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The Planning Inspectorate

COMMENTS ON CASE (Online Version)

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Appeal Reference: APP/Z3825/W/26/3377435

DETAILS OF THE CASE

Appeal Reference	APP/Z3825/W/26/3377435
Appeal By	MR ANDY NEW SOUTHWATER GHYLL CIO
Site Address	The Ghyll Pevensey Road Southwater West Sussex RH13 9XZ

SENDER DETAILS

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ABOUT YOUR COMMENTS

In what capacity do you wish to make representations on this case?

- ☐ Appellant
- ☐ Agent
- ☑ Interested Party / Person
- ☐ Land Owner
- ☐ Rule 6 (6)

What kind of representation are you making?

- ☐ Final Comments
- ☐ Proof of Evidence
- ☐ Statement
- ☐ Statement of Common Ground
- ☑ Interested Party/Person Correspondence
- ☐ Other

YOUR COMMENTS ON THE CASE

The approval of this application would lead to the loss of a very popular publicly accessible green space to the benefit of only a few. There is nothing currently preventing football organisations holding matches on the field, and when they are not in such use the entire area can be used by everybody for all sorts of sports or as a communal meeting space. This sort of publicly accessible outdoor space is vital for communities, and especially at a time when we are encouraging people to spend more time outdoors than they do currently.

Approval will also mean an increase in traffic on the roads which means reduced safety for all, as well as inevitably leading to parking issues on the surrounding roads (the current car parks are barley adequate when football matches are being played, an issue that will be exacerbated if approval is granted).