

## Epping Forest District Council Representations to the Draft Local Plan Consultation 2016 (Regulation 18)

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### Letter or Email Response:

I would like to state that i am strongly opposed to the development of Rochford Green and Jessel Green. When you consider most London boroughs with high density housing, they have parks that offset the high residential factor and these give people a space to escape urbanisation, be healthy and provide a safe place for children to play. In Debden we do do have any structured parks with any facilities, all we have are our green spaces. If you look at areas around the world of high deprivation one of the common factors is no green space and these areas end up classed a ghettos. Please let us not create ghettos for the next generation to live in, as once developed on we will never get these green spaces back. I feel a better option would be to consider larger development sites such as Woolston Manor or converting farm land into residential.

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