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Planning Department,
Strathkelvin Place,
Kirkintilloch, G661XQ



22 April, 2026.

Sirs,

Re: planning ref TP/ED/26?0104.

We object to the current planning application to relocate Lenzie Academy to Whitegate's Park Green.

1. Loss of amenity used by us, our children and grandchildren. Whitegates is the nearest green space to the house and is readily accessible without having to cross a main road. We are elderly and increasingly less mobile and so access to the existing green space is essential for our wellbeing and access to the community path and wildlife corridor along the Bothlin.

2. Major access problems. The existing roads are narrow and with traffic regulation changes are becoming increasingly less accessible by delivery services including those of the Council. It is already necessary to introduce further restrictions including limited drop off/collection points enforced by policing, limit size of vehicles. Consider shuttle bus from Lenzie station and/or bus terminus

3. Flooding. The proposed site is known to flood as are some of the proposed accesses to the new school through the Middlemuir estate. Major engineering works will be needed to channel the surface water as Whitegates is a raised peat bog of considerable size and depth.

4. The proposed site is brown field and heavily polluted by previous industry. The necessary landscape engineering work will disturb the peat bed and with flooding likely to pollute the Bothlin/Luggie and eventually the Kelvin and Clyde.

5. All in all, we do not believe that the proposed site, even with major re-engineering, will provide an acceptable cost/ benefit to the community.



PS Please provide a delivery signature.

