MEMORANDUM TO PUBLIC HEALTH AND LICENSING – PLANNING CONSULTATION

Application No: DC/25/0964 Case Officer: Halima Chowdhury

Address: Henfield Sports Centre Northcroft Henfield
Proposal: Installation of DIY Dog washing facility and construction of associated protective structure

Date comments required by: 17/07/25

Details of the application can be viewed at
https://www.horsham.gov.uk/planning/planningapplications/view-and-comment-on-planning-applications

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PHLO Comments: 30/07/2025

This department have no objections to this application in principle. We do however make the following comments for consideration by the Planning Department.

- We are unaware of any water quality requirements for a dog washing unit. I understand that unit will connect to an existing system used by the leisure centre for flushing of toilets. The system converts to a mains supply when the rainwater supply is low. As the water is not of drinking water quality there should be a sign instructing that water from the unit is not drinking water and should not be consumed.
- Wastewater from the unit must be discharged into an appropriate drainage system. The applicant may require consent form the water undertaker
- Hours of use - The unit should only be used during the hours that the leisure centre operates
- A dog waste bin should be installed close to the unit

Should you wish to discuss this matter further please do not hesitate to contact me.



Paul Hobbs
Principal Environmental Health Officer