

Comments for Planning Application TP/ED/26/0104

Application Summary

Application Number: TP/ED/26/0104

Address: Whitegates Park Middlemuir Road Lenzie East Dunbartonshire

Proposal: Erection of a secondary school including road access, landscaping, car parking, sports pitches, recreational areas and associated development.

Case Officer: Fraser McNair

Customer Details

Comment Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

Comment: I would like to object to the construction of Lenzie Academy on Whitegates Park.

This would result in the loss of a protected green space in Kirkintilloch. The loss of this space is senseless when alternatives exist, specifically constructing the new school on the existing site as all other schools in the area have been. This park is widely used and I walk through this area several times a week. You cannot simply replace this well established nature reserve with a new park - especially a new park that will serve an entirely different community in Lenzie.

As someone who lives in [REDACTED] I am also concerned about the increase of traffic that the school will inevitably bring. The street is already difficult to navigate with the traffic funneling in to the leisure centre and it would simply not be able to cope with the additional increase in traffic from people dropping off school children who can access the old railway line from this street.