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Comment: I am fully supportive of the proposed redevelopment which offers the best if only opportunity to reverse the decline of Old Hatfield and in particular Salisbury Square. The Sq has become a "no go area" for most residents which is not helped by being enclosed and raised space in the centre. This view was voiced at recent meeting at the Hatfield House Riding School and received general support. The proposed new road and layout will open the Sq up and remove the intimidating atmosphere and help prevent anti social behaviour. It will also create a link to the station which will increase footfall for any businesses in the Sq post redevelopment. There will be no loss of amenity as the current space is not used for the reasons I have stated. The redevelopment will overall enhance the environment of Old Hatfield making it a much more pleasant place to live for all the community. Without this initiative Old Hatfield will only see further decline and neglect.