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Dear Sirs,

We have just moved to Hadley Wood. Our house backs on to fields that we never knew existed. They are beautiful and full of wildlife. In a time when caring for the environment is critical and on the minds of young people like never before, I cannot believe that anyone would want to destroy green spaces when there are alternatives.

We are taught at school to recycle, we are educated on the importance of caring for our planet. We know how important it is and that if we don't look after the environment, our future is at stake. It worries me very much to think that the fields we are so lucky to live next to might disappear and be covered in concrete. Not just that but also the impacts of more cars in the area and of the actual building process itself. It just goes against everything we are being taught and everything I am doing as a 13 year old to be a responsible citizen.

I ask you to reconsider this plan for the sake of all the young people in the area who are trying to care for the environment, this seems to do completely the opposite.

**I therefore object to the proposed site allocation, which would allow the development of 160 homes on Green Belt land.**