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To: "planninginfo" <planninginfo@midsussex.gov.uk>
Subject: Mid Sussex DC - Online Register - Comments for Planning Application
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Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

Planning Application comments have been made. A summary of the comments is provided below.

Comments were submitted at 09/02/2025 2:51 PM.

Application Summary

Address:	Burgess Hill Town Football Club Leylands Park Football Ground Maple Drive Burgess Hill West Sussex RH15 8DL
Proposal:	Conversion of a natural grass pitch to a 3G Artificial Grass Pitch (AGP) with perimeter fencing, replacement floodlights, acoustic barrier and hardstanding areas
Case Officer:	Andrew Horrell

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Customer Details

Address: 12 Applesham Avenue HOVE

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Neighbour or general public
Stance:	Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	
Comments:	Though I do not live in Burgess Hill I have supported the team for several years now and have seen many games postponed solely because of the state of the pitch after bouts of rain. I know that the Gate income and the Bar and Clubshop takings are vital to the club. When a Saturday afternoon match is postponed to a Tuesday evening the crowd is never as large. Since the current owners took over, the club has been on an upward trend and I feel that the current grass pitch is holding the club back. Many local

clubs at similar and lower levels have already taken this route and this is bringing benefits to the local communities they support as well as meaning that matches are usually played as scheduled. I believe that the Council should support this application as being a positive step for the club and the local community.

Kind regards