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Subject: RE: FANZONE - IBROX

Sent on behalf of [REDACTED]

Dear Councillor [REDACTED]

Thank you for your correspondence regarding the 'Fan Zone' proposal at Ibrox Football Centre. Rangers Football Club have been in discussions with Glasgow Life regarding a proposal to stage a Fan Zone on the football pitch at Ibrox Football Centre. This proposal was for an initial pilot of four fixtures.

The Ibrox Football Centre is very much a local community asset and we must take into account the views of the Community Council with regard to permission for the facility to be used in such a way. In the case of this proposal, a formal objection was raised by Ibrox and Cessnock Community Council. It is for the parties involved to find an agreeable solution and we will hopefully continue to work with Rangers to develop their proposals in a way which satisfies the Community Council.

Yours sincerely

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Dear [REDACTED]

I refer to recent media coverage regarding the above. For example:

<https://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/politics/glasgow-city-council-boss-accused-13144705>

Media coverage claims that senior councillors in the administration scuppered a bid by Rangers FC to have a trial fanzone installed near its Ibrox ground but backed the very same idea for Hampden, Scotland's national stadium.

It is also suggested that the Council [REDACTED] joined her [REDACTED] Councillor [REDACTED] and Councillor [REDACTED] in demanding Glasgow Life deny Rangers FC the use of the complex on Edmiston Drive for a proposed fanzone. Because of this Rangers FC were forced to scrap their application for a licence. It should be noted that Councillor [REDACTED] is the [REDACTED]

The above raises questions about Glasgow City Council's role in this. I understand from reading the media coverage that Glasgow Life was progressing the proposal but received political representations against it and that the licensing application for it was withdrawn from the Licensing & Regulatory Committee because of similar political pressure.

Could you look into these concerns as a matter of urgency and advise?

I look forward to your reply.

Regards

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