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

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Organisation

Name

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Type of Comment

Support

Type

neighbour

Comments

I wholeheartedly support OUFC's application for a new stadium.

The location is perfect when considering the future need for reducing emissions because of the proximity to the public transport network. I currently live in the OX2 postcode area, the same as the potential new stadium, but will shortly be moving to a property within the Cherwell District Council some 15 miles away. After my move to North Oxfordshire the need for a car to the potential new stadium actually decreases as buses and trains become an easier, greener cost effective option.

When considering the needs of the Oxfordshire younger generation, a modern, environmentally friendly and ethically built stadium can provide so much good to the greater Oxfordshire population and is essential. Having read this planning application Oxford United have addressed all the relevant needs. It could be argued that the club has gone beyond what is necessary to get plans passed to ensure Oxfordshire is blessed by a magnificent new environmentally built stadium that Oxfordshire can be proud of.

Beyond the bricks and mortar Oxford United brings so much to the people of Oxfordshire. The clubs unwavering support to minority groups, the less abled, grass routes women's, mens, boys and girls football throughout Oxfordshire.

This once in a lifetime opportunity cannot be overlooked.

A stadium in the right place, a stadium of the right size, built with full recognition of the environmental needs in the broadest sense with micro detail to ensure consideration of the local population.

I fully support this application.

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