

Re: Epping Forest Local Plan – Save and Protect site **LOU.R5**

Dear: **Independent EFD Local Plan Inspector**

I reject to is the inclusion of the last remaining green land left in the Debden station side of Loughton.

I was originally from Ilford. There would be an uproar if Rebridge suddenly announced we need housing, lets destroy most of Seven Kings, Clayhall or Valentines Park. In my opinion this is what you are doing, destroying a beautiful piece of green and that is vital to the health and wellbeing of the local community. Even partly building on this green will destroy the landscape and use of the green. It's used by the air ambulance in emergencies, for community events, dog walkers, children to run and play. Where can we go and enjoy such a large bit of space with your family. Suggesting Epping forest as an alternative green space is not viable to those with very young children, the disabled and those who can't drive. Not only is this green good for physical health, it's a great place to clear you mind and enhance your mental wellbeing.

You've already included a massive quota of houses to be built in Loughton over the next 20 years. How will the school, doctor's surgeries, roads, transport cope with such a huge influx of people in the area. You've not proposed any further schools, health centres. We as a community have already had to cope with the noise and disruption of Redrow, the flats at Winston Churchill, the agonising year of road works with the road expansion and Epping Forest Retail Park. Give something back to your electorate. The building on Jessel Green is just not necessary and completely unfair and unreasonable. You shouldn't be building on it, you should be protecting it. If you build on this green Epping district council has not listened to the will of it's electorate (which is very against the building on the green), I think this is disgusting of the district representatives!

I have included profession pictures of my family taken on the green. The photographer thought the land was beautiful!

King regards

Louise Freedman

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