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Environment
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Dear Sirs

Alterations to access and widening of existing access track to form a haul road for a temporary period of 3 years (Part Retrospective)
Land at Saltcoats Field Gullane East Lothian Ref. No: 21/00936/P

We refer to the above application for planning permission relating to the subjects referred to above, which lie within our community council area. We are supportive of the application. It should significantly reduce the risk of congestion from development traffic on the West Fenton Road, as well as providing good and safe access for the core path 98.

We do ask though that consideration is given to an issue that will be amplified by it - the crossing by pedestrians and bicycles of what will now become a 20 metre wide turn off into the haul road, particularly where this is used by primary school children going to and coming from the primary school whether accompanied or not. The turning into the haul road will be in use for all development vehicles going to and from the new compound to the south west of the development site from 7 a.m. onwards.

We also note that the application is for a three year period, whereas our understanding is that according to CALA the development will last for at least four years.

Yours faithfully,

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