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To: "Stefan Galyas" <stefan.galyas@midsussex.gov.uk>
Subject: Mid Sussex DC - Online Register - Comments for Planning Application
DM/25/1185

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 03/09/2025 1:55 PM.

Application Summary

Address:	Tennis Courts At St Francis Sports And Social Club Colwell Road Haywards Heath West Sussex RH16 4EZ
Proposal:	Temporary (36 months) permission for change of use of existing tennis courts to padel courts and associated works (Acoustic report received 21.08.2025)
Case Officer:	Stefan Galyas

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Customer Details

Address: 30 Priory Way Haywards Heath

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Neighbour or general public
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	
Comments:	I have relatives living at Southdowns Park who already suffer with non-residents speeding along the narrow roadway (which lacks pavements in some parts) and blocking residents' parking bays. Padel is a very popular new sport which will no doubt attract lots of interest, however this is NOT the place. The access road and parking facilities are wholly inadequate and will only exacerbate the existing problems of danger to pedestrians and unauthorised parking. The pay & display car park beside the bowls club, does

not appear to be well used by visitors to the swimming pool or football club, so there's no reason to believe Padel players would be any different.

Kind regards