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To: Forward Planning

Subject: Concerns Regarding the Edgware Policy in Barnet Local Plan Main Modifications Representation from Nilima

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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. It is an awful ill thought out plan that will create several eyesores with no thought to infrastructure and the impact on the locals. Further I question whether there is even demand for such a scheme in this particular locality.

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 alleged 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. It is going to create more problems in an area where there are already several underlying issues.

In light of these concerns, I would like to express my support for any <u>representations</u>made by Save Our Edgware and the Edgware Community Association. Please consider their submissions as reflecting my own concerns.

Yours sincerely,

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