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To Tamaki - Maungakiekie Board

Firstly, Mt Wellington Rugby fully support the proposal forwarded by Mt Wellington Softball regarding Hamlin Park and we are looking forward to working closely with them into the future for the betterment of our local sporting community.

Just outlining the area in the presentation regarding a multi-sport complex Mt Wellington Rugby recently sold the buildings at Hamlin Rd where we have been for almost 60 years. We have been advised that the place will be redeveloped into residential dwellings soon.

As you may be aware we were in a joint venture with Te Papapa Rugby which ended a couple years ago. At that point we did a survey of fields in our area that would support our and our community's requirements into the foreseeable future. This study came up with Hamlin Park being the best option and a multisport facility being the best use of resources going forward. Some of the reasons were historical use, Public transport (trains and buses) a 5-minute walk and area required to expand into the future in playing areas, Proximity to local schools and walking distance for large community to be involved in the park and facilities.

Attached is a schematic drawing done some years ago of a facility option for a multi-sport complex on Hamlin Park beside the shopping precinct. This is fully on Park land.

The complex we are proposing is a scaled down version of this ambitious project from years ago which will suit the needs of all park users going into the future and leaving room for further expansion for other sporting groups to work along side us.

Regards

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