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I am writing to express my concerns regarding the Edgware Policy in the proposed Main Modifications to the Barnet Local Plan.

I use the Edgware Town Centre many times each week. Shopping both within the Broadwalk Centre and high street shops too. I use the parking facilities behind the Broadwalk Centre. As a senior citizen I find the parking close by essential for my shopping requirements. I also use the Edgware Tube and Bus station on a regular basis.

With this proposed development I am very concerned about overcrowding in the Edgware area. This will adversely affect all public facilities by making it impossible to see a doctor, dentist, get children into local schools and many other community requirements will become impossible to use.

As a resident of Edgware, I understand the plan has been under development since 2020. However, I only recently became aware of its existence and its potential impact on our community.

Unfortunately, I haven't received any written communication from Barnet Council about the Local Plan, despite its significance for Edgware's future. Given the potential for significant change to Edgware's character and residents' quality of life, I believe wider notification would have been helpful.

I have heard from others in the community the volume and complexity of the Local Plan and the related documents are overwhelming. The 42-day consultation period is insufficient for anybody to comprehend the plan's details – especially for anyone with work or caring commitments.

I am deeply concerned about the impact of the Local Plan on Edgware and its residents, both present and future.

In light of these concerns, I would like to express my support for any [representations](#) made by Save Our Edgware and the Edgware Community Association.

Please consider their submissions as reflecting my own concerns.

Yours sincerely,

David Saunders.