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Re: DC/25/1312

As a long standing member of Ifield Golf Club, I strongly oppose this proposed development by Horsham District Council. Our golf course was conceived in 1927 within the Parish of Ifield in Crawley not Horsham, by the 1st Baron of Ifield Hall, Sir John Frederick Drughorn and has been used by our community on a daily basis for the last 98 years.

The golf club is a piece of Crawley's heritage laid out by notable golf course designers Messrs Taylor & Hawtree who also re-designed Royal Birkdale Golf Course in the 1920's. Fact, as the crow flies the distance from the Ifield Golf Club to HDC and CBC is 6 miles and 2 miles respectively!

Other than golf, the proposed development will also have an immense impact on the people of Crawley, it will take up vast areas of open green space and ancient woodland contributing to poor air quality, noise pollution and loss of biodiversity. It will also contribute greatly to an already saturated local population putting huge pressure on local services and infrastructure.

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