

I have recently moved to Hadley Wood and specifically moved here for the surrounding green spaces, having been assured this would be protected by Green Belt. I therefore object to the proposed site allocation which would allow the development of 160 homes on Green Belt land for the following reasons:

- Location not able to support a sustainable development – there are minimal public transport routes that would be inefficient to support this many new houses and so would encourage a huge increase in cars in the local area. Plus limited local amenities, no local GP, no post office, no secondary school and virtually no local employment and 160 new homes would not warrant the investment needed to increase these local amenities
- It would be impossible to build on this site in keeping with the setting, character and appearance of the local area which is a conservation area and full of Grade II listed buildings
- Harm to wildlife and biodiversity which considering the current global climate change threat should be avoided

Can you please therefore remove this proposed site allocation from the next edition of the Local Plan and retain the Green Belt status for the land.