

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="Stephen Bushnell"/>
Address	<input type="text" value="1 The Gardens, Havant, Hampshire PO9 2XH"/>
Type of Comment	<input type="text" value="Support"/>
Type	<input type="text" value="neighbour"/>
Comments	<input type="text" value="Dear Cherwell Councillors,
Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the proposed OUFC stadium project. I was born in Oxford and have been a supporter for 64 years and, more latterly, a keen follower with occasional attendance at games. While not an Oxford resident, I and every fellow supporter know that OUFC urgently need a new home and we would all welcome your support for this application. Such decisions are always difficult as you are trying to balance conflicting views. However, it is evident that the club has employed significant resources in delivering a sustainable solution to all the issues tabled such as social benefits, inclusiveness and environmental impact. All OUFC staff and supporters hope that these proposals satisfy your concerns and meets with your approval. I say this not as a layman but as a qualified Mechanical and Environmental Engineer with over 35 years experience in environmental management for a UK SME and a major US corporation. Without your approval I believe OUFC will not have a viable or sustainable future or, most likely, no future at all. While I appreciate that many Oxford residents would not be concerned with this outcome, this would be a tragic loss for a significant number also. I sincerely hope that you will give your approval in due course and thank you for the opportunity to comment.
Yours sincerely,
Steve Bushnell"/>
Received Date	<input type="text" value="17/04/2024 16:45:25"/>
Attachments	