

Planning

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 19 March 2026 16:37
To: Planning
Cc: Provost
Subject: Planning Application TP/ED/26/0104 - Whitegates Park, New Secondary School

Dear Sirs

We are writing in connection to the proposed plans for a new secondary school to be built at Whitegates Park, Kirkintilloch and on behalf of my mum, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Whilst we understand the need for a new school in the local area and the need for the planning application, we have some concerns regarding the impact on traffic in the surrounding area. We acknowledge that there may well have been public consultation and meetings surrounding this however to let you understand [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] meaning that her priorities have been focussed elsewhere and she has not attended these meetings.

Having looked at the plans, we wondered whether it would be possible to meet with you on site to look at the proposed alterations at the junction between [REDACTED] in particular, [REDACTED]. We wondered whether there was a possibility of any alternative arrangements to allow more room with access, or adjusting the road configuration on the other side where the current grassed area is.

We are presuming the roads will be marked with double yellow lines, leading to a problem with on street parking when the development is finalised?

On a separate issue, the existing walkway which is noted on the plans as pedestrian access to the new school runs along the rear of my mum's property. We would like to enquire if there are any plans to screen the walkway on either side from the residential gardens along it? For many years, without the school being there, we have had issues with people dropping litter over the walls or coming through the gardens. Our fear is these incidents increase given the rise in footfall along the walkway with pupils going to and from school. We would be grateful if this could be considered in the plans to provide additional security.

Again, we are accepting of the need for change and the development of the school and hope you understand our concerns regarding access and security [REDACTED]

We look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully

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