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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 back directly onto the so called nature walk. Currently I have unspoiled nature behind my house. The local plan looks to destroy this leaving access to the public and disturbing wildlife including protected species. My wife works next to the site as a teacher in Edgware school. Can you imagine the noise and pollution the poor children will endure for ten years. My parents both in their 70s use the Broadwalk for all of their shopping closure will force them to go further afield which they cannot do with mobility issues. Now they can park in the car park, take away the parking and Edgware will die. The infrastructure cannot take it. We cannot get a doctors appointment now!

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

Savio Gimmi