

**Sent:** 27 October 2011 11:37

**To:** LDF

**Subject:** Pinkham Wood - ' re-designation' of site

To whom it may concern:

I am responding to the re-consultation regarding a revised designation of the Pinkham Wood site.

Can I suggest that a proposal so to do is unacceptable - for these reasons:

1. The Pinkham Wood site already has a Grade 1 designation as being of importance to Nature Conservation within the Borough of Haringey.

There is no evidence ,that I am aware of, which supports an alternative view and no argument that I have heard which suggests that this original finding should be reviewed.

2. The proposed re-designation obviously relates to an interest in developing the site as part of a North London Waste Disposal Plan - but any such development would be a contradiction to several national and local policies which urge the preservation and furtherance of natural habitats.

3. Haringey has few remaining sites ( 9 only I think?) that retain an ecology important to the conservation of natural habitat - these surviving sites are not only of environmental value but also support community health and educational ideals - such resources must be maintained - 're-designation' for the sake of commercial/industrial 'benefit' should not be allowed to influence the greater value they represent to the local and regional community.

yours sincerely

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