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Dear Mr McClue

I have a flat in Abbey Estates along the Abbey Road and my sister own a property and lives in Mortimer Crescent.

I have just heard about the proposal to externally insulate the walls on the Mortimer Estate, just like the Council did to the estate opposite at Kilburn Gate.

Mortimer Estate borders St John's Wood conservation area and the Council should be very careful to do works which are in keeping with some incredible architecture in the conservation area. If Mortimer Estate ends up looking anything like Kilburn Gate, it will be awful and out of keeping with conservation area. The buildings will look cold and stark.

Council flats are sturdy and warm and I do not think they suffer from the cold like draughty Victorian properties and so I really do not know why the Council is wasting money insulating like this. Camden Council is always talking about cut-backs but I suppose it is hardly surprising it has no money left if it keeps wasting it.

Mortimer Estate has character and it should be left that way. I hope the Council will listen to neighbours and not allow this to go through.

Kind regards Ricardo Rodrigues