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I would be very concerned about any housing development that would have any impact on the Gala Policies, including roads, tree felling etc or anything that would impact on such a special place in our community. This has become a hugely import place for so many people and provides a huge range of activities and potential outdoor exploration for all ages.

Particularly during the pandemic when we were unable to go far, it was an absolute godsend, especially for older people who can't walk far and for those with young children who equally can't walk far. The fairy trail was hugely popular and clearly demonstrates how important this woodland area is for all groups in our community. It is one of the few local places where we can see a variety of birds and animals to teach our children about nature and how close we can get to it here in Galashiels.

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