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Re: CANTERBURY AREA DRAFT LOCAL PLAN 2020-2045 Policy C6 Land at Merton **Park**

1 message

To: consultations@canterbury.gov.uk

14 January 2023 at 14:11

Dear Policy and Strategy Team,

Hope you are well! As a Canterbury resident I wish to express my opposition to the proposed Merton Park development. Based on the proposal the site chosen is wholly unsuited for the size of project proposed.

I am concerned about the loss of green space, of which the benefits for health and wellbeing are being found to be ever more apparent, as well as the cost to biodiversity which can't be mitigated adequately. In addition there is also a high risk of flooding downhill of this development and the additional traffic created, particularly by the proposed football stadium, will destroy the peace that is so valuable in this area.

Finally, I do not believe that the reality of this project will see sufficient social housing to justify the loss of this green space.

Please register my opposition in the strongest possible terms.

Regards,

Sam Aizlewood

