

To Enfield Council

I am writing to object to Draft Local Plan SA32 Sainsburys Green Lanes p315 for the following reasons:

1. Loss of Local Facilities

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

2. there is no supporting infrastructure planned which will lead to existing facilities such as schools. Doctors surgeries, libraries etc being overstretched.

3. the increase in vehicles from the large number of new residents living in the proposed 299 residences will increase pollution levels which will impact on residents and especially school children at Highfield School.

3. this development will lead to the destruction of wild life habitat and woodlands – the site is home to at least 3 different species of woodpecker as well as trees with protection orders.

4. In 1986 the Secretary of State allowed planning permission for Sainsburys to be built on condition that the green space was retained for community use. The green space is especially useful for residents of the surrounding areas who do not have gardens.

5 the development would lead to further congestion on an already congested GreenLanes

I request that the proposal relating to Sainsburys Green Lanes be removed from the Draft Local Plan.