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

Type of Comment

Type

Comments

Support

neighbour

I'm in support of the Stadium being built. My husband and I have supported the club for over 50 years and we are season ticket holders and go to all home and away games. The amount of friends and fans we have met along the way - from Oxford and away games. It's a lifeline and social event for 1000's of people. Young and old. The football club, staff and players spend a lot of their own time supporting a lot of local communities and charities. The stadium is out dated we will never own it and it's up to the current owners what they do with it. Do you know there isn't even hot water in the ladies toilets in the concourses. I'm sure it's the least of their worries however highlights how basic it is! The roof leeks in the concourses with buckets everywhere making it a slip hazard. There's very few bins to put rubbish in. The old ground made way for housing and a private hospital which we didn't have much say in either. A lot of it is circumstances. This facility would benefit the local economy. Not hinder it. We've got to look to the future. The stadium be utilized for much more sporting events and hospitality. Ultimately if the stadium does not go ahead Oxford United could disappear and all the past and present managers players and hero's will all be forgotten. Football is a game for everyone!

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