



## ***Be Prepared to Repel Horkesley Park!!!***

- ***Colchester Borough Council (CBC) now has the report from its independent consultants. We do not yet know its conclusions and recommendations.***
- ***Buntings finally re-submitted their revised traffic data in February. CBC is now awaiting responses from the Highways Agency and Essex and Suffolk CC Highways departments.***
- ***CBC is under pressure to bring the Application to the Planning Committee for a decision. We think this could be within the next two months.***
- ***The hearing before the Planning Committee of the Council will probably be held in the Community Stadium or Charter Hall to allow the maximum number of observers from the public.***
- ***Both 'sides' will have the same amount of time to present their case. Each speaker will only be allowed precisely three minutes. We think that at least three groups will be allowed to speak against.***
- ***All Councillors can speak at the hearing. The Planning Committee should reach a decision on approval or rejection of the Application.***
- ***If it is Approved, it will have to go to the Regional Office of Government. If it is Rejected, that should be the end of the matter, unless Buntings decide that there are grounds for appeal.***

***We need YOU at the Council hearing to demonstrate to Councillors how strong the opposition is.***

***Watch our web site for details of date etc:***

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***Make sure we have your e-mail address by writing to:***

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***We will also send out another news letter.***

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