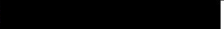


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Subject: Planning ref: APP/X5210/W/16/3153454 - Mansfield Bowling Club

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Planning ref: APP/X5210/W/16/3153454 - Mansfield Bowling Club

As a local resident I wish to register my views about the plans for the Mansfield Bowling Club site.

As I understand it, this site is designated for leisure use. This planning application is for a dense residential development and the small component of leisure use that it contains appears to have no substantive long-term legally binding protection! For both these reasons therefore, please would you reject this application.

There is plenty of demand for sports and leisure facilities in the area – my child and his friends are always complaining, and rightly so, about the lack of local facilities for a range of sports. Wouldn't that be more in keeping with a site designated for leisure use? I do not have confidence in MBC to have researched this properly because they would understandably wish to maximise their profit with a residential scheme and would therefore have a probable conflict of interest.

I expect the Local Authority to ensure that any research on local leisure needs is properly independent.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

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