## **Council Motion – 25 September 2008:**

"This Council notes that, as an aid to the development of the Terrys Site, it has been suggested that a Link Road between Bishopthorpe Road and Sim Balk Lane to the south side of the A64 should be considered, and that this also offers the opportunity to keep race day traffic out of the main city area and roads, using this suggested link and the Bustardthorpe access to the Racecourse.

Officers are therefore instructed to undertake a feasibility study and to prepare a detailed report as soon as possible, and in a timescale to inform any future planning application and also to address the potential for funding the Link Road with a contribution from Developers and other sources. The report should also indicate how any proposed future development allocated through the LDF process could contribute to the construction costs of such a link road proposal.<sup>7</sup>

## Such report to:

- a) consider the implications for the road network and road junctions in the South West quadrant of the City, of proceeding with the proposed Link Road:
- b) consider what additional measures might be required to protect residential amenity on Bishopthorpe Road north of the Terrys site and the Nunnery Lane / Price's Lane gyratory from additional traffic and worsening the already above limit air pollution;
- c) investigate the possibility of constructing a new junction to the west of London Bridge to facilitate more effective access on to the A64 slip roads;
- d) investigate complementary and / or alternative public transport improvements to address the potential traffic form the Terrys development and to address the serious problems of unreliability and inadequate service frequency of the current main No.11 Bishopthorpe Road / South Bank / Bishopthorpe bus service and
- e) investigate other sustainable transport solutions that would facilitate appropriate development of the Terrys site, including much better cycling links than proposed in conjunction with the recent planning application to the city northwards and westwards from the site."

On being put to the vote, the motion, as amended by the two amendments, was declared CARRIED and it was

RESOLVED: That the above notice of motion, as amended, be approved.