At present we are sending the majority of visitors to Torquay town centre through the narrow residential streets of Hele road or through the very narrow residential area of Upton and Lymington road, both of which are very inappropriate for many reasons.

Not only does it make perfect sense to send traffic the much more direct route through Torre, but it would also bring more passing trade the shops and businesses that so desperately need it.

Taking into consideration that the Kingskerswell bypass is not far from being complete, can I ask: does the council think it is acceptable to delay this very important road change and continue to send traffic through these inappropriate routes and if not, considering that the cost is only around £60,000, what actions will they take to fast track this desperately needed change.

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