

# Comment for planning application 24/00539/F

**Application Number**

**Location**

**Proposal**

**Case Officer**

**Organisation Name**

**Address**

**Type of Comment**

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**Comments**

I want to reinforce the comments on the application around sustainability and address some of issues raised around parking - as someone who does not live in Oxford the new stadium will without a doubt change my mode of transport for home games. At the moment it is not feasible for me to access the Kassam Stadium via public transport so I have very little choice but to drive. At the triangle it would be cheaper, easier and quicker for me get their by train. This will be the same for many fans inside Oxford, and both home and away supporters travelling from outside of Oxford. In the football league I believe there will only be one club with a train station closer their ground, this is great for the club as it really limits the need for parking at/near the ground. I have a strong belief the sustainable benefits in the proposal are achievable.

Without the new ground the club will continue to be held back by private landlord(s) or be homeless. Either outcome could be disastrous for the county's only professional football club. The boost the new ground would give the club, its fanbase and the whole county would be immense and we really are running out of time. From allowing a better matchday experience for the current fans, inspiring a new generation of younger fans and allowing the best possible platform for the team to rise up the leagues, the benefits of this application mean so much to the people of Oxford and fans further afield.

Please support Oxford United's application to get the club back where it belongs - which is at the heart of Oxford's community.

**Received Date**

**Attachments**