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To: Planning

Subject: Planning Application - 2022/0528/P The O2 Masterplan Site Finchley Road London NW3 6LU

Good afternoon

I would like to provide feedback on the above planning application.

- More housing is welcome to West Hampstead although I have concerns that the level of affordable housing is only 36%, falling below the Council's goal of 50%. We do not need more expensive housing.

- Restrictions on traffic are welcome due to the air pollution in the area, but please ensure there are adequate bus services leading right to the leisure facilities and pick up/drop off locations.

- I have considerable concerns about the potential loss of a large and affordable supermarket which supplies a considerable amount of north west London, particularly those without cars to access larger supermarkets on the north circular road. Access to affordable fresh food such as that available in the Sainsburys is vital for the health and well being of people of all ages. We see considerable problems with food poverty in other developed nations and cities where urban areas do not have access to proper supermarkets. It is absolutely vital that a proper sized supermarket is maintained in this area.

With kind regards

Kathryn Sturgeon

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