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#### **Quick Comment:**

I notice that the proposed Tweedbank development includes new cycle and pedestrian paths to provide "effective pedestrian/cycle connectivity". This seems an ideal opportunity to introduce cycle paths that are separate from pedestrian paths as is now seen in other European countries. Pedestrians and cyclists have different needs and multi-use paths don't necessarily satisfy both. Presumably the aim is to encourage more people to use one of these methods and separate paths is a way to give both groups a much safer and more enjoyable experience.

For those of us who walk to the train station it can sometimes be an unnerving experience to have a cyclist suddenly appear from behind (bells often can't be heard by people whose hearing is not good). With separate paths, divided perhaps by a low hedge, cyclists would also have a more enjoyable experience without having to weave their way round pedestrians, buggies, etc.

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