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To: LDF
Subject: Designation of the Pinkham Way site

Importance: High

Dear Sir /Madam,

I am writing to you about the proposed re-designation of the Pinkham Way (ex-Friern Barnet sewage works) Site from employment to industrial use.

I object to this.

Pinkham Way is a site that has completely recovered from its previous use as a sewage site many years ago. It has become over the years a thriving and natural nature reserve providing a green lung to counter the noxious fumes of the A406 which runs close by. It has become home to many native fauna and flora and is a park-like facility for both children and adults.

To re-designate the Pinkham Way to industrial use and develop it as an mechanical biological treatment plant would be to harm the site's role in protecting and fostering nature and oxygen production in a heavily polluted area caused by thousands of lorries and cars on the nearby North Circular Road. The whole area improves the quality of life of residents both nearby and further away.

There is no sound evidence of advantage / benefits that has been produced by Haringey Council in its efforts to designate the area as suitable for industrial use. I have read all the documents produced by Haringey Council and none contain a rational and reasonable justification to re-designate the land at Pinkham Way for industrial use. All the arguments used for re-designation can apply equally let us say, to the land on which Haringey Civic Centre is sited.

Please note my objections.

Yours faithfully

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