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Hi Tamara

Thanks for the consultation request.

There are no objections in principle to this application. However, I note from the application form the proposed construction of the skate park is described as "Skate Lite and Steel".
Skate light is proprietary manufactured skate park ramp material. However the proposal to use a steel support frame is a concern. Failure to isolate the skate ramps from the steel support frame has led to numerous complaints regarding impact noise at West Chiltington skatepark, particularly when adults use the skate park.

Although the site at Jubilee Field is separated from the nearest residential accommodation by the A29, it is important to note the impact noise generated from tricks and stunts by skate park users is significantly different in character to broadband noise typical of free flowing traffic.

To ensure the application is properly determined, further information should be provided regarding the components to be utilised and the method of construction of the skatepark

To reduce the risk of noise impacts the height of the ramps could be reduced but this likely to also reduce the appeal of the skatepark. An alternative approach would be to ensure the skate ramps are secured to the support frame using appropriately specified resilient fixings. This could be secured through condition subject to the provisions of the additional information sought as above. A condition requiring a management plan may also be appropriate.

Regards

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