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Dear Neighbour,

I am sure that you must be as infuriated and frustrated by the continued appalling state of congestion and inconsiderate parking by the students of St Dominic's as we are.

I have repeatedly telephoned the Police, Harrow Council and the School to complain and to warn that a serious accident is just waiting to happen at the corner of Georgian Way and Mount Park Road/Avenue, as well as the potential disaster that could result from the inability of emergency vehicles to get down our road. In addition, the aggressive attitude displayed by the students when politely asked to move their vehicles leads me to believe that confrontation could easily lead to nasty incidents. The Students and their vehicles need to be accommodated elsewhere away from our road. Surely that responsibility is down to the School itself, an issue they have dodged for years!

After speaking to Mr. Brown, Transportation and Parking Enforcement of Harrow Council, I was put in touch with Mr. Steven Swain, Transportation Planning Department for the Council. He informed me that TEMPORARY yellow lines were replacing the present white cross-hatched lines at the corner of Georgian Way and Mount Park Avenue, whilst, wait for it, building works were in progress at the School! He stressed that these were only temporary. When I argued that we had been pressing for some permanent solution to Georgian Way's complaints for many years, he suggested a petition from all Georgian Way residents. I have therefore enclosed a form which you could complete and return to me so as to try to improve what has become a nightmare scenario in our once pleasant road.

It seems that when ordinary applications are made for developments or extensions, parking is the main or chief consideration. Yet when St Dominic's extends its facilities, inevitably bringing more students and consequently more vehicles, the Council immediately places temporary yellow lines, a restriction we have been pleading for years!

I have listed options that I think are relevant. Please feel free to make your own suggestions and let us approach this problem united to see if at last we can make some impact.

Yours sincerely



Michael and Julia Davidson



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