Comment for planning application 24/00539/F

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Location

Land To The East Of Stratfield Brake And West Of Oxford Parkway Railway Station Oxford Road Kidlington

Proposal

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

Laura Bell

Organisation

Name

Address

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Support for Building a New Stadium: A Message from Young Supporters

I am writing to express my enthusiastic support for the construction of a new stadium for our beloved Oxford united. As a 17-year-old supporter, I firmly believe that this development will not only enhance our sporting landscape but will also bring substantial benefits to our community, particularly for people of my age and younger.

Here are several compelling reasons why building this stadium is essential for our city's future and for the younger generation:

Community Engagement and Youth Development: A new stadium will serve as a hub for community events, promoting social interaction and fostering a sense of belonging among young residents. It can become a venue for various youth programs, sports leagues, and educational initiatives, providing constructive activities for teenagers like myself.

Economic Growth and Job Opportunities: The construction of a stadium will stimulate economic growth by attracting visitors, generating revenue for local businesses, and creating job opportunities, including part-time and seasonal employment suitable for students looking to gain work experience.

Health and Well-being: Encouraging sports and recreational activities among young people is crucial for promoting a healthy lifestyle and combating issues like childhood obesity and sedentary behaviour. A modern stadium equipped with facilities for various sports will motivate more youths to engage in physical activities.

Civic Pride and Identity: Having a state-of-the-art stadium not only elevates the prestige of our city but also instills pride in our local culture and heritage. It gives young fans a sense of identity and belonging to a community that values its sports and traditions.

Future Legacy: Investing in a new stadium is an investment in our future. It leaves a lasting legacy for generations to come, creating memories and traditions that will endure through time.

I urge you to consider the long-term benefits and positive impact that a new stadium will have on our community, especially on the younger population. As someone who represents the next generation of residents and supporters, I am excited about the prospects of a new stadium and the opportunities it will bring for our city's youth.

Thank you for considering our voices and aspirations. I hope you will support this initiative for the betterment of our community.

Sincerely, Oliver

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