## Comment for planning application 24/00539/F

Application Number	24/00539/F
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	Richard Lock
Address	8 Gloucester Road,Newbury,Berkshire RG14 5JP
Type of Comment	Support
Туре	neighbour
Comments	Oxford United, Oxfordshire's ONLY professional sports team, could be homeless in 2026 unless this scheme goes ahead. The benefits to Kidlington and the whole county would be huge and far outweigh any traffic concerns (there are only 13 home league games per season). The vast majority of fans would be able to reach the ground by train or bus, unlike at the existing stadium. Therefore it is an ideal location. It will also bring employment and much needed facilities to the Kidlington area. Oxford United is far more than just a football club, its place in the community is irreplaceable. For example, see the amazing work done by Oxford United in The Community https://ouitc.org.
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