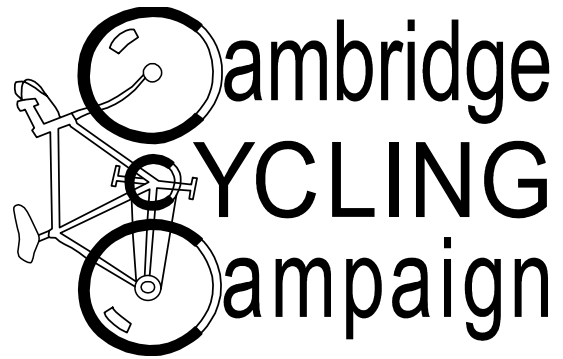


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CC Patrick Joyce

Dear Mr Cooper,

Barton Road cycle path between Barton and M11 roundabout closest to Cambridge

We are writing to request repairs to the cycle path in the above location. The worst cracks are :-

1. Near the start of the path in Barton, these now have weeds growing out of them (see right)
2. Haggis Farm Polo Club entrance to M11 roundabout closest to Cambridge.



Also the overgrown hedge needs trimming, between the firing range and the M11 roundabout furthest away from Cambridge (see right). This is particularly bad as it obscures visibility on the corner.



Lastly, and probably most importantly a park and ride sign has been erected that creates bad visibility on a very busy and high speed junction. As a cyclist approaches the slip road with the M11 cyclists can not see motorists and motorists can not see cyclists. This sign should not have been erected here and should be relocated before an accident happens.

The sign may be able to be slid right down to the bottom of the poles, raised on new longer poles or be relocated completely.



Whatever happens it is important that there is good visibility for cyclists of all ages and heights.

Yours sincerely,
on behalf of Cambridge Cycling Campaign,

Richard Taylor