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Sent: 25 October 2019 16:40

To: Community Asset Transfer <communityassettransfer@glasgow.gov.uk>

Subject: Cathkin Park & MUGA

Dear Sir / Madam,

I am writing to you to object to the transfer of Cathkin Park to the Jimmy Johnstone Charitable Trust.

I am a local resident who makes use of the park - for both running, and playing with my children - and understand that should the proposal go ahead that public access to the park will be lost.

I also believe their proposal makes little or no provision of continued (shared) use of the space by the local community.

It also seems very underhand as well - nobody locally has been informed about the proposal until very recently. I would have thought that Mount Florida Community Council and Holyrood School would have been ideal starting places for a consultation exercise - but MoFloCoCo was only made aware very recently - and therefore given very little time to react.

I do not want me or other (many) local residents to lose the use of the space for the benefit of a (very) few, non-local individuals - and certainly not without a more inclusive, community-wide plan.

And I feel their lack of publicity / local community engagement indicates either a lack of competence, or planned dishonesty - both of which should count against any group looking to take over a public community space.

Regards,

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