

Pauline Borg,

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Dear Independent EFD Local Plan Inspector,

I am writing to ask you not to make Jessel Green (Lou.R5) into a concrete jungle but to leave it as it is a lovely green open space. I know people need homes but it is just as important that they need green open spaces for their mental and physical wellbeing. a walk over to Jessel Green where I could sit on the grass and watch the world go by and listen to the birds singing. I went quite often and believe that being out in the open on Jessel Green gave me a new insight to life. It is a fact that green open spaces do help people with mental health issues.

Jessel Green; we play football, fly kites and have picnics in the summer. To do this in my small back garden would be impossible. There are no parks as such in Debden for children to go and play this leads to the children playing in the streets which is dangerous for them, are you really going to take their freedom away from playing on Jessel Green? Enjoyed the community fun days on Jessel Green which brings the community together. If this green space goes then the community will go with it.

So please think again and leave Jessel Green alone.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Pauline Borg