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I am writing to strongly object to draft plan of replacing Sainsbury's in Green Lanes, Winchmore Hill with housing.

The store is one of considerable convenience not only to my family but also to the elderly who cannot travel a great distance away from the close area to do their shopping.

I also object on the grounds that introducing hundreds of new houses would mean introducing hundreds more cars to the area and not helping with the environment especially emissions. If we lose a local supermarket it would mean more driving and higher carbon monoxide levels.

What would also concern me is the community support infrastructure that would be required. Schools in particular are already well over subscribed.

Lastly, the disruption this would cause would make what is already a busy stretch of road unbearable.

Please consider the above carefully and respond as appropriate.