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Hello,

I would like to object to the application by Cotham School to install more floodlights in the school grounds.

1. My main objection is the noise aspect of people using the space in the evenings and the noise pollution that will be suffered by local residents particularly those of us on Cotham Park. When the space is used for sports in the evenings we find the noise very loud and the shouting and swearing while people are playing sports is excessive for us. This is particularly problematic when we are trying to enjoy our gardens or have our windows open in the warmer months.

The additional lights will only exacerbate this problem.

2. The light pollution is also an issue for local residents and wildlife.
As it is the school already contributes to light pollution in the area.

3. Visually, additional floodlights will be a blight on the local environment and one that seems unnecessary.

4. Inevitably there will be limitations on the use of the outside space belonging to the school when the land is in the centre of a city and in a high density residential area that is surrounded by houses. This is a necessity in order to balance the needs and amenity of the local residents and the needs of those who may wish to hire or use the space.

Kind regards

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