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Dear Sir / Madam

I note with concern that under the Wood Green Area Action Plan, there are proposals to build a medium rise housing development on this area. This is Green Belt land with Metropolitan Open Land status, and building medium rise housing would severely impact the habitat there. I believe that this land should be left as it is, as it is a rare example of an open space where nature is not impacted by humans also using the space. Whilst the borough of Haringey has many parks and open spaces, they are all shared by wildlife and humans. As the filter beds are on private land wildlife can live there undisturbed, and this makes the space especially valuable.

Whilst development may include habitat creation, it is the presence of human habitation so close will have a major impact of the diversity of the area, and I would like to know how the developers propose to maintain the diversity and richness of the habitat.

Best regards

Lisa Stockley

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