



## GLOUCESTERSHIRE CRICKET BOARD LTD

The County Ground, Nevil Road, Bristol BS7 9EJ

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To whom it may concern

I write on behalf of the Gloucestershire Cricket Board to confirm our “in principle” support of Cheltenham Cricket Club’s ambition to move from The Victoria Ground and develop a more appropriate site within the area.

Cheltenham Cricket Club play at the highest level of recreational cricket. In order to sustain that status, grow the club and fulfil the aims and objectives of the governing body, they clearly need a larger playing area with improved facilities. The threat of tighter rules and regulations, the need to field a 4<sup>th</sup> X1 and grow their junior section to support their seniors and their desire to further develop their new ladies sector, all support their need to move.

A larger, but still local, site with proper access and associated parking would allow Cheltenham Cricket Club to establish new indoor and much improved outdoor facilities. A modern cricket led multi-sports facility would undoubtedly be of benefit to players, local clubs, to the immediate area and Gloucestershire Cricket as a whole.

We support Cheltenham Cricket Club’s ambition to create such a resource and establish a truly sustainable club.

Yours Sincerely

Steve Silk  
Chief Executive Officer  
Gloucestershire Cricket Board