

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Forward Planning](#)
Subject: Concerns Regarding the Edgware Policy in Barnet Local Plan Main Modifications
Date: 18 June 2024 13:27:50

You don't often get email from [REDACTED] [Learn why this is important](#)

**** Warning External Email ****

Representation from: Katariina Hakimipoor

Address: [REDACTED]

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

Me and my family use the Broadwalk Centre weekly for shopping, banking and other errands. The centre is conveniently located and very valued in the local community. All the shops and car parks are always busy even midweek. The car park is especially important to those with disabilities and less able.

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 found the volume and complexity of the Local Plan and the related documents overwhelming. The 42-day consultation period seems insufficient for anybody to comprehend the plan's details – especially for anyone with work or caring commitments.

However, 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.

Please can you arrange for this letter to be considered as part of the Equality Impact Assessment?

Yours sincerely

Katariina Hakimipoor