To who it may concern,

I am writing to ask that you remove all reference to a crematorium at firs Farm wetlands park and playing fields from the policy DM BG10 in the draft local plan.

In these times of covid it is vital that we have space to use so that our health and wellbeing can thrive in these trying times. Taking away a site that is of natural beauty, that is a nature reserve cannot be the way forward. We need this to not change so that the surrounding residents can go and take in the tranquility of the area.

Furthermore it is a source that the people of Enfield use in keeping fit either by walking, running in the area. I myself use the wetlands and it was a great source of help to me when I had a medical scare. I was able to walk with friends to help in regaining my health. It was relaxing and gave me a focus to gather my thoughts. Without this my health would not be in a good place.

The firs Farm wetlands is a source of much needed education to the surrounding schools, nurseries, clubs and community groups that meet up and enjoy the nature within the wetlands.

Also, Enfield Council have spent over £1 million pounds of our, the people of Enfield's taxes on the flood alleviation in firs Farm wetlands. You now want to reduce the effectiveness of this !!!!!! What a waste of money.

Finally the proposal will affect the environment and the local traffic in the surrounding area, which is not acceptable.

I am calling for the council to remove all reference to firs Farm wetlands from policy DM BG10.

I hope that you listen to the residents on this matter