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Dear Tim,

Thank you for your comments on this appeal. I am forwarding your email to the Planning Inspectorate as all comments on this appeal must be sent directly to the Planning Inspector rather than the Council at this stage.

Kind regards,

Jennifer

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**From:** Blackburn, Tim [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** 24 August 2016 09:50  
**To:** Walsh, Jennifer  
**Subject:** Ref: Mansfield Bowling Club NW5 – 2015/1444/ P

Dear Jennifer,

I wish to make clear my objection to the on going attempts by MBC to develop the Mansfield Bowling Club area of Dartmouth Park in NW5.

The Mansfield Bowling Club site is designated for leisure use, and given the increasing pressures on such spaces in London, it is vital that we do not lose it to the local community. MBC's plan for a dense development of luxury housing, with open space that can be closed off from the wider community, smacks strongly of an exercise in money making rather than any genuine attempt to develop the site for the benefit of anyone except themselves.

The Council was right to reject this application, and I sincerely hope that you will also reject the appeal.

Yours,

Professor Tim Blackburn  
7 Laurier Road  
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