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Dear sir/ma'am ,

I am writing to you after receiving a letter from you in relation to the proposed redevelopment of fairham school on farnborough road / summerwood lane Clifton.

I purchased my home some 3 1/2 years ago and the main selling features for my wife and I were the view from the front aspect which over looks the old fairham school (the site of your proposed building works) and the wood area to the side and rear of the property !

4174 I do agree that the fairham site needs to be developed as the council have left it to decay in recent years however myself and many residents on both summerwood lane and surrounding area use the old playing field to walk dogs on. It is also a route down to the river system at the rear of fairham school (which I feel the council do not utilise to its full potential) We have very little green space in Clifton as it stands with out this latest proposal !

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4926 My fears are that summerwood lane would become even more of a cut through from Gotham road to the new housing when in reality it can not cope with traffic it has now due to the parking on the road. The council have not maintained the road surface either , as in recent months as they have done since I have lived here patched up major potholes caused by adverse weather .

What new shopping facilities would be built to cope with the influx of people ?
 Where will the extra police come from to police them? As we have very few designated to Clifton as it stands and shows no sign of changing in the future ?
4927 Where will the additions doctors surgery be built to cope with the influx ? Especially with the closing of the walk in centre at the corner stone building ? It takes me 20-30 minutes of constant ringing to get an appointment with my gp !
 As we know the governments prediction that births in the area were falling were wrong and now schools are struggling to cope with children in the area (dovecote school merging with brooksby a prime example) We are constantly being informed by my children's schools that parking in and around them is a major issue for them , how are the council going to solve that problem with the influx of more family's ?

Having been born in the city limits and having spent the majority of my life here as I walk or drive with in Nottingham as it stands there are many many more sites which could be redeveloped but haven't and are a blot on the landscape , the field of fairham comp is not one of those! The children with in Clifton have very little facilities as it is why not **4174** develop the school site but **4925** leave the sports field as was alone!

4925 I do object to any development which takes away open space which local people use at all times of the day and **4927** which I feel the council will not add infrastructure too ,to existing amenities already in place .

Mr John Bridgewater

Sent from my iPhone