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The argument for the purpose of the "Parkland Reserve" or "Country Park" is misguided .
It claims to provide recreational opportunities to local people but is limiting access in order to enhance biodiversity. The objectives in such a small area are contradictory.

The "rewilding" "light touch management regime" will not enhance the existing habitat but it attempts to replace an already bio-diverse ancient natural environment with another more alien one. It gives local people nothing they don't already have in terms of access to the countryside and its enjoyment. The range and quality of biodiversity in this special area would not be improved upon using the plans submitted.

Richard