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Subject: Litter Abatement Orders A14 Cambridgeshire and Suffolk

Dear All,

I was glad to see this e-mail from Samantha Munro on the Cleanhighways.co.uk website.

I wish to add my support and that of my wife to the comments made by Ms Munro. As Cambridge residents we are regular users of the A14 and every time we set out we are dismayed and astonished at the never reducing and shameful volume of litter on the A14, particularly on the section from Cambridge to Newmarket and beyond mentioned by Ms Munro. Given the number of vehicles driven by visitors of all kinds from other countries using this road the situation should be a matter of national as well as local concern.

I have travelled extensively recently in both the southern United States and Argentina. Litter is very rarely seen at all on the thousands of miles of their major highways along which I have driven.

We agree that this problem is one of long standing, and we agree that it is urgent that effort is now made, please, to clear the rubbish now to be seen before the shrubs and trees on the verges come into leaf.

Yours truly

John Latham