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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 08/09/2025 10:08 AM.

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: 6 Kendall Court Southdowns Park Haywards Heath

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Neighbour or general public
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	
Comments:	Just in case my previous objection to this hadnt registered!! What a ridiculous idea to want to put something like this within a very quiet location!! Also what use was doing an acoustic noise check survey without the courts being in place!?? its noisy enough when we have to put up with the noisy footballers on the St Francis ground let alone

the slamming sound of rackets all during the day.

Theres not even enough parking for the swimming pool users as it is and they just keep parking in the visitors car park which they should not be doing so where is this additional traffic going to park!!? Why should my very high service charge which pays for the upkeep of our car parks and for my visitors be used by people using the St Francis amenities!!???

People live at Southdowns Park for its quiet location and do not want things like this or Burger vans etc etc!!!

I sincerely hope this proposed development does NOT go ahead.

Kind regards