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Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to express my deep concern over plans for a **mid-rise zone** along the railway north of Teddington station, up to and over the bridge. A line of buildings at this height would change the character of the town. It would not conserve or enhance it. I am very concerned also that it may involve the loss of Teddington business park, which provides much needed office and industrial space and is a valuable and well-designed asset to the town. I believe that there would be significant impact on the views from the residential streets near the station. I live in Adelaide Road and I chose to buy a property in Teddington in 2021 because I love the character and feel of the town. It has a lovely neighbourly quality and I do not think that any "mid rise" building will do anything to enhance the aesthetic feel of this lovely part of the borough of Richmond.

I am sincerely hoping that local residents' views and opinions will be taken seriously as part of the consultation for the Local Plan.

Yours faithfullly

Margaret Stapleton