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To: Planning

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Dear Sir/Madam,

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As a resident of the area closure of the Triyoga centre in Primrose Hill.

Simply put, the Triyoga centre in Primrose Hill is of great benefit to the surrounding community. So many people from the neighbourhood and surrounding area derive great pleasure and satisfaction from the wide range of classes and activities that are offered there. It is also a place where people meet and make friendships in a way that is not comparable to other sports/health venues.

I find it extraordinary that the council took the view back in 2012 when planning permission was applied for that there would be no loss to the local community. The Triyoga centre is at the heart of the community in Primrose Hill. If it were to close, there would simply be no comparable alternative in the community or nearby. The loss would be considerable.

I understand that the landlord has now applied for planning consent to change the use of the front building at 6 Erskine Road from commercial to residential use. The consequences of this application will very much impact me and many other people I know, of many different ages and walks of life. Surely the loss to the community will be clear. Triyoga is an important and precious part of the community. Its presence should be cherished.

Accordingly I would like to request the consequences of the planning be examined very carefully. Furthermore I would like to request that the interests of the users and the community be better taken into account in the consideration of this planning permission.

I and many Triyoga users I know strongly believe the proposal for the development of 6 Erskine Road needs to be looked at as a whole for the entire site, rather than building by building. In addition, the wider implications to the entire Primrose Hill community need to be considered for now and the many generations to come.

I hope these views will be taken into consideration and I would be grateful if you could acknowledge receipt of this message.

I would urge you to do anything you can in order to preserve this irreplaceable jewel of the community.

Should you require further details please do not hesitate to contact me.

