

Comments for Planning Application 143413/FO/2025

Application Summary

Application Number: 143413/FO/2025

Address: Land Bound By Longford Road, Peveril Crescent, Rye Bank Road And Longford Park (commonly Referred To As Ryebank Fields) Manchester M21 9WW

Proposal: Change of use of former university playing fields to community woodland and meadow.

Case Officer: Robert Griffin

Customer Details

Name: Not Available

Address: Not Available

Comment Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

Comment: Dear planning committee members,

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I wish to support the above referenced planning application for the following reasons:

1. As a parent [REDACTED], I know how vital green space is for wellbeing. My son and I rely on it, yet our options are rapidly disappearing - Hough End fields are already being lost.
2. The proposal protects and enhances biodiversity, safeguarding habitats for hedgehogs, bats, badgers, and pollinators.
3. It provides inclusive, free access for walking, play, and connection to nature - benefits especially important for children and families with additional needs.
4. It creates an educational resource for schools and residents to learn about nature, heritage, and the climate crisis.
5. It boosts climate resilience by reducing flood risk, storing carbon, cooling the city, and ensuring the land is cared for by the community - preserving a green legacy for future generations.