

Dear Sirs

I replied to the initial consultation about this project and as a member of the community affected by your proposals, I am writing to re-affirm my initial feedback on the project which is that the site due to its location is not suitable in any way to provide new housing nor to house additional people in an area which is already overpopulated in terms of the additional resources which will be required for services - gas, electricity, lift engineers and general maintenance once built but also weekly rubbish collections, access by fire and emergency services and putting more pressure on the station and local buses which further residents would need to use.

The thought of even having building work going on there and having lorries parked in Adelaide Road or nearby is a nightmare. Does nobody from your organisation or from Camden Council ever look at actual sites and the impact of such schemes? Drawing on paper or by computer generated images is no comparison to experiencing the real impact on existing roads and services and the degradation of such for existing residents in the area. You only need to look at the traffic jams that have been caused by recent works in Winchester Road and re-surfacing of Adelaide Road and there is no explanation of why there is only single file traffic coming from Finchley Road into Adelaide Road causing traffic to build up in Finchley Road when turning left into Adelaide Road to go towards Chalk Farm and Primrose Hill. Adelaide Road is a major route and to even think of using it as a lorry park is unthinkable.

If you want to build new homes please find sites which are not already in difficult to access areas. The same will apply at the O2 Centre which is another major traffic disaster.

I am not interested in any fancy drawings but in living as best a life as I can having lived here over 41 years and seen we local people completely ignored by both the Council, who chose to vote this scheme through despite major and well founded objections and developers who are only there to get maximum return on their investments with no thought or consideration for how existing residents and those who have to travel through Adelaide Road for whatever reason - hospital appointments at the Royal Free, getting to and from work or any other legitimate reason.

Please have the decency to record my objection.

yours faithfully

Mrs Gillian King