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I am writing to express my concerns regarding the Edgware Policy in the proposed Main Modifications to the Barnet Local Plan.

As a resident of Edgware I use the local shopping facilities on a regular basis. The loss of The Broadwalk will mean that I will have to travel by car to other shopping centres, i.e. Brent Cross or Watford to pick up items that I could otherwise buy local to my house. [REDACTED] way from The Broadwalk which means I do not need to use my car. [REDACTED] entally friendly. My concern is that not only will The Broadwalk go but also shops in Station Road, which again I use on a regular basis, due to the fact the parking will be extremely limited and visitors from outside the main part of Edgware will go elsewhere.

As a resident of Edgware, I understand the plan has been under development since 2020. However, I only recently became aware of its existence and its potential impact on our community.

Unfortunately, even though I live very close to The Broadwalk and Station, I haven't received any written communication from Barnet Council about the Local Plan, despite its significance for Edgware's future. Given the potential for significant change to Edgware's character and residents' quality of life, I believe wider notification would have been helpful.

I found the volume and complexity of the Local Plan and the related documents overwhelming. The 42-day consultation period seems insufficient for anybody to comprehend the plan's details – especially for anyone with work or caring commitments.

However, I am deeply concerned about the impact of the Local Plan on Edgware and its residents, both present and future.

In light of these concerns, I would like to express my support for any [representations](#) made by Save Our Edgware and the Edgware Community Association. Please consider their submissions as reflecting my own concerns.

Yours sincerely

Vivien Lewis