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**From:** CAROL MURPHY [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 30 April 2015 10:41  
**To:** Planning  
**Cc:** Thuaire, Charles  
**Subject:** The Water House

Planning Application 2011/4390/P

I would like to object in the strongest terms to this Application.

One reason for this objection is the inevitable damage caused by heavy traffic to and from the site over a period of many months. There is no possibility that the lane could be restored to its former attractive calm, after such an onslaught. This uniquely undeveloped edge of the Heath would be lost forever were this scheme to be allowed.

Crucially, the obvious hazards of mixing heavy construction traffic with the walkers, runners, swimmers, cyclists and children who currently use the lane, cannot be too highly stressed. The air quality would deteriorate and there would inevitably be accidents.

I note that the application is including a basement. The trial pits and boreholes that will be required to investigate and prepare for this would act as a conduit for water. Fissuring the clay would also transmit ground water. Such work is likely to impact on the fragile structure of the ground here. The adverse impact of building on the ground water regime and therefore on the water quality of the ponds is of central concern, but so too is the lack of assurances that fuel and building materials would be securely stored with no possibility of leakage. Such leakages would obviously threaten, not just the water quality of the ponds, but also the wild life of the neighbourhood.

The signatories of this letter are frequent users of the Heath, as swimmers, cyclists, walkers, and joggers. We do most anxiously ask Camden Council officers to reject this Application with all its deleterious consequences.

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**From:** Frances Cairncross [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 30 April 2015 18:16  
**To:** Thuair, Charles  
**Cc:** Planning  
**Subject:** The Water House, Millfield Lane

Dear Sirs

If not too late, may I please object to the revised plans for the Water House? The plans will require a large volume of construction traffic in Millfield Lane, causing environmental damage, harm to the surface of the lane and considerable distress to regular users of this narrow and earth-floored thoroughfare. Without some alternative access for construction vehicles, the plans should be turned down.

My interest in the project arises from the fact that I am a regular swimmer in the Ladies' Pond.

Yours sincerely,

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