

Comments for Planning Application TP/ED/26/0104

Application Summary

Application Number: TP/ED/26/0104

Address: Whitegates Park Middlemuir Road Lenzie East Dunbartonshire

Proposal: Erection of a secondary school including road access, landscaping, car parking, sports pitches, recreational areas and associated development.

Case Officer: Fraser McNair

Customer Details

Comment Details

Commenter Type: Member of Public

Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

Comment: I have grown deeply concerned over the planning side of east Dunbartonshire department.

I believe the special school was knocked back a few years ago saying the site was unacceptable. No work has been carried out to make it more acceptable and in doing so now seems to be on the forefront of the new Lenzie school. Seeing a massive increase in cost and taking away a park as well as the contamination in the land not being addressed properly.

After attending the consultation at Lenzie Academy to find a run down space that hasn't just happened but has been allowed to rot for years. I do not have faith in your projects to not only keep members of the public safe but to also carry out the works in a timely and cost effective manner. The costs have ballooned with most of the councils projects and sadly even though I do not have children me and husband will see an adverse affect towards our monthly costs to pay for these projects.

It saddens me deeply that EDC openly do not listen to what people are saying and go for the pricey options while the area is unkept and rundown all over EDC. Money should be spent improving services and going for most quickly, cost effective routes.

Bus routes/transport would need to improve as currently public transport is a shambles. My neighbours children will struggle unless helped by their parents.

Also after seeing the plans for the old school it makes my utterly sad that you are taking a park away to replace with a smaller park asking for people what kind of sports they would like to see

happen on the old site. When it would make much more sense to keep the park especially with the contamination and the peat to stay there and work towards a tandem build which has been done before within EDC.