

Comment for planning application 24/00539/F

Application Number	<input type="text" value="24/00539/F"/>
Location	<input type="text" value="Land To The East Of Stratfield Brake And West Of Oxford Parkway Railway Station Oxford Road Kidlington"/>
Proposal	<input type="text" value="Erection of a stadium (Use Class F2) with flexible commercial and community facilities and uses including for conferences, exhibitions, education, and other events, club shop, public restaurant, bar, health and wellbeing facility/clinic, and gym (Use Class E/Sui Generis), hotel (Use Class C1), external concourse/fan-zone, car and cycle parking, access and highway works, utilities, public realm, landscaping and all associated and ancillary works and structures"/>
Case Officer	<input type="text" value="Laura Bell"/>
Organisation Name	
Address	
Type of Comment	<input type="text" value="Support"/>
Type	<input type="text" value="neighbour"/>
Comments	<p>Hello, My name is Jack, I'm not a resident of the county of Oxford but have strong links having been born in Kidlington.</p> <p>I have many reasons to support the move and to urge the planning to go ahead. Most of this is backed by the plans within this application and justifies that it delivers the brief as set out.</p> <p>Whilst there are many concerns raised around parking, travel and transport, road closures and pedestrian disruption to the city centre and surrounding areas, which are valid, I believe that the council could work closer with the club during construction to deliver a proper and precise plan.</p> <p>The club is at risk for its future survival. There is no hiding from that. Decisions made by previous owners and councils have led to this and that cannot be ignored but can be moved past. This is time to do right and protect the history of the club and safeguard its future. With it being the county's only professional football club it would be disastrous to see it gone.</p> <p>Personally to me this club is home. It makes me immensely proud to say I'm from Oxford and that it's THE club of the county. It's helped me to find a purpose and has bought me many highs and some lows since I started to follow them in the early 2000's going to games with my dad. My commute to the current stadium is long and unnecessary not to mention getting out from the ground. It took me 3 hours on the Lincoln game evening before I even started to drive out the complex. I would instead travel by bike and train from Warwick, off at Bicester North and cycle through Bicester and back on at Bicester Village.</p> <p>This planning cannot be delayed any longer</p>
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