

I wish to register an objection to the Draft Local Plan currently open for consultation.  
I request that you remove all reference to Firs Farm Wetlands from Policy SP CL4.  
I object to draft policy DM BG16 in the Draft Enfield Local Plan. This allocates Firs Farm Wetlands (Site ID SA59) as a site for burial and/or crematorium use.

I have found Firs Farm Wetlands to be of great importance to me and many people I know. Since its redevelopment it has added significantly to the quality of life of those of us able to enjoy the benefits it brings. From the youngest to the oldest members of our community, all can make use of Firs Farm Wetlands.

Key points to consider include

- The draft policy contradict Strategic Policy SP CL4 n the Draft Local Plan, which identifies Firs Farm Wetlands as facilitating and contributing towards developing sport and leisure facilities in Enfield
- I believe the proposal will reduce the effectiveness of the flood alleviation potential Firs Farm Wetlands brings to the local area
- I do not believe the effect on the environment due to changes in local traffic, have been properly considered in the Integrated Impact Assessment of the Draft Local Plan

Firs Farm Wetlands is currently a model that other Local Authorities should copy and I believe the proposed changes would adversely affect this.

I call on the Council to remove all reference to Firs Farm Wetlands from Policy SP CL4.