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County Planning Department
Hampshire County Council
Economy, Transport and Environment
Elizabeth II Court West
Winchester
SO23 8UD



20th June 2014

Dear Sir/Madam

Warblington School would like to apply for a variation of condition to our current planning permission to allow adult lets during June and July.

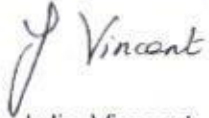
Our reasons for doing so are as follows:

- The original Management Plan and application for planning permission was based on Havant Hockey Club using the site as their home ground and to include the development of two full size Synthetic Turf Pitches and a Multi-Use Games Area, all with associated lighting.
- The current plan is a very scaled down development based on the educational demands and needs of an 11-16 school. Under the new scheme there is only floodlighting on the STP and no floodlights on the MUGA.
- The sport which is mainly played on the STP is football and not hockey, resulting in a lot less sound during the game as shoes on footballs make much less sound than balls on hockey sticks, and confined to a synthetic turf pitch close to the school and not on a pitch covering more of the field.
- As this is now a scaled down development and is not a home ground for an area hockey club playing national league, there are relatively few spectators on site, usually a few parents alongside coaches and team managers. The majority of our lets are to junior clubs. Subsequently there are fewer spectators and the transport and parking issues surrounding our lets have been minimised.

Therefore, on the above basis, it would seem reasonable to seek a variation from yourselves.

I await your consideration of the above request.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Vincent', with a stylized initial 'J'.

Julia Vincent
Headteacher

cc: Phil Leckey - Site Manager
Campbell McMurray - Chair of Governors
Ian Crabtree - Vice Chair of Governors