Objection to SA32, Sainsburys Green Lanes, N21 3RS. Page 351 of Enfield local plan. Re-development of supermarket and car park to mixed-used homes and non-residential floor space

Please find valid reasons as to why this strong objection is raised.

## Local facilities

The loss of a major supermarket in the area will force people to have to travel further. This would especially affect elderly and disabled residents and increase car usage on local roads.

No supporting community infrastructure planned which will lead to an overstretch of existing facilities such as schools, doctor's surgeries etc.

With the Fords Grove car park going and 14% of car parking at Winchmore Hill Broadway reduced, this development will lead to a further loss of revenue to local shops leading to potential closure.

## Impact on local residents

The increase in vehicles on the road from potential residents of this development, will increase carbon monoxide levels which will impact local residents and affect the health of the vulnerable including children attending all local schools!

## **Environmental**

This development will lead to the destruction of habitat and woodlands - the site is home to at least three different species of woodpecker (greater/lesser spotted and green varieties) as well as trees with protection orders (poplars and oak trees).

The green space is especially useful for residents living in the surrounding flats without gardens.

The area is used by families and the elderly alike, which contributes to their health and wellbeing.

## Other Issues

This development is a totally inappropriate choice of site taking away a much used supermarket and rural land. It will lead to an over development of the area given the recent and future developments along Green Lanes - Travis Perkins, Capitol House etc.

There will be construction vehicle disruption and increased building work traffic on the local roads which are already congested especially due to the amount of traffic taking children to the many schools surrounding this site.

There will be an impact to the skyline in Enfield and not in keeping with the existing character of the area.

It seems this council are intent on turning the area into a concrete jungle with no thought to the existing local residents. Financial gain always seems to come before the wellbeing of people.

I will be taking this up with the Mayor of London!