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Sent: 19 December 2011 08:20
To: Heather Miller
Subject: LACK of Public Transport in SOUTHWOLD?

Morning Ms Miller,
Hope if you have to use Public Services you were able to get to Work this Morning?

I am wondering why something hasn't been done about the Lack of Public Transport in the WHOLE of Southwold ?

And the Poor Shop Keepers,Public Houses,Restaurants,Cafe's ,Supermarket and Shops that are at the Moment Struggling for Customers to be able to Keep their Shops Open because of the Lack of Customers who go to Southwold from all over Suffolk,Norfolk especially in the Yarmouth area who used to get the Bus from the Market Place right up to Lowestoft and to Southwold for Shopping and Day's Out,NOT everybody uses their Cars anymore because of the Price of Fuel?

I took my Neighbour who Loves Southwold to Southwold a few weeks ago and was amazed that the Bus didn't go to the Top of Southwold any more,and was Because Southwold Residents who are obviously Chauffeured around everywhere,They do like to give the Impression that they are Better than Anyone else Don't they??

What a Good Job that Mr Brown who Holidayed there 2 years ago hasn't Returned eh?

My Neighbour has been very very Ill and it was her First Trip out,she said as it was a lovely Day she would love to go Somewhere, I said where would you like to Go then,Southwold she said,perhaps if it isn't to Busy we could have Lunch in one of the Public Houses? I said that would be nice .

Her Daughter,her Carer got her Ready,we slowly walked to the Bus Stop where we Live,didn't have to wait long,got to Tramways in Pakefield and waited only a few Minutes for the 601 to Southwold,she was so happy and as we neared Southwold she said Nearly there?

She has had several Operations since February in fact her Daughter and I didn't expect her to come out of any of the Hospitals she had been in.

When the Bus got to the Kings Head and turned up the Road behind the Few Shops etc and the instead of turning Right turned Left we both wondered what was Happening,everybody got off Old and Young,the Driver said to us Sorry Ladies this is the End of the Ride.

I asked Why,he told us that for a While now there was No Buses going to the Top of Southwold,I said Whys that then,He said Mainly the Local Town Council,Suffolk County Council and the Residents didn't want Buses Lorries to Deliver or any Large Vehicles using the Road anymore?

I don't know how these people are Allowed to Dominate and get this to happen,but obviously they Shop out of Southwold or get it sent to them from perhaps London? Harrolds Perhaps.

It is now my Intention to Start a Government Petition and will Put it into the Local Paper for People to be aware of and Sign to Get Southwold back to how it used to Be.

If these People in Southwold Don't like it,Why Don't they Move to a Place where they can all Congregate and do what they want to,perhaps on a Little Island that Have Sharks surrounding them?

A Very Annoyed Lady,

Mrs Yvonne Reeves.

ATTN - HEATHER MILLS, SUFFOLK TRANSPORT (FOR CC
I AM OBJECTING TO MOVING SOUTHWOLD
BUSTOP FROM MARKET PLACE TO THE KINGS
EAST SUFFOLK TRAVELLERS' ASSOCIATION HEAD.

Southwold Bus Questionnaire

As the independent voluntary body for train and bus users in East Suffolk, ESTA wants to see improvements to the bus services to/from Southwold. Your replies to this questionnaire will help us press for these.

1. Where do you live? (town or village):

Lowestoft

Halesworth

elsewhere

SHADINGFIELD

3. How often did you make these journeys before January 2011?

4. If you live elsewhere and visit Southwold, how often do you go there by bus?

1-2 TIMES A MONTH

5. How often did you go there by bus

(a) before January 2011? (when buses were more frequent and bus/train connections at Halesworth were better)

1-2 TIMES WEEKLY

(b) before July 2011? (when buses served the Market Place)

1-2 TIMES WEEKLY

USED TO VISIT COOP FOR SNACK THEN PINT FROM NELSON & SIT ON SEAFRONT.

6. When you visit Southwold by bus, where do you usually want to get off? (e.g. Market Place, Kings Head, Pier or elsewhere)

MARKET PLACE & HARBOUR, IF AVAILABLE SOMETIMES PIER, IF POSSIBLE

7. Do you use Halesworth or Darsham station?
No - BRAMPTON IS MINE

NEVER KINGS HEAD - WHY? WHAT FOR A PINT OR FISH & CHIPS?

8. If so, how do you then travel to/from Southwold?

9. Any other comments?

IT IS A DISGRACE TO MAKE ^{YOUNG} OLD, INFIRM & HEAVILY LADEN WALK 200 METRE OUT OF TOWN

You can photocopy this questionnaire and give it to a friend, relative or colleague to complete, if they also travel by bus or used to do so.

Can you help us distribute any survey form to bus passengers?

Name and address (optional):

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Please send your reply to Mr R C H Lock, ESTA Secretary, The Beehive, Hall Rd., Oulton Broad,

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