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As we come to the end of another tick box exercise we see another response biased consultation where the results are ignored because they clearly show the local people hate what you are doing, with the lame excuse that "it's a consultation not a referendum". Another attempt at hoodwinking residents into thinking they had a say. Changing hated bollards into money printing ANPR, as the next step in the decimation of a city.

Wake up! You are fooling no one. We have seen cabling being installed, cameras ordered, so what's going on? Well, we have submitted a freedom of information request so we will soon know. The consultation a deception and the decision already made. The first Gunning principle around consultations, states that there must be no pre-determined outcomes yet it is clear that prior to the conclusion of any consultation, you have clearly progressed your own agenda.

We have now put up with road chaos for 2 years. The whole eastern side of our city is gridlocked most of the time, the few remaining open roads choked with emissions. And now we are to be hemmed in with cameras and it seems even private hire vehicles are to come before residents. You have even ignored the recommendations of our elected councillors & representatives.

This City is under siege from its own council-the enemy from within. You have created a road system that is increasingly inaccessible and killing business and is now so fragile that any disruption causes absolute gridlock and total chaos, but still you plough on.

A county council that has ignored & dismissed its residents and ignored and dismissed democracy. It is an absolute betrayal of the business and people that you were elected to represent and to whom you promised more.

You do not care that we need to get to work/get the kids to school, visit our Mums/do our shopping/live our lives. You do not care that business's are struggling that our lives maybe imploding. We the residents are expendable, collateral damage, sacrificial lambs on the alter of your vision, your ego and your arrogance.

We have been bullied by this council we have been devalued silenced & ignored along with its few supporters, who ridicule, crush & stamp out any resistance, brand any dissenters conspiracists, as petrol heads welded to our cars & taken for fools.

This is not a loud voice from a few, this is the scream of a City -from its people the ones you should be representing. Well you do not represent me & you do not represent the majority -you have lost the confidence & trust of an entire city save for a fringe of supporters & those heavily invested in this scheme.

Let me be clear, right now you may have the power but you do not have the support. Residents of Littlemore will never forgive you, this City & its people will never forgive you & history will not be kind