## Comment for planning application 24/00539/F

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

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

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**Comments** I fully support this application.

I first watched Oxford United in 1964 with my father and now go to games with my children and grand children. My children enjoyed holiday time training courses with the Club and my grand daughter has benefited from playing in her age group in the OUFC setup.

This stadium will be admired across the whole country for its overall design and its green credentials, not least due to its close proximity to Oxford Parkway Station and links to multiple Park and Ride sites.

The very survival of the Club is at stake and the tremendous and invaluable work done by Oxford United in the local Community must not be lost.

It is also important to take into account the potential upturn to the local economy, which I believe will be highly significant, not forgetting the Club's commitment to upgrading and maintaining the existing sports pitches at Stratfield Brake, which will benefit so many young people in the area.

I urge you to grant this Planning Permission, for the benefit of the local area and the County as a whole.

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