

Comment for planning application 24/00539/F

Application Number	<input type="text" value="24/00539/F"/>
Location	<input type="text" value="Land To The East Of Stratfield Brake And West Of Oxford Parkway Railway Station Oxford Road Kidlington"/>
Proposal	<input type="text" value="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	<input type="text" value="Laura Bell"/>
Organisation Name	<input type="text" value=""/>
Address	<input type="text" value="19 Hatfield Road, Stratford, E15 1RA"/>
Type of Comment	<input type="text" value="Support"/>
Type	<input type="text" value="neighbour"/>
Comments	<input type="text" value="As one of the fans travelling to the games from outside the county, I fully support plans to develop a sustainable stadium with excellent public transport links. Currently reaching the stadium usually relies on cars, contributing more pollution, and near gridlock in east Oxford during busy games. As a Utd supporter for 30 years, I view the triangle proposal as an urgent need for the club, its many 1000s of fans locally, the economy & county as a whole. The Kassam stadium is an unsustainable situation for the club, forced on Oxford when previous unscrupulous ownership had run it into the ground and massive debt - meaning it had no alternative but to accept the less-than-favourable terms. But now the situation's urgency has increased as the club face homelessness in 2026 without an alternative stadium. I currently live in Stratford, East London where I see firsthand how environmentally friendly design, coupled with excellent facilities, make a proud legacy of the Olympics for local people. A new home for the club at an excellent site as proposed, with strong environmental commitments, with a strong local fan base, in Kidlington, able to access state of the art sports facilities, embedded within the community, could be not just the future for Oxford Utd, but set the benchmark for smaller football clubs around the country."/>
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