

Dear Sirs

We have lived in Hadley Wood since December 2020. Prior to that, we lived on Hadley Rod on the other side of the common. We made the decision, at very significant expense, to buy in Hadley Wood because of the peaceful, green and uncrowded nature of the area. Our son attends the local nursery and we as a family use the local playground on an almost daily basis. Our full names are James and Louise Woods. We live at 41 Parkgate Crescent EN4.

We were particularly drawn to the area for the green spaces and the fact that it is surrounded by Green Belt. We therefore strongly object to the proposed site allocation, which, if approved, would allow 160 homes to be built on Green Belt land. Our objections are based on the following:

1. The proposed plan fails to develop/prioritise all brownfield sites. Instead, the plan takes the easy option of developing a Green Belt site with poor local connections and amenities in the immediate vicinity.
2. The proposed plan would destroy valuable Green Belt and have a negative impact on local wildlife and biodiversity, in contradiction to Enfield's green policy. The ecology of the area (a relic of Chase should be protected.
3. The proposed plan would create an unsustainable site. There are insufficient local amenities with no GP surgery, poor public transport links, no post office, no secondary school and an oversubscribed primary school and nursery.

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