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Dear Resident

DUNDUFF QUARRY – PROPOSED CONSOLIDATING PLANNING APPLICATION

Thank you for contacting me recently regarding the proposed planning application by Paterson's Quarries and associated rerouting of traffic to Strathaven & Teiglum Roads.

A large number of constituents have contacted me on this issue, and I believe the large turnout at my surgery on 14th June demonstrates the level of concern locally about these proposals, which I share.

Clearly, the current route of lorries past primary schools in Kirkmuirhill and Blackwood is in no way satisfactory, and I believe Paterson's Quarries should take the opportunity of this new planning application to seriously explore a range of alternatives and engage fully with affected communities to find an acceptable solution.

Copied overleaf for information is a letter I have sent to the Chief Executive of Paterson's Quarries outlining the concerns which have been expressed to me by residents in the area.

I will keep you informed of any further developments or actions I take on this issue. If I can be of any further assistance in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact me on the details below.

Yours sincerely,

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