

Dear Enfield council,

I have lived in Barnet near Hadley Wood for my whole life and I go to school in the area. I like to see the animals and nature of Hadley Wood and play on the fields. I object to the proposal to build 160 houses on Green Belt land in Hadley Wood.

The Green Belt is supposed to protect the countryside and not destroy it. You can run around and play and exercise there as well and it has lovely fresh air and beautiful countryside. Building on it will destroy the nice countryside and animals will have nowhere to live. It is unnecessary and wrong because there are lots of brownfield sites that could be turned into houses.

Plants and trees need somewhere to grow and live, and we need them for air and fruit and vegetables. The rivers will have nowhere to flood and it can be harmful. We enjoy the nature and green spaces and it's good for our mental and physical health.

There is a lot of traffic already so building will cause even more traffic which will mean more congestion and pollution. This will ruin our beautiful greenery and we will not be able to enjoy it much anymore. If you build houses, more people will go to live there and there won't be enough services like doctors, shops, schools, etc.

I want to be a train driver when I grow up and I want future generations to see the lovely greenery and countryside from the train, not ugly giant blocks of concrete with no character (blocks of flats and houses).

Please can you remove this proposal so the land can be kept as beautiful green belt for everyone to enjoy. Thank you.