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INQUIRY INTO WINDSOR BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

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As a regular visitor to Windsor I cannot believe the RMS is going to build a new bridge through the town rather than build a bypass for through traffic and heavy vehicles.

Windsor is one of the earliest settlements in colonial Australia, and the town square was proclaimed by Governor Macquarie in the early 1800's. It's been there ever since and has survived many floods and still been recognisable from early pictures. If this new bridge is built through it, it will change the outlook of this amazing place irreversibly - and not for the better.

The heritage of this town should be preserved for future generations, not destroyed by a bridge that people say will not fix traffic or flooding issues. The old buildings around the Square make it easy to sit back and feel as if you've gone back in time to simpler days when mobile phones didn't take over our lives, when the pace of life was so much different, and people who worked hard made a difference. All of this is there in that Square, but may be gone forever if something isn't done to stop it.

Please stop the destruction and save this wonderful place.