

Recipient: Planning Department and Shaun Justice

Letter: Greetings,

We need proper public consultation over the continued existence of Rosslyn Park's advertising screens

# Comments

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| Toby Benzecry    | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-26 | These things are a hideous blight on our landscape  |
| Jo Hulf          | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-26 | These screens are not suited to the residential and green land surroundings. As a local resident I was completely unaware that this was even being proposed let alone had been sanctioned. Where was the consultation process?  |
| Ian West         | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-26 | I'm horrified a residential area near Royal Richmond Park can have huge bright neon posters which ruin the area and are completely out of keeping in the area!! Maybe should be on M4 into London!  |
| Helen Edward     | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | If an advertising board is on the property of one borough boundary facing on to another shouldn't the residents of that borough, RPNK, also have a say on consultation?? Outrageously and hideously incongruous and very selfishly commercially motivated - but will backfire as an advertising platform anyway because its hardly the M4 and no one is reading the ads! Take them down now!  |
| Corrine Lobbezoo | Richmond, United Kingdom | 2015-11-27 | They are a hideous eye sore and totally unnecessary!  |
| Kate Jay         | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | overly obtrusive signage totally incongruous to the location  |
| Kirsty Harrison  | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | I'm signing because it's extremely ugly and I don't think the local community can have been fully informed of its size and the strength of the light pollution from it.   |
| Robin Bishop     | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* These monstrosities are beyond hideous, is one reason.</li> <li>* Another is the highly misleading manner in which the visual impact of these at the planning application stage was represented in the RFC's documents of support.</li> <li>* A third is the swamping of the 'public consultation' proffered by the RFC in support of its application by a torrent of representations in support of the proposals. More of these were received than letters inviting comments were sent out - for a planning consultation, this argues the presence of an organised clique commandeering an open process to advance its own financial gain.</li> <li>* One of presumably this clique has made a highly offensive set of remarks (an extract: "the surrounding area is not great so why should your hoardings be beautiful"), the subtext clearly being Council-housed trash do not count and should have anything the Olympian-idealised RFC wishes to dump on them, dumped on them. Indicative of the group mentality ('team spirit') of this organisation.</li> <li>* Who thinks these things will have no impact on road safety ?</li> </ul> <p>As a demonstration of the abject prostration of WBC to anybody or anything with money or power, this is supremely hard to beat.</p> |
| M Kelson Kelson  | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | These are on 24 hours a day at a time when we are supposed to be reducing our carbon emissions. Whats the point in local householders using low emission light bulbs etc when this is allowed? And they are distracting to drivers  |
| Marsha El-Hage   | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | They are not in keeping with the neighbourhood and are an eye sore for local residents!   |

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| John R Williams   | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | As a nearby resident, I certainly wasn't consulted about these monstrous erections and if I had been I would have objected most strongly. My instinct tells me there is something not quite right about the process of this application and the planning committee should hang their heads in shame for allowing this dangerous precedent to be set in this part of our borough. |
| Ron Bernstein     | Alnwick, United Kingdom  | 2015-11-27 | I'm signing because I used to live along Roehampton Lane, and feel that these brash grotesque distracting are unsightly in this situation and totally spoil for the otherwise smart area. Also they act as a major driver distraction. The crossing is busy and dangerous enough without any additional distraction.   |
| Irene Samuel      | Barnes, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | I'm signing because I live almost whin sight if this. It is horrible and a massive waste of electricity so therefore very ECO unfriendly.  |
| Emma Loveday      | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-27 | The signs are obviously absurd in the context. No reasonable Council could have approved. There must have been a blunder. Best to rectify as soon as possible.   |
| Claudia Alting    | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-28 | Absurd location , huge distraction for drivers passing a busy bus stop with lots of children on the pavement !   |
| Emma Dawson       | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-28 | Something this large and bright should be not have been installed without proper consultation. It's an eyesore and a brightly lit one at that.   |
| Barrie Mcpherson  | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-28 | I am a local resident and find the visual impact of this abhorrent. Why would the local council think otherwise.   |
| john Cameron      | LONDON, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-29 | The environmental impact of the signs is a disgrace, planning should never have been granted   |
| Sue Rossi         | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-29 | I think the advertising screens are a real road hazard as they are a distraction particularly with the number of cyclists at that location.  |
| Philippa Davies   | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-30 | This is a real eyesore next to the beautiful green common  |
| Alba Brown        | Box Elder, UT            | 2015-11-30 | im signing because this is really dangerous for cyclists, taking driver attention off the road and its also an eye sore. its not appropriate.  |
| Anne-Marie Taylor | Putney, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-30 | Signing because they're totally out of place and distracting for motorists, cyclists and pedestrians.  |
| Toby Benzecry     | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-11-30 | These are a real eyesore next to a beautiful green space   |
| anne speak        | Richmond, United Kingdom | 2015-11-30 | I'm signing this because the precedent set by Wandsworth and Rosslyn Park has possible ramifications on other green space and sports fields  |
| Luise Colato      | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-12-01 | Out of keeping with area and over sized  |
| Nicky Wood        | Richmoid, United Kingdom | 2015-12-01 | These displays are ghastly.  |
| hilary newton     | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-12-01 | they're inappropriate in a residential area  |
| Patricia Joshi    | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-12-02 | These signs are way too big for a single lane road. They would be more appropriate on the A3 or elevated section of the A4 where there are multiple lanes. They also face a new development of houses and flats which sales of, I'm sure, will suffer.   |
| Miriam Howitt     | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-12-02 | I believe they're a danger to motorists because they're so obtrusive and distracting   |
| Mehrnaz Allawi    | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-12-03 | These signs are not in keeping with the area.  |
| Katharine Malvern | London, United Kingdom   | 2015-12-03 | The signs are a horrible eyesore on the edge of Barnes Common  |
| Charlie Kim       | Putney, United Kingdom   | 2015-12-03 | I sign because it hurs residential, rural feel kept so far and make likr Picadilly Circus.   |

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| Doreen Preece      | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-03 | The signs are far too imposing and offensive and pose a danger in being a distraction to the motorist.   |
| Anne Rivett        | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-03 | These screens are offensive, out of place and should be the subject of a planning application.   |
| Mike Hildesley     | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | <p>These screens are out of character with their surroundings, and I believe will damage the protected bat species which are found on Barnes Common in this area; where light emissions at dusk are critical to bat feeding and consequently survival.</p> <p>As a local resident I believe any LED billboards to be out of character, but am simply aghast that signs of this size have been permitted - turning this residential area opposite a Local Nature Reserve (SINC and Conservation Area) which ought to respect the need to preserve the green corridor between the Thames / Wetlands and Richmond Park), into an urban industrial zone comparable to the office/advertising area of the Chiswick Flyover.</p> <p>I am further concerned that, despite raising objections as an individual and on behalf of the Friends of Barnes Common I was given no notification of the planning meeting which addressed this application so had no opportunity to ensure that my concerns and objections had indeed been taken into account, contrary to my understanding of due planning process.</p> <p>In order to install and presumably to make these billboards more effective a number of mature trees were felled. I do not recall this being part of the planning proposal and as yet do not know why this was also permitted when these trees formed part of the natural landscape and character of the area.</p> |
| Christine Hogg     | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | I live in this area - on the Upper Richmond Road and the advertising screens are an appalling sight ruining area and devaluing housing   |
| Antony Phillips    | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | I am absolutely horrified by the hoardings, which are directly opposite Barnes Common, an important local nature reserve and green space. The sheer size of the hoardings and the fact that they illuminated means that they are patently obviously inappropriate for the site. If they were next to a motorway, maybe; but not in a leafy London suburb.  |
| Joanna Sullam      | Dumbleton, United Kingdom | 2015-12-04 | I strongly object to the screens which are totally out of keeping with the surroundings, and constitute a distraction to drivers and cyclists on this already over congested road.   |
| Daniel Sullam      | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | Ugly, huge, imposing, dangerous to passing drivers   |
| Renata Ward        | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | Out of place, out of proportion and degrading to the local environment. A distraction to motorists and overwhelming in every aspect of it's design.  |
| Claire Hall        | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | I believe passionately in the importance of wildlife   |
| richard wickerson  | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | I find the presence of these gaudy hoardings totally out of character with the locality being so near the common even if by a main road and their brightness and size is particularly ghastly. Extraordinary to have received permission after very little consultation.   |
| Marke Raines       | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | The lights are unduly bright and obtrusive and spoil or 'pollute' Barnes Common at night.  |
| Isabel Courtenay   | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | boards are far too big and bright for a residential area and worse still, opposite the wildlife haven of Barnes Common, home to various nocturnal species  |
| Jane Marsh         | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | I think the advertising hoardings are awful and should be taken down. Not in keeping with the area.  |
| Christopher Thomas | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-04 | Completely out of character with the neighbourhood and it affects the flight corridor to Richmond Park.  |

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| Rhiannon Gooding | london, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-04 | Concern about increasing light pollution and its effect on wildlife which is well known. Also its intrusive effect on local communities.   |
| G M Lewis        | Shaftesbury, United Kingdom | 2015-12-04 | Am deeply concerned about the desecration of a green public area, about the light pollution, about the impact on nocturnal wildlife. Shame on the inconsiderate, selfish people who dreamt this up in our leafy suburb.  |
| Martin Conway    | Barnes, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-04 | The billboards are too big, out of character and the light affects the dark corridor for invertebrates from dusk between the Wetlands Centre and Richmond Park.  |
| Karen Keyse      | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-04 | It is an eyesore. Bad for traffic on the Upper Richmond rd and terrible for the wildlife on the common   |
| Doreen Fishwick  | london, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-04 | I am signing thus petition as the hoardings are too large, too bright and look unsightly. They have spoilt the ambience of the area. They are the worse I have ever seen anywhere  |
| Pauline Droop    | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-04 | I am concerned about light pollution and the detrimental effect on wildlife on the common and because the board are unnecessarily enormous and dominating and offensive.   |
| Belinda Stone    | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | I am signing because these two hoardings are an eyesore and not in keeping with the area. The light they generate must be awful for residents nearby.  |
| Paul Downes      | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | I think the screens are obscenely large given the close proximity to a heavy residential and woodlands area.   |
| Joanna Saunders  | london, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | It is an eyesore and our will affect our wildlife and disturb residents  |
| Russell Greaves  | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | THEY ARE AN EYE-SORE AND BELONG IN THE WEST-END , NOT OVERLOOKING A COMMON. THEY ARE ALSO BAD FOR WILDLIFE SUCH AS BATS WHICH ARE MEANT TO BE PROTECTED AGAINST SUCH DEVELOPMENTS  |
| Martin Bowen     | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | I am signing because the hoardings are completely out of scale to the surroundings and a major eyesore significantly degrading the otherwise pleasant urban landscape.   |
| Nicola Dalglish  | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | I walk this route four times a day and was horrified to see these awful ginormous advertising hoardings being installed. They are horrible and do not fit in to the feel of this neighbourhood.  |
| Micky Silver     | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | I'm signing because I too am deeply concerned about the threat to the local nocturnal wildlife   |
| peter jay        | LONDON, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | The screens represent an unwanted urbanisation of an area of semi-natural habitat. Overbearing, ugly and bad for the area.   |
| Chris Wilson     | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | These ghastly signs are an horrific blight and imposition on our environment. Rosslyn Park Rugby Club should be utterly ashamed of itself for perpetrating this monstrous intrusion on their neighbours and on local people. Pure greed has been put above the wishes of residents turning a beautiful area of West London into a distiopian nightmare from Bladerunner. And it's an utter disgrace that the council should have allowed it to happen. |
| Ulla Parker      | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-05 | The signs are ugly and intrusive<br><br>and downgrades rugby as a sport. Surely this is not what Rosslyn Park wants  |
| maria pereira    | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-06 | I strongly agree that the park and Nature needs to be protected. We also don't need any more advertising...  |
| Rebecca Fenlon   | London, United Kingdom      | 2015-12-06 | They are ugly and far to bright and distracting when driving past. I hate the look of them   |

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| Charlotte Williams | South Barrow, United Kingdom                | 2015-12-06 | I think it's disgraceful  |
| Lee Khan           | London, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-07 | I would also like to add that the brightness of the screens makes them a huge distraction for passing drivers.  |
| James McLeod       | London, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-07 | I was not consulted regarding the hoardings and I find them unsightly and out-of-character with the area as well as damaging to wildlife on Barnes Common   |
| Lindsey Cork       | London, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-07 | The proposed displays belong in Piccadilly circus, not a leafy suburb. For goodness sake wake up and stop the march of commercialism at the expense of environment!   |
| Jo Luby            | London, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-07 | They are out of character for the local area especially in view of their scale and a visual distraction for drivers.  |
| Steven Mindel      | London, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-07 | Whilst I understand that RPFC need a way to finance their development - installing these signs without proper public consultation and lack of respect for local residents is not the way it should be done.<br>Also very concerned about the effect of the light pollution caused by these signs on the local wildlife habitat that is Barnes Common.   |
| Louisa Platt       | Barnes, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-07 | They are obtrusive, vulgar and not in line with the local environment at all.   |
| Louisa Platt       | Barnes, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-07 | This is the response from my local councillor<br><br>Dear Louisa<br><br>The boards are actually within Wandsworth Borough, a full planning consultation was held as one would expect and the change to the local area was considered and balanced against the positive change for the rugby club.<br><br>I'm sorry that you feel aggrieved by the boards, I believe there is an online petition against them which has 34 supporters which might provide a focus for any complaints.<br><br>Kind regards<br><br>Cllr Richard Martin |
| antony arthur      | london, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-07 | the boards show that we need better planning within local councillors wandsworth council obviously saw the plan and said ah that looks nice who was consulted apart from rosslyn park members who look at it as cheap membership for no support from local councillors and still waiting to hear from mp have they all lost there voice or is it they are fans  |
| tom sullam         | Dar es salaam, Tanzania, United Republic of | 2015-12-07 | I own a property nearby, and have lived 30 years just off the Upper Richmond Road - the signs are a disgrace.   |
| Gareth Stanfield   | London, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-08 | These advertising screens are completely out of scale with the surrounding area and would be more suited beside a motorway. Why weren't local residents consulted before they were erected?   |
| Lynsey Layton      | London, United Kingdom                      | 2015-12-08 | Appalling eyesore in what is a predominantly residential, NOT COMMERCIAL, area. Crudely disguised as rugby posts to 'hide' their appearance .... I think the obscene glare that they emit goes some way to undermine this bit of crafty planning. We are East Sheen Village, this is an important area for wildlife and this is not in keeping with where we live. Rosslyn Park find another, more sympathetic way of generating cash not at your neighbours' expense please  |

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| Supraja Russell   | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-08 | It seems a complete surprise to have these billboards put up. Understand that RP might want to raise revenue but the boards could have been smaller given that they only need to be visible to the immediate road next to them.  |
| Ben Barton        | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-08 | Should be removed for safety reasons. Far too large/close and too bright at night - unsafe as blinding for motorists in both directions. Installed too close to the road means that motorists turn their heads to look. Sooner or later this set-up will lead to a serious road accident.  |
| Carolyn Wilson    | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-08 | I'm signing because the signs are an eye sore. What are they doing so close to a residential area?   |
| VIVIENNE JARVIS   | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-09 | I strongly object to these ghastly out of keeping hoardings. this is not piccadilly circus.  |
| Chrissie Andresen | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-09 | These enormous shocking signs are completely out of character with the surrounding area. They are clearly a money making enterprise with complete disregard to the local people. Equally they are detrimental to the wildlife on Barnes Common. Certainly there should be another wider reaching consultation to have these signs removed. |
| Liz Evans         | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-09 | These are horribly intrusive and turn a pleasant stretch of road into an urban nightmare. They are totally out of character. I was totally unaware of the plan so had no opportunity to object.  |
| Tim Jones         | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-09 | Advertising is intrusive memetic pollution - this monstrous eyesore deserves to be destroyed   |
| Frances Hagger    | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-09 | I am very alarmed the effect this billboard's light pollution will have on the nocturnal animal of Barnes Common, particularly bats. Thank you.  |
| IAN TOTTMAN       | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-09 | THESE SIGNS ARE FAR TOO LARGE AND TOTALLY INCONGRUOUS. THEY ALSO DAMAGE THE DARKNESS BAND THAT BARNES COMMON NAUTURE ENJOYS AT NIGHT   |
| Michelle Farkas   | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-09 | This billboard is both an eyesore and a danger to drivers, cyclists, pedestrians and other road users.   |
| Ben Pearl         | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-09 | Overbearing and out of place. Fitting for Piccadilly Circus or Westway flyover but not a local neighbourhood!  |
| Diana Wilson      | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-10 | I feel that the signs are too big and bright for the residential area they are in and because they may be harmful to the wildlife on Barnes Common.  |
| Darryl Evans      | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-10 | These screen are adjacent to green open space. They are of no real interest or relevant to passers by and would no doubt be ignored save for the blot they create on the landscape. Not everywhere needs to be commercialised.   |
| Mel Loubser       | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-10 | They are very unnecessary and are not in keeping with the local area.  |
| Richard Kemp      | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-10 | These signs are excessively intrusive and seriously degrade the amenity of the Barnes Common woodland that they face, which is now subject to a Las Vegas style commercialisation wholly out of keeping with the location.   |
| Andy Pitcairn     | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-11 | Completely out of keeping  |
| Ali Ashby         | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-12 | They are dreadful, inappropriate, invasive and ruin the look and feel of Barnes common   |
| Janet Griffiths   | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-12 | I'm fed up with light pollution! These boards are too big and probably distract motorists.<br>I am fed up with light pollution.<br>I was distracted by these while driving along the rugby ground and I am sure this has happened to others.   |

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| Jo Marples             | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-12 | Ridiculously enormous signs visible from way down the upper Richmond road. Must be terrible for people living nearby (blighting the new luxury homes?!) and definitely terrible for the wildlife. What were the council thinking?  |
| Bernadette Wenman      | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-12 | These screens are unsightly and they will have a negative impact on nocturnal wildlife as they are right in the middle of the 'dark corridor' leading from Barnes /Wetlands to Richmond Park   |
| Peter Prime            | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-12 | These hoardings suddenly appeared and I did not know anything about it and only live a minutes walk from the ground. It is totally out of keeping with the area.   |
| Christine Gardner      | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-12 | The screens are disturbing residents and wildlife at night. They are huge and completely inappropriate for a residential district in a conservation area. They just appeared without any public consultation   |
| Paolo Santi            | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-12 | The ads look awful.  |
| Ron Sullam             | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-13 | Creeping urbanism, bad taste, a Council out of touch with the people it's supposed to represent. I fully support this campaign   |
| Piers Caldecote        | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-13 | Ugly and danger to traffic   |
| David Sharkey          | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-13 | The oversized ad screens are totally out of keeping with the local environment.  |
| Antony Ellman          | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-13 | I object strongly to the advertising screens at Rosslyn Park. Apart from the environmental arguments put forward by Friends of Barnes Common (with which I agree) the screens add to light pollution and are completely inappropriate in a residential area. Furthermore there was inadequate consultation with the local community. The planning approval should be reviewed and the screens hopefully removed as soon as possible. |
| Jasmine Calvert-Ansari | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-14 | I'm signing because these ads are a totally out of keeping with the surrounding area. They are also a major distraction when driving - this stretch of road is already very busy as it is.   |
| David Corless          | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-14 | I saw these for the first time last week and couldn't believe my eyes. This is ordinary town road, not the M4 corridor; the signs are so striking that I fear motorists' distraction will lead to accidents. I can't believe there wasn't more scrutiny to prevent this disgusting commercial vandalism of the local environment.  |
| Crispin O'Brien        | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-14 | I'm signing because the ad signs are too bright and look awful. They are a danger to motorists and harmful to the wildlife on Barnes Common including the bats who need access to Richmond Park.   |
| Andrew Summers         | Barnes, United Kingdom | 2015-12-14 | The signs are totally out of keeping with the surrounding area on the edge of the much-valued and respected Barnes Common and are a gross intrusion on the landscape and the environment.  |
| Iorwerth Harries       | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-14 | The size and scale of the ads dominate a 100m. section of the South Circular. They are distracting and out of character with other local advertising.  |
| Patricia Neate         | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | I am persuaded by the ecological arguments and the boards are hideous in a residential area.   |
| roger perry            | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | the signs are out of keeping with the area. they are distracting and will cause accidents. I am also told by Roehampton club that they are not what was expected from the design concept drawings submitted for approval to the board of Roehampton club   |
| jeanette leuers        | France                 | 2015-12-15 | Hideous!! How dare you ruin Brit beauty spots with ugly design...There must be a million ways to design an appropriate sign....Who did you ask to do it? Did they undercut everyone else by a big margin? This monstrosity is the result....   |



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| Elizabeth Light   | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | They are completely out of keeping in the local area, are far too big, and are very distracting and therefore dangerous for motorists. Please remove them ...   |
| Jill Holmden      | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | This is visual pollution in an important conservation 'corridor' where artificial lighting is detrimental to bats.  |
| David Mason       | Barnes, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | These advertisement hoardings are a garish eyesore in an otherwise green and attractive environment. They also inevitably disrupt the natural light conditions for the wildlife on Barnes Common.   |
| Patricia Mason    | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | I do not believe that the birds on Barnes Common appreciate this enormous, excessively brightly lit vision of David Beckham. The wildlife of Barnes Common is so precious how can we possibly sanction such a disturbance to their environment let alone ours.  |
| Mark Matzopoulos  | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | I'm signing because I am unhappy with the creeping urbanisation of this relatively unspoilt part of South West London. these screens are entirely out of keeping with the surrounding environment.  |
| Bryan Tully       | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | I'm signing because the signs are highly intrusive and distracting. They are so because they are so not in keeping with this locality. I was not consulted.   |
| bim newton        | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-15 | their scale is quite out of keeping with the area   |
| Richard Sanderson | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-16 | They look awful as do the small ads on the roundabout nearby  |
| Susan Stevens     | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-16 | Oversized, over-lit and therefore blindingly distracting. Dangerous and very ugly.  |
| Jason Regan       | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-16 | These screens are a horrific eyesore wherever they are. More than that though, this is an area where the residents aren't generally forced to look at unwanted sales messages. This is essentially ugly junk mail on a huge and intrusive scale and for Rosslyn Park to have done this shows a contempt for the local community.  |
| janice malleson   | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-17 | Im signing this petition because the large lighted hoardings are an abomination & clash with the area & vegetation - absolutely ghastly & should be got rid of as soon as possible!   |
| Ben Nathan        | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-18 | Unfortunately the distractions these billboards create are EXACTLY what advertisers want! The more drivers that are distracted, the more their ads get seen! These billboards are not as much a distraction as an eyesore and insult to local residents. Time to vote in new councillors who care about our environment! Both Labour and Tory councillors in Roehampton have been a disappointment :( |
| Evelyn Wilcock    | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-18 | The sports grounds in the Priory Lane and Richmond Park area are a public amenity within a relatively undeveloped area of natural landscape which itself adds to the quality of life of local residents as they make their way too and from Richmond Park. These ads are an unsightly intrusion in an area that should not be urbanised or commercialised for private interest.                       |
| Alette Quinton    | London, United Kingdom | 2015-12-18 | I think these boards are an eyesore and totally inappropriate in this location  |

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| Victor Temple       | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-18 | The advertisements are totally out of proportion to the landscape and seek to promote commercial advantage at the expense of good taste and regard for the character of the immediate surroundings. Was full and frank disclosure given at the planning application as to the size and impact of the project, and were the statutory notices given to all those entitled to receive the same?   |
| George Trevor       | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-18 | They are unsightly and apart from being far too big should never have been allowed in what is a residential area.   |
| Elisa Walker        | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-19 | I do not like the horrible boards that have been put up<br>They are damaging our environment  |
| paul hetherington   | london, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-19 | besides disliking all large scale advertising, I think that the Rosslyn Park hoarding is dangerously distracting.   |
| Olivia Jackson      | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-20 | The billboard advertising is incongruous, extremely ugly and destroys the character of the neighbourhood.   |
| Janet Robinson      | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-20 | The advertising boards are an absolute eye sore. I can't believe Wandsworth think they are in keeping with the area and I saw nothing to say they were going to be erected. They need to be taken down.   |
| Adrian Podmore      | Cuckfield, United Kingdom | 2015-12-20 | The screens can now easily be seen from and through the winter trees on the adjacent Common - this area provides a green and open space for people to enjoy and relax in - these boards are visually intrusive, bringing the urban environment right through onto the Common. As a car driver as well, there is no question that they are also a significant distraction on what can be a very busy road. There are also implications for the local wildlife notably bats although they will probably be more affected by spillage from the floodlights |
| Mike Thomas         | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-21 | They are an abomination so close to the natural habitat of Barnes Common, and dangerously distracting to traffic near very dangerous lights.  |
| Nina Jackson        | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-21 | These are totally invasive, create massive light pollution to Barnes Common and are completely hideous. Unbelievable that permission for these advertising boards was granted.  |
| dominique godfrey   | london, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-21 | Unbelievably unsightly and totally out of character with the area.  |
| jennifer forrest    | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-21 | it makes a peaceful area look as if its turning into an industrial estate   |
| Hilary Fisher       | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-21 | This is an intrusive eyesore.   |
| Ray Float           | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-21 | I was disgusted from the outset at the screens which are ugly, dangerous to traffic and crassly commercial  |
| Laura Castelli      | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-21 | The gianormous signs would set a precedent for other horrible advertising in such a beautiful corner of Barnes/Putney border.   |
| Sue Bonnell         | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-22 | The advertising boards are far too large and brightly lit for their location.   |
| Chris Storey        | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-22 | Ugly, out of proportion eyesore with no regard for rural nature of adjoining Barnes Common  |
| trevor sutters      | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-23 | overbearing imposition and visual distraction; therefore also potential danger to safe driving.   |
| Christopher Leggett | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-23 | I object to planning decisions being made without public consultation.  |
| Julie Day           | Bedford, United Kingdom   | 2015-12-23 | I believe in preserving dark corridors in green spaces with wildlife.   |
| Sanchi Murison      | London, United Kingdom    | 2015-12-24 | I'm outraged at the these eyesores on the Upper Richmond Road and the removal of the trees and greenery. They are out of all proportion and a distraction to motorists.   |

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| diana Kelion Kelion | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-24 | These huge billboards have blighted the whole area and make it feel like an industrial, ugly, zone. Dangerous too as distracting to drivers.   |
| J Bell              | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-24 | The ads are an eyesore and a distraction to drivers. Out of place vis-a-vis Barnes Common.   |
| Andrew Wilson       | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-24 | I am concerned about the impact on the wildlife of Barnes Common, which is directly opposite. A letter was sent by the chairman of The Friends of Barnes Common, which highlighted these concerns that has not been properly considered.   |
| Amy Wilson          | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-24 | I'm concerned about the impact on the environment.   |
| Eleanor Logan       | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-24 | these signs are a blight on the local landscape and were put up, seemingly, without the consultation of people who actually live in the area   |
| gill hugill         | Barnard Castle, United Kingdom | 2015-12-25 | The signs are completely disproportionate to the advertising that they replaced and are far too obtrusive within a residential/ wooded location. They make me angry each time that I pass (which is quite often, I have a son that lives in Briar Walk SW15 and another that lives in Kingston upon Thames.)                 |
| Paul Owens          | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-27 | Because these illuminated hoardings are a total eyesore, lower the tone of the whole area, are light polluting and should never have been approved   |
| Brian Townmead      | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-28 | A blight on our landscape....24 hours a day, 7 days a week...what a lovely way to enter into "leafy" Putney/Barnes. But why stop there? Barnes Common has plenty of available roadside space for many more giant illuminated billboards...I shouldn't even jest, as the money-hungry cretins at the council might go for it! |
| Seonaid Joynson     | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-28 | I am signing because I found the sudden appearance of the boards less than a quarter of a mile from my front door abhorrent. They pollute the light, and adversely change the character of the area.   |
| Aimee Marien-osborn | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-29 | The signs are ugly and unsleeping with the area.   |
| Nigel Swabey        | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-29 | Simply because these hoardings are an eyesore and are out of character for the area.   |
| Julia De Freyne     | London, United Kingdom         | 2015-12-29 | These hideous advertising screens came as a shock to us residents who live nearby and are overpowering and totally hideous - more suited to the side of a large motorway - preferably abroad ! Can't wait to see them hopefully removed in the near future.  |
| Karel Kretschmar    | San Francisco, CA              | 2015-12-31 | The screens are a grotesque eyesore, and must be removed. They destroy an otherwise pleasant stretch of road.  |
| Doug Kessler        | London, United Kingdom         | 2016-01-02 | They're hideous and way too big. I had no idea they were happening. Missed any consultation.<br>I like the club and wish it well. But this was a crass decision.   |

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| Doug Kessler           | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-02 | <p>I like Rosslyn Park club and hope they succeed.</p> <p>But I hate these signs and feel the club may have been duped by a super-click team from JCDecaux whose job it is to shove these things through planning permission.</p> <p>An idea: let's forget about the safety or environmental issues (hard to prove) and just focus on the fact that they're an unwanted blight on our visual environment.</p> <p>And let's contact the advertisers who use the billboards and tell them why this "affluent audience" won't be buying their products while they advertise on this site.</p> <p>Money talks.</p>                                     |
| Halina Tytko Kessler   | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-02 | <p>These huge boards are an eyesore and a disappointing exploitation of the neighbourhood by the rugby club who until now has been a valued member of the community. Shame on you Rosslyn Park and JCDecaux.</p>   |
| Katharine Tytko        | Bath, United Kingdom   | 2016-01-02 | <p>Tacky! Must be all about the money.</p>   |
| James Page             | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-02 | <p>Hideous and wasteful of energy. I've fought these things for years in Richmond - sometimes with success.</p>  |
| Dominic Dreyfus        | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-04 | <p>I'm generally in favour of the new development at Rosslyn Park but these billboards have blighted the neighbourhood and blinded the neighbours. Please remove them urgently.</p>  |
| Jenny Grey             | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-04 | <p>I'm signing because I am a local resident who was not consulted in the planning stage of this application, and I entirely object to the new advertising screens erected at Rosslyn Park. It is not appropriate to consult only with members of Rosslyn Park (most of whom are not local residents and are the only people who benefit in any way), the impact on the local environment has not adequately been taken into account, and the screens are a total eyesore, completely out of keeping with the local area, and significantly demean the tone and value of our neighbourhood. I wish for them to be removed as soon as possible.</p> |
| Mark Mason-Jones       | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-04 | <p>These hoardings are appalling, a real eyesore. Also distracting to passing traffic therefore dangerous.</p>   |
| Gemma Harbinson-Horner | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-05 | <p>Nature lover</p>  |

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| Peter Bessey          | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-06 | <p>As a long-time resident of East Sheen, I was shocked when seeing these devices in place, alongside a wildlife-friendly common and so close to wildlife conservation areas, such as Richmond Park, Sheen Common and Barnes Wetlands - to name just a few. I cannot believe that this type of installation is appropriate in this area and certainly not immediately alongside long-standing residential dwellings. It should never have been given planning permission in such a location, for that reason, let alone for the known damage that the light pollution from these devices will cause to protected bat species and other wildlife in the immediate area. (&lt;a href="http://luxreview.com/article/2015/03/streetlighting-s-latest-foe-bats" rel="nofollow"&gt;http://luxreview.com/article/2015/03/streetlighting-s-latest-foe-bats&lt;/a&gt;)</p> <p>Rosslyn Park FC should be thoroughly ashamed for even proposing this installation and their lack of empathy for this area can now be clearly seen.</p> <p>Perhaps it is time to organise a boycott of this so-called club, whose interest lies in money-making rather than the well being of its sport people, as well as its immediate neighbours and the green interests of the area at large.</p> <p>Perhaps also it is time for this organisation to vacate, what is an increasingly unsuitable site, so close to a source of heavy vehicle pollution and to move itself elsewhere, more suited to the pursuit of outdoor sport and more healthy for its participants?</p> |
| Mark Strong           | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-07 | I'm signing because I live close to these horrendous signs. They are ugly and dangerous. It is obvious the approval should not have been given.   |
| Dana Strong           | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-07 | These signs are the ugliest thing on an otherwise beautiful area of London. Additionally, the light effects driving on Upper Richmond Rd  |
| Sarah Birnage         | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-08 | They are a terrible eye sore and totally out of keeping with surrounding area as well as a bad distraction to drivers   |
| Emma Kelly            | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-08 | These are a threat to local wildlife and out of keeping with the area.  |
| Graham Pullen         | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-08 | It is disgraceful that the beauty of Barnes Common has been ruined by these boards  |
| Celia Meikle          | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-08 | Completely inappropriate for the area and a blight on the landscape   |
| Fiona Murray          | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-09 | In 42 years living in Putney I have never seen anything so out of proportion: ugly, intrusive, unnecessary.   |
| Annee Blott           | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-10 | I am a local resident and this ugly hoarding is utterly out of keeping with its surroundings.   |
| Margaret Saunders     | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-10 | I really object to the new Rosslyn Park bill boards<br>They diminished the area and are completely out of keeping.  |
| Timothy Robinson      | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-10 | There was no consultation about putting the signs up as far as I am aware and definitely does not fit into the local setting.   |
| Audrey Pakenham-Money | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-10 | Unsightly and not necessary   |
| Julie Goodbody        | London, United Kingdom | 2016-01-11 | The signs are huge ugly and completely out of place   |

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| Susan Gaunt        | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-11 | I am signing because I believe that the Advertising Hoardings are too large and out of place for the location.  |
| David Robinson     | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-11 | These brightly lit advertising screens are too big and too distracting. We do not want the natural scenery of Roehampton to be ruined by these enormous advertising screens. We live in a green suburb - not on a motorway!           |
| Mary O'Shea        | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-12 | I am signing because the huge advertising screens are intrusive and a blight on the area. They have no place on an A road and should be removed as soon as possible.  |
| Sally Hoult        | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-12 | They look dreadful. So out of place in this area. I knew nothing of plans to put these up and all the people I have spoken to about them knew nothing either. They need to come down as soon as possible. Horrible horrible horrible. |
| Suzy Andrews       | Stafford, United Kingdom   | 2016-01-14 | SO ugly   |
| Elaine Hutton      | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-14 | This is huge & an eyesore & no indication was given of just how massive this would be - completely tasteless & causes light pollution   |
| Sebastian Benzecry | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-14 | I'm 17, and I hope I speak for my entire generation when I say that these are completely unacceptable. We don't want to grow up in a country where commercialism is more important than environmentalism.                             |
| Anne Rogerson      | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-15 | These signs are inappropriate in the area, out of proportion to anything else on this road,, shine light into the windows of nearby homes and shine light directly into Barnes Common, a haven for wildlife.                          |
| June Marriott      | Richmond, United Kingdom   | 2016-01-15 | These screens are completely out of keeping with the area and are a dangerous distraction for motorists, and a very bad precedent. June Marriott  |
| juliette clarke    | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-15 | The hoardings are ugly, distracting and out of character with the area.   |
| Richard Marriott   | Richmond, United Kingdom   | 2016-01-16 | It is completely out of keeping with the residential nature of the area   |
| richard atterbury  | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-17 | I am signing as there was no public consultation about this massive eyesore.  |
| Stef Hunter        | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-17 | I think this sign is really bright and off putting whilst I drive along a very busy, dangerous road by traffic lights and pedestrians/cyclists are plentiful. It worries me that the sign is really low too.                          |
| Tim Norman         | Teddington, United Kingdom | 2016-01-17 | They are; excessive, unnecessary and potentially precedent setting, where will it stop?   |
| Justyn Bailey      | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-18 | It's a residential area and not a business park!  |
| martyn coffee      | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-18 | the proposed sign is an eye-sore, a distraction to drivers, and totally out of character for the area and Barnes Common . No No No!! (And I will not support any of the adverts.)   |
| Ian Palmer         | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-19 | The ads are too large, too bright and are totally inappropriate for the location.   |
| Charlotte Annand   | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-20 | I was horrified at the size and scale of the posts and that was before they put up the billboards. Totally out of place in a leafy, conservation area.  |
| Gail Renard        | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-20 | The sign is a nuisance. It's ugly and throws out a terrible artificial light. It ruins the area.  |
| Sandra Edwards     | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-20 | Hideous blots on the landscape which could lead to traffic accidents.   |
| Deborah Palmer     | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-20 | It has ruined the area. It now looks like an ugly industrial estate in a third world country. The planners should be ashamed of themselves and need to back down. I travel past this site almost daily and wince every time!          |
| Kirsten Kloza      | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-21 | They are an ugly blight and should not dominate the area we all have to walk/commute past. Environmentally they are unfriendly too!   |

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| Juliet Rowland            | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-21 | these screens are a complete eyesore and dangerous as they are so distracting  |
| Cheryl Flahive            | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-22 | This is a huge distraction for drivers.  |
| James Hopkinson           | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-22 | I agree with Ogden Nash's ode<br>I think that I will never see<br>A Billboard lovely as a Tree<br>Indeed unless the billboards fall<br>I'll never see a tree at all.   |
| Mary Drysdale             | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-22 | I'm signing because I find these advertising screens intrusive in terms of size and light and inappropriate for an area on the edge of Barnes Common.  |
| Gill Allen                | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-23 | This is unattractive. There is too much street clutter in Wandsworth and advertising of this size in a residential & park area is intrusive. It is also a distraction for motorists and cyclists. I pass this regularly on my bike enroute to Richmond Park from Balham and notice that it and other similar signs are an eyesore. It takes a split second of distraction by something like this to cause an accident. Too many pedestrians & cyclists in London are increasingly being hit by vehicles. |
| Gill Allen                | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-23 | Incredibly tacky too and very un London, more like the hideous billboards seen in the US. Wandsworth Council show some class and pride.  |
| Lesley Bingham            | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-23 | They are dazzling, distracting and dangerous. I live off the A205 and often use the road. An accident is waiting to happen!  |
| Arvind Shah               | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-24 | We are blessed with beautiful common land, green spaces. The advertising boards are a blight on the natural beauty of the area.  |
| robin haddon              | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-25 | Its an unwelcome addition to the landscape and a huge distraction... get it down!  |
| John Horrocks             | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-26 | These hoardings are an eyesore. Wandsworth council has let us all down.  |
| Nigel Kidson              | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-27 | The screens are an eyesore and entirely out of keeping with the rural aspect of the ground and Barnes Common opposite  |
| anthony and jackie reeves | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-27 | we live nearby and would lie to know whats proposed etc.   |
| John Hathaway             | Birmingham, United Kingdom | 2016-01-28 | I consider the hoarding to be a dangerous distraction on a busy main road between two busy road junctions.   |
| mark christon             | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-28 | I strongly object to the visual horror of this sign, to say nothing of the or its impact on road safety on a busy road near schools.   |
| elzbieta court            | london, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-28 | The screens are a distraction to the car drivers!  |
| Gillian Evamy             | London, United Kingdom     | 2016-01-29 | These ads are far too imposing and very distracting when driving along the Upper Richmond Road. I feel very sorry for local residents, too.  |