

A Public Exhibition

to explain the proposals for the
A14 Milton Foot & Cycle Bridge
will be held on

Tuesday 4th April 2000
between 12.00 noon and 8.00 pm
at the Bowls Pavilion,
Coles Rd Recreation Ground,
Milton

Your opinion will help

If you have views on the detail or colour of the bridge or any ideas or information that could be useful, please come along to the exhibition, where staff from the Highways Agency and their consultants, Owen Williams will be available to explain the proposals and help answer your questions.

Notice of the exhibition will also be appearing in the local newspaper.

If you are unable to attend the exhibition, please use the enclosed sheet for your comments and post it free of charge to:

Highways Agency,
Heron House,
49-53 Goldington Road,
Bedford,
MK40 3LL

The closing date for the return of your comments is 1st May 2000.

What happens next?

- During the detailed development of the scheme the Highways Agency will consider all comments
- Construction is planned to start in 2001

For further information please contact The Highways Agency Project Manager:
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Proposed Milton Foot & Cycle Bridge

PUBLIC EXHIBITION 4th April 2000
at the Bowls Pavilion, Milton



The Proposal

A new bridge for cyclists and pedestrians over the A14, putting back the link between the village of Milton and Cambridge, connecting with the New Milton Cycleway and revised cycling network.

The Options

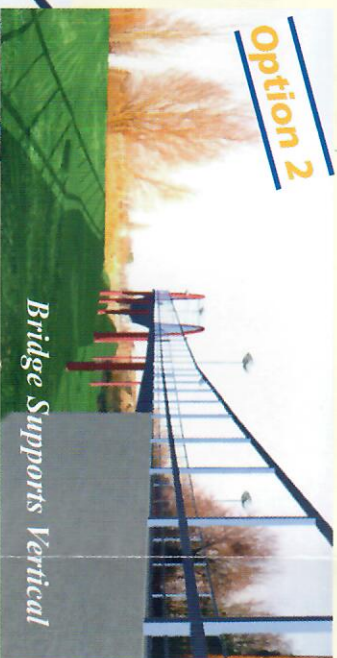
The partnership group has had regular meetings since early 1998 and has come up with a design which is functional, attractive and affordable. However the following decisions still need to be made:

- Whether the ramps are on vertical or arched supports
- The colour of the bridge
- Whether measures are necessary for wheelchair users

Option 1



Option 2



The Benefits

The proposed A14 Milton Foot & Cycle bridge will:

- Reduce the time it takes pedestrians and cyclists to travel between the village of Milton and south of the A14
- Improve safety of pedestrians and cyclists who now use the A14 Milton Interchange
- Encourage some drivers to walk or cycle instead

The Bridge Support Ramps

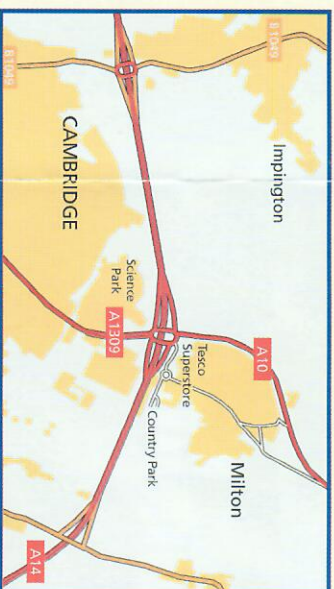
Option 1

Arched Support



Option 2

Vertical Support



The Environment

The bridge is designed to fit in with the local environment, it will be landscaped and trees planted



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to answer questions

**YOUR COMMENTS ON THE
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Project Services Operations
(South East),
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Bedford MK40 3LL

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Comments

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1 If the bridge is built, which of the following would you consider using it for?

(please tick all that are appropriate)

Travelling towards Cambridge to:-

- ☐ The Park & Ride
- ☐ Cambridge Regional College or other 6th Form College
- ☐ School in Cambridge
- ☐ The Science Park
- ☐ Work in Cambridge
- ☐ Shopping
- ☐ Leisure
- Other – please specify _____

Travelling from Cambridge to:-

- ☐ Tesco Superstore
- ☐ Milton Country Park
- ☐ Circular / leisure cycle / walk
- ☐ Work in Milton or beyond e.g. (Cambridge Research Park)
- ☐ Cambridge Evening News
- ☐ Milton Children's Hospice
- ☐ School in Milton
- ☐ Waterbeach Station
- Other – please specify _____

2 Would your journey normally be made by car?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

3 How often will you use the bridge?

- ☐ Every day
- ☐ 3-6 times a week
- ☐ Once a month
- Other – please specify _____

4 Would you use the bridge mainly as a:

- ☐ Cyclist ?
- ☐ Pedestrian ?
- ☐ Pram or pushchair user ?
- ☐ Wheelchair user ?
- Other – please specify _____

5 Access for all

- a) If you use a wheelchair – is it motorised?
Yes ☐ No ☐
- b) Would you find a gentle level area (hump), at regular intervals along the ramps necessary?
Yes ☐ No ☐

- c) Would you find humps a nuisance or dangerous?

Yes ☐ No ☐

6 Would you prefer the pedestrians and cyclists to be separated by?

- ☐ Clearly visible painted line
- ☐ Different coloured surfaces

7 Which of the following options do you prefer?

- ☐ Bowstring Arch with ramp supported by arches (as Option 1).
- ☐ Bowstring Arch with ramp supported by vertical columns (as Option 2).

8 The bridge will be all one colour. What is your preferred colour for the bridge structure?

Please circle your preferred colour

- ☐ Red ☐ Gold
- ☐ Grey ☐ Blue
- ☐ Silver ☐ Yellow

Other – please specify _____

9 In general are you in favour of the Highways Agency's proposals?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

If No – how would you improve the scheme?

9 Do you have any other views or information that could be useful?

PLEASE WRITE YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS BELOW

Name

Address

Postcode

ALL COMMENTS WILL BE TREATED IN CONFIDENCE