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Murphys Yard Development

Dear Planning Officers,

I have lived on the edge of hampstead Heath all my life. My family grew up walking and playing on the heath and enjoying an open space in a crowded city. And it has been a life saver for thousands in the recent months of lockdown

So I was extremely worried to see the plans for Murphys Yard and I am writing to object to the size and scale of the proposed development.

The unusually tall buildings are completely out of keeping with the neighbourhood and set a new record for density in an otherwise relatively spacious residential area. But above all, the skyscrapers will be an eyesore from the Heath. Scores of visitors from all over the world come to visit and look at the view from the top of Parliament Hill. It is one of London's classic scenic spots. These high rise developments will totally change that landscape for ever, and destroy the local view and sense of space that has been a characteristic of the Heath.

In addition, the plans show a complete disregard for the health and welfare of the potential residents. There appear to be no open spaces for the residents or their visitors.

Everyone concerned with local amenities has tried to avoid any infringement of our outdoor spaces, given how important we now know it is for public health. This development sets all that back.

Please please I beg you, do reconsider these huge new design structures...  
Yours sincerely,  
Sally Doganis