

Comments for Planning Application TP/ED/26/0104

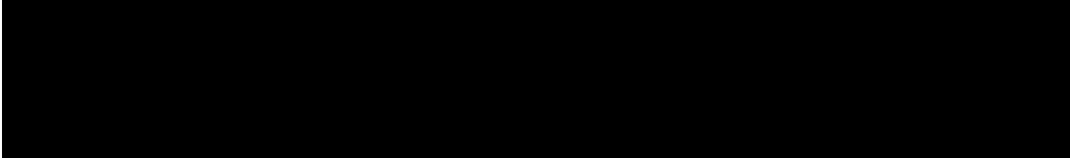
Application Summary

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



Comment Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

Comment: My son and I walk through this park 5 days a week for the past 12yrs. The loss of green space in the area, and the destruction of habitats for a lot of wildlife would be devastating for the area.

I do not think it has been properly understood the sheer amount of wildlife that will be impacted by this construction, wildlife we see on a daily basis due to living in close proximity to the site. We have seen bats, squirrels, deer, hedgehogs, countless different species of birds including the likes of woodpeckers, and birds of prey (sparrowhawks and buzzards are a common sight in the trees within the parks boundaries near our property).

How can this loss of shared green space and destruction of wildlife habitats possibly go ahead in good faith. This does not square away with the governments policies on wellbeing and protecting green spaces. We are in the midst of a mental health crisis and this proposal destroys a well used green space.

Tarmac over a local park and plonking a big school and carpark there, where people currently walk their dogs, play games, walk with family for their health, exercise is a highly inappropriate solution that will change the area significantly for the worse (loss of green space, noise pollution,

chopping down perfectly healthy and in some cases very old, trees, the list is endless).