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Dear whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my strong support for the proposed café development at Worthing United Youth Football Club.

This proposal represents a valuable opportunity not only to enhance the club's facilities but also to provide a welcoming space for the wider community. A café at the site would create a much-needed hub for players, families, and visitors, encouraging greater community engagement and making match days and training sessions more enjoyable for all.

Importantly, the income generated from the café would be reinvested directly back into the club. This would help support the ongoing development of youth football, improve facilities, and maintain the grounds to a high standard. Such investment ensures that the site remains accessible, safe, and beneficial for public use, particularly for young people who rely on these spaces for sport, recreation, and social development.

Worthing United Youth Football Club plays a vital role in the local community, offering opportunities for children and young people to stay active, build teamwork skills, and develop confidence. Supporting initiatives like this café will help secure the club's long-term sustainability and allow it to continue delivering these important benefits.

I respectfully encourage the council to approve this application and support a project that clearly prioritises community value, youth development, and the improvement of local amenities. Thank you for considering my comments.

Yours faithfully,
Benjamin Kelly.