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To whom it may concern.

We write with regard to the sale of the piece of land at the top of Park Avenue, Glapwell, known as the Ransom strip.

The Planning application 19-00583 was passed without consideration towards access for the building site, which would require crossing this land. So w ask has the decision already been made on the future of this land, we do hope not!

The planning application was also passed without consideration, to the 60 plus letters of objection towards the building site. It was passed without giving due time to the speakers against the planning application, at the planning meeting.

It was also passed with no letters of support for the application.

It seems it was a cut and dried case before it even went to the planning committee. Therefore to make amends to the village for this, we believe the land should NOT be considered for sale and kept for the use of the village as a nature reserve to protect the wildlife currently living there.

The land in question is a valuable asset to the village, the area we live in and the district around us.

The land should be protected as it is a public right of way and footpath which is regularly used, the land has mature trees providing homes for various birds, bats, insects and other wildlife, wild flowers etc.

We should be saving the trees not chopping them down.

The land is used often by local people as a refuge and calm place to go, especially at this unprecedented time when it is sensible that we are advised not to travel far.

The land is used for disabled parking when events are held on the cricket ground, several of my close relations have used the parking, over many years.

In view of all the above, we feel that our village community should be given a fair and just hearing over the sale of this land.