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Dear Sir or Madam,

Access to the new Chesterton railway station

Railfuture welcomes the announcement in the Autumn Statement that the government will provide the money between 2014-15 and 2016-17 to build a new railway station at Chesterton, linked to Cambridge Science Park.

Railfuture requests that Network Rail's private access road from Milton Road to Chesterton railway sidings is made into a public footpath and cycleway for pedestrians and cyclists travelling to and from the new railway station.

This would be more pleasant and convenient than the pedestrian and cycle route currently proposed for Cowley Road up to the boundary of the current sidings, especially for the thousands of people who work on the Cambridge Science Park, the Cambridge Business Park and the St John's Innovation Centre.

It would also enable the Crown Estate to install side entrances on the North side of the Cambridge Business Park to shorten the walk between offices on the Cambridge Business Park and the new railway station and encourage travel to the Cambridge Business Park by train.

Yours sincerely,

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