Dear Nick,

Thorverton Village Traffic Congestion

I hope you don't mind me writing to you, but I wanted to discuss an issue that is concerning me a bit at the present time.

As you know, we run a small business up at Cadbury which involves farming, forestry and also opening the house to the public as well as holiday accommodation. It is vital to us to be able to access the house through Thorverton village and this can include some fairly large vehicles, either tractors and trailers or delivery lorries or indeed coaches bringing visitors to the house.

More recently, perhaps since the renovation of the doctor's surgery, but maybe for other reasons, it has sometimes proved very difficult to get through the centre of the village. While I am totally in favour of retaining the charm and attractiveness of the village and would be opposed to the sort of urbanisation that would be represented by double yellow lines for example, I wonder if there is anything we can do to ensure that those parking in the centre of the village, remember that there are businesses that need access through the main streets.

I wonder if this is something that we could discuss further, and I would be very interested in the views of the Thorverton Parish Council.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely