning People in Welsh) who are trying to get the voice of our community be heard and who are asking for your help. This community is that of Llanbedr in Gwynedd, North Wales.

As you may be aware Llanbedr has had an issue with congestion for many years and was finally last year given the go ahead for a 1.5m bypass with funding from the EU. This decision was then scrapped due to the Welsh government's climate change roads review. Whilst this decision was a major setback and disappointment to our community and has led to a lot of anger and frustration, we are aware that to move on we need to take a different and more productive stand as it is imperative to find a viable and speedy solution to the congestion issue and ongoing safety issues for our community.

Therefore, we are asking for your help. As a community we are passionate about making Llanbedr as safe and congestion free as soon as humanly possible. We fully support the Government's stand on helping our planet and our future generations in any which way we can, but we also have a very serious issue in Llanbedr which not only affects our generations now but will also affect that of our own future generations. As Jean Todt decreed at the United Nations Stand up for Human Rights Celebration ***"Road safety must be taken extremely seriously since it is a complex development issue, affecting multiple area's such as health, labour, education and above all human rights. We must fight for road safety and accessible mobility to be considered as a fundamental human right for everyone, most of all our children"***. The community of Llanbedr is asking for our human rights to be granted on this issue.

So we hear you ask "How can we help?"

Please help us by sharing your expertise, knowledge, and professional understanding to work with us so that **together** we can solve our dilemma and show other communities that by working side by side and unified there is a way forward that is a benefit for everyone.

We understand that there are targets and aims for a NetZero and Carbon free Wales by 2050 but Llanbedr has not at this time got the road infrastructure to wait for these proposals to come into action, we need action as soon as possible. No one in Llanbedr is willing to lose a child, parent, grandparent, friend, member of the community due to the ongoing danger and congestion that we must live with day in day out. We will do everything in our power to make a change and we ask for you to support us in this task.

If you are willing or/and able to help us, we would be extremely grateful.

Thank you and Kind Regards Lucy Powell on behalf of Pobl