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From:

Sent: 26 October 2011 22:52 To: LDF; Whelehan Ciara; Dorfman Marc Subject: Current Consultation Response on change of Designation of Pinkham Way.

26th October 2011.

Dear Sirs,

I wish the following response to be included in your consultation currently running until 3rd November 2011 on change of designation of the land at Pinkham Way (formerly Friern Barnet Sewage Treatment Site).

I also wish to be included in future consultations regarding this site, and would urge you to increase the area you are consulting to include more residents in Barnet and Enfield. Many of these residents have thus far not been able to have their say as they were not included in the previous consultations. I also urge you to include all hospitals and schools near to the proposed site.

As regards change of designation of the land from Employment Use to Locally Significant Industrial Use, I totally disagree with this. The change in designation should never have happened as the area has a Grade 1 Borough Importance for Nature Designation, and the leap to an industrial use with no consultation, evidence or justification for doing so is suspicious. I think that Haringey has compromised itself in making this decision. How can Haringey be on the NLWA and still be independent when making planning decisions and changes of designation of land in the service of its residents? I believe there is a direct conflict of interest here. More than that, I suspect the change of designation occurred to facilitate Pinkham Way being put forward as a potential site for the NLWP, and none of us were consulted about it. It was done quietly behind our backs without us knowing until it was too late. We have a paucity of green space and biodiverse areas in this region as it is, and this space should remain a green area forming a natural boundary between residents and the north circular road.

Yours faithfully,

Dr. Elli Murphy,

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