

Public Forum

D C Committee B

Tuesday 13th June 2023



Members of the Development Control Committee B

Councillors: Ani Stafford-Townsend (Chair), Chris Windows (Vice-Chair), Fabian Breckels, Andrew Brown (substitute for Sarah Classick), Lesley Alexander, Amal Ali, Lorraine Francis, Katja Hornchen, Guy Poultney



		Questions/Statements/Petitions	
Number	Request To Speak Made Where Indicated S = Speaker	Name	Application
2 (of 2)	S	Councillor Chris Jackson (omitted from original PF bundle)	22/02345/F – Inns Court, Open Space, Hartcliffe Way



Youth Centres across the country have been closing down for years. Councillors know how crucial they are for local communities, and children and young peoples' wellbeing. Filwood is one of the most deprived wards in the city and neighbours other deprived wards, so I cannot think of a better location to build a sorely needed, Youth Zone.

This Inns Court site is designated for residential development but with all the homes being built in south Bristol, the community would prefer a Youth Zone here than more homes. And I agree – a Youth Zone here would be a gamechanger for children and young people in south Bristol, both new and existing residents.

Councillors from all parties will agree how important Youth Centres are – please take the opportunity to support this one and give sorely needed youth services to south Bristol.

Councillor Chris Jackson