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

Representation from: Sharon Nassim

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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.

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.

I regularly do my main shopping at the Broadwalk and I use the parking areas outside Sainsbury's. I also use the commuter's car park for going into town on the tube. The parking spaces are crucial to the many who use the amenities in this area.

Any proposed development in this area would compromise everyone's use of this vital facility. Yes, the area does need updating, but not to the level of this proposal. I also don't understand (nor want) a metropolis of so many tall buildings housing 4500 or so more people, which is far away from the safe and stable community which every 'village' deserves.

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 <u>representations</u> made by Save Our Edgware and the Edgware Community Association. Please consider their submissions as reflecting my own concerns.

Yours sincerely

Sharon Nassim