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Dear Sirs

This email is to strongly object to the proposed development of 160 homes on our beloved greenbelt land in Hadley Wood.

I moved into Hadley Wood in 1998 and I am a member of the Hadley Wood Association. I came to the area when my children were very young and were just starting at the Hadley Wood primary school. The point of aspiring to move to the area was to enjoy the greenbelt, the woods and the countryside feel the area has to offer.

There is no more capacity for any more property development in this area. There have been lots of houses demolished and turned into flats .The number of households are increasing as it is let alone another development of 160 homes. The infrastructure in the vicinity will not support any further large scale property developments. There is only one small primary school that is oversubscribed and the parade of half a dozen shops. Furthermore there are no buses, and the train station for commuters will not offer adequate transport for the extra homes.

This is not the right area to develop a further 160 homes. This will cause unnecessary overcrowding and will destroy the beautiful landscape and conservation areas within Hadley wood. The area is much loved by all local residents and by others who come into the area for walking and cycling.

It is unthinkable you would consider ruining the greenbelt which surely must be protected. It's important to keep greenbelt conserved in terms of separating the area from Barnet and Potters Bar. In view of all of the current sentiment towards climate change this project goes completely against protecting and conserving our green belts/open spaces.

Please remove this proposal and protect the greenbelt for all of the area within the council.