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I object to draft policy DM BG16 in the draft Enfield local plan. This allocates Firs Farm wetlands (site ID SA59) as a site for burial and /or crematorium use. I am strongly against this proposal for a number of reasons

Especially during lockdown the wetlands became and still is a truly important community resource essential to the health and well being of the local people - young and old alike.

The playing fields are used regularly . A great sight to see so many people using them to play football which helps with fitness and a team spirit. It was lovely during lockdown and now to wander round the wetlands seeing the wildlife - especially the Egyptian geese - to meet friends and new people and have a picnic. It is a lovely quiet area to contemplate life and what we have.

The friends of Firs Farm have done a wonderful job maintaining this area creating such a peaceful place. Their special themes have been inspiring for everyone especially the children and helps them appreciate nature and gives them exercise.

How you can consider your plan is beyond belief.