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TO ALL ACTIVE MEMBERS OF RVPS

AND ASSOCIATED GROUPS

WHO ARE AGAINST

THE PROPOSALS FOR BECKENHAM PLACE PARK.

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Now that Lewisham Environmental Services Committee have decided to Approve both the Golf and the Tennis proposals of David Lloyd at their meeting on 22nd.October, at least we know what we have to do.

As was announced at the meeting, the Secretary of State for the Environment had notified Lewisham that he had issued a "Holding Directive" in respect of both applications. It was explained that this meant that, should they "be minded" to consent to the schemes they would have to immediately send all of the papers to the DOE so that it could decide if there should be a Public Inquiry or whether Lewisham's decision could be allowed to stand.

Clearly this last option must be discouraged with all the emphasis at our command. I have already written, on behalf of this Society to the local Members of Parliament, to Bromley's Planning Officer asking them to request an Inquiry and, most importantly to the DOE.

Even if you have written in the past, please will you also write to the DOE asking for, or demanding, a full Public Inquiry and don't be afraid to add your own points - however colourful!

The full address to write to is:-

Department of the Environment London Regional Office Millbank Tower 21-24 Millbank London SW1P 4QU

For the attention of Mr.G. White

The Application heading is:-

Beckenham Place Park - Planning Application by Willacre Ltd.

Lewisham Planning Ref: 35410/FUL and

35392/FUL

Bromley Planning Ref:92.1759 and 92.1760

It is important that letters be sent <u>quickly</u> as the Secretary of State is required to make his decision within three weeks of the meeting.

PLEASE PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO OTHERS AND PERSUADE THEM TO WRITE AS WELL - THE MORE THE BETTER.