I WISH TO STRONGLY OBJECT TO THIS PROPOSAL

I AND MY FAMILY HAVE LIVED IN HADLEYWOOD, LANCASTER AVENUE FOR OVER 30 YEARS AND WE WERE PREVIOUSLY ENFIELD RESIDENTS IN PALMERS GREEN FOR OVER 20 YEARS.

I OBJECT BECAUSE:-

- 1. NONE OF THE HOUSES WILL EASE THE SHORTAGE OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING IN THE BOROUGH the land price is too high here and developers (and the Duchy of Lancaster) will seize on the opportunity to make maximum profits if you allow this to happen.
- 2. THE WHOLE WORLD IS WORRIED ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE WE KNOW THAT WE NEED TO HAVE GREEN SPACES / TREES TO PRESERVE OUR PLANET.
- 3. Hadley Wood is constantly losing green spaces as you continue to approve planning to build huge "Mansions" in my road this often means a loss of front gardens which are paved over to make HUGE hardstanding to park a fleet of cars.
- 4. This is already adding to the reduction of green space which is needed to prevent flooding / for the local wildlife / to pollinate plants and crops.
- 5. There is a very serious likelihood that removing that field will seriously contribute to FLOODING as we have seen in other parts of our country with devastating effects.
- 6. The current flood preventions and small streams will not cope with the increased volume of water which currently soaks into the ground in the designated area.
- 7. Have you considered whether local authority tenants would be comfortable to be uprooted from their communities into Hadley Wood which has poor transport links and only one small shop and very few essential amenities.

It beggars belief that in a year when the Leaders of the World are meeting in our country to address GLOBAL WARMING and the ensuing disasters that my local authority will authorise more loss of green belt.

Have you not planned to build enough houses on the Green Belt on Ferny Hill and around Trent Park? PLEASE RECONSIDER