From:

To: <u>Joanna Vincent</u>

Subject: Hatfield Aerodrome Public Inquiry. **Date:** 29 November 2021 15:07:31

To Whom It May Concern

I understand that this is the email to make a submission to the public inquiry into the Hatfield Aerodrome Public Inquiry.

I am opposed to the proposed quarry at Ellenbrook. As Chair of the Town Council's Sport and Leisure Committee I am deeply concerned at the proposal to build on Ellenbrook Fields which was promised to residents as a Country Park under a Section 106 agreement around two decades ago. The field is enjoyed by Hatfield residents, in particularly on a Saturday morning when a Park Run takes place on the park. I have seen first-hand how well attended these runs are. Were a quarry to be built on the site I believe it would have a detrimental impact on the physical and mental health of Hatfield residents.

I also worry about access to the site and in particular the impact which traffic into and out of the proposed quarry would have on the A1057 and A1001. I believe this would cause safety problems for cyclists, air pollution issues for local residents and serious delays for motorists.

Finally, I am deeply troubled by the impact that this quarry will have on the bromate plume in the area, which already affects the water supply in and around Hatfield. I worry about the impact which a quarry would have on the remaining water supply and do not believe that any risks should be taken.

Yours sincerely.

Cllr John Percival