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Subject: Draft Local Plan - Site SA45 (Land between Camlet Way and Crescent West, Hadley Wood) and

Intensification Zone around Hadley Wood station

**Date:** 16 September 2021 20:49:06

Hi there,

I have lived in Hadley Wood for 16 years and I am a member of [the Hadley Wood Association.

I value all the green spaces within Hadley Wood and was drawn to the locality as it is surrounded by Green Belt, which protects the special character of the area. I therefore object to the proposed site allocation, which would allow the development of 160 homes on Green Belt land.

- 1. Hadley Wood is ultimately a small village. It does not have the amenities or infrastructure to cope with another 160 houses. There is one small local shop and small train station. The roads already are very congested with building work and local traffic.
- 2. I have spent many hours walking through the Greenbelt during the year and a half of Coronavirus. The clean space has been vital for my mental health, walking the dog and seeing the horses! It would be ruining the heritage value of both Hadley Wood and Monken Hadley. The intensification plans would also cause harm to the Conservation Area.
- 3. The current devastation of climate change is already at dangerous levels. Enfield should not add to this as Hadley Wood is a car-dependent location is not a suitable location for a large scale increase in housing. The already existing congestion would be worsened, leading to air pollution and the destruction of this greenbelt also adds to the lessening of carbon sequestration.

Overall, I object to the proposed site SA45.

Many thanks,