

- This used to be a green space facility as part of a school sports ground – when Sainsbury's were granted permission to build the superstore it was subject to retention and making available green space for local use. If it was needed then, my goodness it's needed now more than ever and evidence is that it is well used by locals.
- Many of the trees and the variety of wildlife are protected – I hear woodpeckers and owls and admire the wonderful mature trees. Once lost, never to return -- you'll not be thanked by future generations.
- Sainsbury's is a busy shop given the increasing population density of the area, where do you suppose people will shop to replace the facility? And it's reasonable to assume much greater car use and increased journey times both of which fly in the face of existing council transport policies. And what of the disabled and elderly?
- If you remove leisure space and increase density and queues, brace yourselves for an ever more bad tempered and unpleasant local population.
- Winchmore Hill has been recognised as one of London's most pleasant places to live (Sunday Times), but your planning will soon take effect to change that – increased traffic, density and delays for essential services, little leisure access and an increasingly bad tempered population will change area totally.

Please think again, it's the destruction of a successful pleasant residential environment that once lost will never be replaced.