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Sumatra Open Space (2017/2608/P)

Shape have written to you subsequent to the public consultation. In addition to the comments already made for consideration in the planning application, we wish to clarify some points made in Shapes' letter on the topic of the fence being brought forward.

The 'retained' green area that is proposed removes about a third of the current area. The vast majority of this remaining area is in fact under trees and barely supports patchy grass. The space offered by the parks department is poor.

As the detail within the report shows (2.4 Results summary), of those present on that Saturday afternoon, the majority actually preferred retention of the existing boundary fence.

Furthermore, the fence being moved forward is one issue. Placing games in that newly enclosed area is an additional point. Some saw the fence being moved forward as a way to protect the green area from the fly tipping not a licence to pave/ cover over it.

The report mentions that subsequent to the final public consultation (3) that the back corner won't now be fenced off and will be retained as an integral part of the park.

As a result, Camden's objective to increase the play on offer can be achieved without taking part of the green space at the front.

With this extra ground, it is possible to reconfigure the design without encroaching onto the area in front of the existing boundary line.





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