

## Support

Ref No.	Date Submitted	Area	City	Comment
1	20-10-2021		Swansea	This is a valuable public resource. Disposing of it to satisfy [REDACTED] is ridicule! Repurposing the land to support the local skateboard community is preferable.
2	19-10-2021	Pennard	Swansea	They have been dragging this out for months let's get it built already
3	19-10-2021		Haverfordwest	A new skatepark is needed, bringing more attraction to Swansea
6	19-10-2021	Southgate	Swansea	This project is so needed for the local community, is crying out for this to go through!!!
11	19-10-2021		Swansea	I think it's a shame the proposed skate park won't be going ahead.
12	19-10-2021	Sandfields	Swansea	I am 100% in support of this transfer of land in order to support the skatepark movement.
13	19-10-2021		swansea	<p>I support the transfer of land for use of the skatepark, it would be wonderful for young and older people to have a place to hone their skills, who knows the next Olympian skateboarder could be from Swansea as a result.</p> <p>It would be a some real positive press, would attract more visitors, and prospective students, put Swansea on the map as a city to engage in all manner or land and water sports and provide a real boost to the economy!</p>
14	19-10-2021	Caerphilly	Newport	I think the current skatepark is in definite need of a revamp as it is old and outdated. Building a more modern and up to date park, will encourage more people to visit the Swansea area thus boosting the local economy. Not only that but the chance of a new skatepark, will give local and non local skateboarders-BMX riders and rollerbladers a new up to date facility to hone there skills and become a better athlete. I personally think there is a shortage of high quality skateparks in the Uk, especially if you compare us to America or Europe where the quality of skateparks are much better than ours.
15	19-10-2021		Cardif	Built a new skate please
16	19-10-2021		swansea	get this ramp done

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17	19-10-2021	Pennard	Swansea	<p>I am writing to express support for the land to be used to create a leisure facility for a few simple and strong reasons.</p> <p>I have lived in Swansea all my life and have had the opportunity to experience Swansea's social and cultural scene as a child, teenager and an adult.</p> <p>I feel I have seen the positive change in the city geographically, socially and also a huge rise in successful businesses.</p> <p>In any great city the success comes from cultural style, Swansea and Gower have a huge surfing and skateboarding heritage which is imprinted into the local people, Cafés and businesses.</p> <p>Swansea Bay is by far a better resource for leisure than any city bays in the entire UK I can think of.</p> <p>The addition of a skatepark with truly complete it and not only bring positives to the surrounding businesses it will most importantly give the new generation a chance to become confident as individuals and ultimately shine in Swansea as adults</p>
18	19-10-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	<p>This would be such a great thing for the community and hopefully this will be the first of many proper skateboarding facilities! Swansea needs skateparks ! We lag way behind the rest of the country especially Devon and Cornwall where most towns have skateparks and we are a big city with a huge university and many thousands of Surfer/skateboarders.</p>
19	19-10-2021	newton	swansea	<p>This land has been used by many people in the area for years and has created a wide community of people who will just be devastated by this. The land disposal should not go ahead and if anything should be expanded for the young people rather than have their hobbies taken away.</p>
20	18-10-2021		Swansea	<p>A skatepark would be great for Swansea as it provides a safe and enjoyable environment for kids of any ages to go to. It also brings the community together and is a great place to make new friends. It also teaches kids how to respect each other, to share and to be persistent. Skateboarding also has huge mental and physical health benefits.</p>

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21	18-10-2021		Swansea	Please approve the planning application as the impact of building a skate park will immensely benefit all the young and older people of swansea who not only skate but also scooter and roller blade. This facility is desperately needed for the vast vast majority of well behaved decent law abiding riders
22	18-10-2021		Swansea	Hello, we need a skatepark in Swansea and especially the seafront wherein is close to everywhere and easy to get to for people who can't drive, please make it happen
23	18-10-2021		Swansea	So after years of "building a new park", Swansea city council are deciding to destroy the whole area? What's this doing for the locals.., other than removing a safe place for children, teens, and adults? Mumbles skatepark brings together all members of the community. I myself started skating in early April, getting my first board as a birthday present, and now will be returning home from uni to find another piece of my community removed. If Swansea wants to strive to be a better place, I suggest this act is stopped.
24	18-10-2021		Swansea	I can't wait to take my kids down the new park
25	18-10-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Hundred of people of all ages from mumbles and surrounding areas will benefit from the skatepark. Mumbles needs more for young people to do and a skatepark will do the perfect job.
26	18-10-2021		Cardiff	Hope Swansea gets this new skatepark it would be amazing for the community and skaters from all over to come over and check it out and have fun and keep it going!
27	18-10-2021		Swansea	Such facilities have been long needed in Swansea, with the removal of the large ramp at Morfa along with the removal of the skate box in Victoria Park there has been a serious lack in facilities for not only skaters but wheel sports as a whole.  The removal of the skate box in Victoria Park shows just how neglected the facilities are due to the reason of its removal being a health and safety hazard which further shows why these facilities are needed so badly, thank you
28	18-10-2021		Tamworth	I agree to the above proposal.

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29	18-10-2021		Llanelli	These facilities are crucial for young people to gain confidence, make friends, grow as people and to keep them out of trouble. There are so many outdoor gym facilities that no one ever uses so why not go ahead and build a fitness facility for real athletes that will be used every day. Skate parks change lives
30	18-10-2021	Killay	Swansea	Fully support the transfer of this land to make way for a much needed skatepark.
31	18-10-2021	Nelson	Treharris	I think the skatepark would be very good for the community and give the youth something constructive to do.
32	18-10-2021		Cardiff	I think it's a great time to be building more skateparks, and the Mumbles could definitely benefit from it.
34	18-10-2021		Swansea	I fully support the land transfer, and the use of the land as a skate park.
36	18-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I ask that the land transfer takes place and the skate park is built. There are many young people who would love to use this park. Myself included! It gives people in Swansea a chance to take up a new skill and enables them another fun activity to do so it's really important for the community.
40	18-10-2021		Cardiff	The new skatepark will give locals a good skatepark to improve skills and enjoy the outdoors. Skateboarding is important for peoples mental well-being. The skateparks in swansea are not suitable for function so this space in mumbles needs to be developed
41	18-10-2021		Caerphilly	These plans are important. Having access to maintained community facilities is vital for young people and skaters in the area and from further afield. I travel to the area to skate the pathway at the Mumbles seafront and it would be an amazing addition to have a skatepark in the planned location. People treasure these facilities and they provide a meaningful and positive space that people can enjoy, undertaking exercise and being part of a community where all are welcomed. The objections to these plans are not based in logic, but by [REDACTED] motivations - the exact opposite ethos of skating.
42	18-10-2021		carmarthen	This type of skatepark is recreational environment made for skateboarding, BMX, scooter, wheelchair, and aggressive inline skating. It is designated and equipped for youngsters and adults of all abilities which will benefit a lot from its presence being built in a healthy motivated environment which will be used on a daily basis. Mumbles area is the perfect and pleasant place for it to be located on the prom/beach in which it should be located.

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43	18-10-2021		Bristol	<p>Hello!</p> <p>Yes to a better bigger skatepark. We are close to wales and like to do a tour of wales and skateparks in the summer time from our home in Somerset.</p> <p>Would love to see the local community benefit from a better skatepark.</p> <p>It's key for councils to work with youth organisations and also make the spaces for older people (like myself in the over 30s bracket) and also young young children. This helps to provide family community vibes and roll models and cuts down on teenage anti social behaviour within wheeled spaces. Gone are the days where skateparks where built and left to rot by councils and become a breeding ground for drugs and mis use. With the right people, these spaces will thrive as a hub for everyone.</p>
44	18-10-2021	St thomas	Swansea	<p>Skate parks are great places for young people to develop life skills they will carry with them for the rest of their lives. They are essential places for communities as it gives young people a place to go and focus all of their energy into something positive rather than hanging out in town or on Wind Street getting drunk and causing trouble. If the council really cared about its young people ramps skatepark would be open already and this would of been built by now.</p>
45	18-10-2021		Cardiff	<p>The skate park need to be built. Get on with it stop messing about. How many more generations are missing out because or this farce of a wait.</p>
46	18-10-2021		Swansea	<p>This must go ahead.</p>
47	18-10-2021	Townhill	Swansea	<p>I fully support the transfer of land for use of the skatepark</p>
48	18-10-2021	Whitnash	Leamington Spa	<p><b>[REDACTED]</b> shouldn't be pulling the ladder up and denying young people a place to practice a healthy and positive activity. Their issues with noise are unfounded on concrete skateparks - the material by it's very nature absorbs noise from skateboard wheels and is by far the quieter option. A modern skatepark is no noisier than an average playpark: I wonder whether these millionaires would stand in the way of play parks, football pitches or any other leisure facility?</p>
49	18-10-2021		kimbolton	<p>Let them build their park!!!</p>

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50	18-10-2021		Seven Sisters, Neath	<p>This land should be used for the benefit of skateboarders and not for the whims of a few [REDACTED]</p> <p>A skateboarding park, will be used by people from all around boosting the local economy. With the closure of many public services especially for the young, and the incidents in Swansea (mayhill) earlier this year. Swansea council has a real opportunity to show commitment to the youth of Swansea and surrounding by allowing the skatepark to go ahead. It will provide, exercise, health and wellbeing benefits including mental health to thousands of people. It is absolutely vital that more is done, but this is a great start and development.</p>
51	18-10-2021		Cardiff	<p>Build the damn skatepark. Surely future generations are more important than [REDACTED] who chose to live near an existing skatepark. Any smart businessman would encourage the skatepark to be built and then open a shop or cafe nearby which would garner a lot of business from both locals using the park as well tourists travelling in to use the facilities.</p>
52	18-10-2021		Cheltenham	<p>It'd be great for the community</p>
53	18-10-2021		Swansea	<p>The improvement of the skate park will be a fantastic boost to the sights and sounds of the Mumbles front. Young people need a safe place to practice their skills, to socialise and to gain confidence. A wonderful idea all round.</p>
54	18-10-2021		Swansea	<p>It's time for this skate park to get the much needed revamp it needs !!!</p>
55	18-10-2021		London	<p>I do agree with the transfer of land in order to build the skate park</p>
56	18-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>The council should be ashamed of uprooting the skate project at the request [REDACTED] the true community and spirit of mumbles. Nonetheless, the skate park should absolutely be built.</p>
57	18-10-2021		Bristol	<p>I support the application for the land to be used as a skatepark. Thus would be a positive asset for residents and attract visitors. Skateboarding is a positive and healthy activity for people of all ages and should be supported by the authority. This is an ideal location.</p>
58	18-10-2021		Swansea	<p>The skatepark is a great idea and should be built ASAP</p>

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59	18-10-2021		SWANSEA	<p>Please note my strong approval for the Mumbles Skatepark.</p> <p>It's clear that Mumbles, and Swansea have a very long standing and thriving boarding culture, whether it's skateboards, surfboards, or SUPs. There are significant mental and physical health benefits to skateboarding culture. The 2021 Tokyo Olympics showed that this is a legitimate, global sport, with a huge following.</p> <p>Swansea and Mumbles would be leading the charge in Wales, by recognising that sport is not just for a team led environment (football, rugby, etc) but is truly open to all.</p> <p>The boarders who use the park will all approach it using the existing active travel pathways, there will be no need for a parking facility, nor will there be any additional congestion caused by this great, community based, groundbreaking initiative.</p>
60	18-10-2021		Wokingham	This is just madness that people are opposed to improving sporting facilities. These parks do wonders for the community. Much more than a big house does.
61	18-10-2021		Swansea	As a resident of Swansea and mum to two young children I am fully in support of the expansion of the skatepark. Providing a space for kids to be outside, have fun, exercise and practice their sport will have a multitude of benefits. I welcome any space that encourages young people to get outside and be fit and active.
62	18-10-2021		Llanelli	I believe a new skatepark will be the best use of this area.
63	18-10-2021		Southend	Build the park, if they don't like they can [REDACTED]
64	18-10-2021		Maidstone	Build back better, for the many not the few. Build us a skatepark its the right thing to do
65	18-10-2021		Barry	This project needs to happen, not only does Swansea lack in public skateparks but you have a Swansea born Olympic athlete. Proving that the services provided have use, give something for the younger generation to learn with.
66	18-10-2021		Reading	Continue to provide skate parks and safe areas for children and adults alike
67	18-10-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	Of course it should go ahead
68	18-10-2021		Guildford	skateparks are good

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69	18-10-2021		Highbridge	Build this park!!!!
70	18-10-2021		Nottingham	This is an important amenity for young people locally.
71	18-10-2021	Waunarlwydd	Swansea	People with money to remember where they come from there roots as Nelson Mandela said if u want People to change u must change yourself
74	17-10-2021		Swansea	<p>I fully support the land transfer to the Mumbles Skatepark Project. It is a much needed space and development, as the standard of skate parks in Swansea are frankly inadequate and in some areas - dangerous.</p> <p>Other parts of the country have similar areas to what is being proposed, and for the most part have been welcomed by their community. I currently have to travel many miles for my children to skate in a safe purpose built area.</p> <p>To have something like this in Swansea would be fantastic and certainly long overdue!</p>
75	17-10-2021		Swansea	Please let us have our skatepark by the sea, it's a dream come true 🙏
76	17-10-2021	Blackpill	Swansea	I am writing to you in hope that you consider this land being passed over to mumbles council as originally planned to do so. Everything is ready and planned to have a skatepark in this location which I think would put Swansea on the map. It may seem like a small thing to do but honestly it would breed professional skateboarders out of our city and as someone who skates I have noticed ever since sky brown winning that gold medal at the Olympics there have been many young people taking an interest in the sport. So, in conclusion this would be a amazing oppertunity for the younger generation and even the olders so please consider this message.
77	17-10-2021		Plymouth	Should be encouraging more people to skate and exercise
78	17-10-2021		Gerrards Cross	Please get this project done. Sports facilities are so important to public health and wheeled sports parks are accessible to all and a very positive community resource.
79	17-10-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I fully support the land transfer. A skatepark would provide the youth of today with an area to take part in multiple healthy outdoor activities that they so desperately need to be engaging in.
80	17-10-2021		Bridgend	This transfer will be be a huge benefit to the community



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81	17-10-2021		Swansea	A big outdoor skatepark would change alot of beginner skateboarder's, BMX rider's, inline skater's live's during the summer by the Swansea bay area as it's starting to get really popular by skateboarding and BMX in Tokyo Olympics, and there is alot of big and cool skatepark's around Wales and England aswell, we hope to get this skatepark build done,
82	17-10-2021		Bideford	Skateboarding is now in the Olympics. It's a great sport and the current location, from my understanding, is a good location for the children/adults of Swansea. It helped me in my teen years to place energies into something positive!
83	17-10-2021	Herts	Kimpton	This skate park should definitely go ahead. Would without doubt be a positive asset to the area.
84	17-10-2021		Barnstaple	Keep and build the new planned skatepark!
85	17-10-2021		Caerphilly	A proper, outdoor skatepark is long overdue in Swansea. Everyone will benefit, it will boost health and wellbeing, promote communities to get together and be fantastic asset for local people.
86	17-10-2021	Tycroes	Ammanford	This land transfer will enable the city of Swansea to provide a skatepark facility that it's residents deserve and should expect with the numerous benefits that these Olympic sports can bring to the community.
87	17-10-2021		Neath port talbot	Lets get this skatepark built
88	17-10-2021	Uplands	Swansea	I support the land transfer and the redevelopment of Mumbles Skatepark.  The skate community is a valued and safe space for children and adults. Not only doe it give people commitment and fitness skills, but it keeps kids off the street and out of trouble.
91	16-10-2021		London	I'd like to register my support for the skate park on the mumbles road. I firmly believe it would be very good for the community.

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92	16-10-2021		Swansea	I fully support this land transfer so Swansea can have the skate park it desperately needs. It will be an excellent asset for the health and well-being of young people in our city. If this does not go ahead Swansea will be falling behind other cities in terms of providing free, accessible facilities which will benefit all. This a perfect opportunity for Swansea City council to demonstrate their commitment to the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015.
93	15-10-2021	Westcross	Swansea	This is a much needed facility, it is really basic at this time and requires redevelopment to an acceptable standard that will encompass all needs.
94	15-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Sooner this transfer happens, the sooner our area can get a fantastic facility which is long overdue.
95	15-10-2021		Swansea	I fully support the disposal of this land in order to develop the skate park. This is an excellent opportunity to further develop the city's sport and leisure facilities and will benefit people of all ages, particularly young people.
97	14-10-2021	Penllergaer	Swansea	Dear Swansea Council,  This is excellent news the skatepark is desperately needed in Swansea for the children (and adults) and we currently have zero facilities of this kind of quality. Keep up the great work, thanks,
98	14-10-2021		Swansea	Looking forward to seeing the skate park being build. Hopefully it will be built soon, before my children grow up. An amazing opportunity for all (not only) local kids.
102	14-10-2021		Swansea	This will be a fantastic outdoor covid safe facility for our children.

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104	14-10-2021		Swansea	<p>To whom it may concern</p> <p>I fully support the disposal of this parcel of land for the intended purpose of creating a much imported outdoor recreational facility for all ages to enjoy.</p> <p>The new facility will improve health and well-being, boost local economy and has great public transport links from the city centre, alongside the prom as an active travel route.</p> <p>The skate and scooter community of Swansea deserve an upgrade, and this is the perfect spot.</p>
105	13-10-2021		SWANSEA	I totally support the transfer of land in order that the new skatepark can be built.
106	13-10-2021		Swansea	I fully support this and believe it will be a step forward for the community
107	13-10-2021		Swansea	I would like to voice my support for the land transfer and skatepark redevelopment, it will be a brilliant resource for the community.
108	13-10-2021		Swansea	Please don't mess it up this time. I'm getting old and want to skate in my home city while I still can. So far the only people who have benefited are the lawyers and officials can we stop wasting public money and get it right. A 4 year process is embarrassing and will make voters question your ability to deliver. Sort it out
109	13-10-2021	Cwmafan	Port Talbot	I think it's great the kids will get a modernised area. This is the C21st, upgrade the area
110	13-10-2021		Swansea	I fully support the transfer and think the new skatepark will be a welcome addition to Swansea.
111	13-10-2021	Uplands	Swansea	I support this proposal which will be good for the community.
112	12-10-2021	Langland	Swansea	<p>I'm in full support of the open space disposal (reference number DGC-00256407/SAE) of the West Cross Skate Park to Mumbles Community Council.</p> <p>This will allow the proper development of the site to provide much needed outdoor entertainment for the youth of the community.</p>
114	11-10-2021		Swansea	It has never been a problem

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118	10-10-2021		Swansea	I'm registering my support for the mumbles skate park and mumbles community council, it is long overdue and so needed by the young people of Mumbles and Swansea.
119	09-10-2021		Swansea	Totally in support of new skatepark, Swansea skate facility's are terrible compared to other towns and cities in the uk. Swansea's youths deserve opportunities like youths in other towns and cities
120	09-10-2021		Aberystwyth	Stop dragging heels, get rolling wheels
121	08-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Yes I agree with the proposal and think the skatepark improvement is a great idea and fully support it
122	08-10-2021		Port Talbot	This is much needed space.
123	07-10-2021		Swansea	Save the skate park!!!
124	07-10-2021		Swansea	Agree to move
125	07-10-2021		Swansea	Great opportunity for all those enthused with wheel sports
126	07-10-2021		chester	Mumbles is long due an upgraded skatepark
127	06-10-2021		Loverpool	Skateparks benifit the community and it would be devastating to loose this space.
128	06-10-2021	Swansea	Swansea	I support the planned disposal
129	06-10-2021		Port Talbot	Signing this FOR the proposed building of the new skate park. A new park would be greatly beneficial to the local area. Skateboarding is an excellent sport for both young and older people to engage in and brings the community together. The current park is dated, but is set in the perfect location for a revamped version and will be extremely appreciated both by the locals and also to attract tourism.
130	06-10-2021	Townhill	Swansea	I fully support this land transfer to Mumbles Community Council. It should be in the hands of the local community to provide an upgraded skatepark for the people of Swansea young and old to skate.
131	06-10-2021		Swansea	New skate park please
132	06-10-2021		BRISTOL	ABSOLUTELY AMAZING. GREAT TO SEE SUCH POSITIVE THINGS HAPPENING WITH THIS SPACE.
133	06-10-2021		Swansea	Jus let it happen
134	06-10-2021	St Thomas	Swansea	This space definitely needs to be a skate park, the city has needed one for an age.

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135	06-10-2021		Swansea	The space exists, it isn't being utilised and a skatepark would be the perfect way to use the area. At the moment it's virtually a wasteland and an eyesore. Skateparks provide safe spaces for outdoor activities and prevent people from needing to use private property for skating.
136	06-10-2021	Kittle	Swansea	For West Cross Skate Park
137	06-10-2021	Tregof village	Swansea	This is an absolute fantastic idea to rejuvenate the existing skate park. After watching the huge success of this year's skateboarding at the Olympics, this hobby has become a huge hit with young children, teens, and adults. Bring on the new skate park! It would also be welcomed to upgrade the existing skate ramp in ynystawe park too and make that a bigger and better area for skate board enthusiasts
138	06-10-2021		Neath	Please keep this area for a new skatepark.  It's a perfect location for All and had great access.  It's also in a location where it won't be abused as there is people watching 24/7  The pump track & skatepark in goresigenon is ruined due to its location, it's always quiet when I go there of full of people smoking, dealing drugs or on out bikes due to it being out of the public eye.  Please keep this and make the sport more accessible!
139	06-10-2021		SwNsea	I am supporting the skate park
140	06-10-2021		Swansea	Build the new skatepark
141	06-10-2021	Morrison	Swansea	This skatepark really needs to go ahead. My 13 year old loves skateboarding and there is no where outdoor in Swansea for him to go. We 100% need this for swansea.
143	06-10-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I whole heartedly SUPPORT the mumbles skate park and wish that everything that can be done to make this happen as quickly as possible is done by the council to provide this valuable community asset for young people

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145	05-10-2021	Cockett	Swansea	Waiting over a year for a skate park to be built is incredibly ridiculous. After all of the abuse the users of the skate park have received in the recent months, the new renovation to finally begin will enlighten and bring some joy and enthusiasm to the local skaters of Swansea.
146	05-10-2021		Swansea	This is something Swansea has needed for years... I perfect spot to take your kids or just to hang out and skate... yes yes yes
147	05-10-2021		Swansea	My family and little sister live locally in west cross and I fully support the skate ramp revamp to enrich the children's opportunities to bring more love and life to the area
148	05-10-2021	Cockett	Swansea	This skatepark is much needed. The thousands of kids, young adults, and adults a facility such as this will benefit makes it a no brainer in my opinion. I have been a skateboarder for over four decades and consider it to be one of the most positive things in my life; as it has tied together fitness, friendship, personal growth, community involvement etc.
149	05-10-2021		Swansea	This is fantastic. Get the facilities there so the skaters, bikers and everyone else who required it have somewhere to go other than a outdated ramp!
150	05-10-2021		Cardiff	Keep the skatepark
151	05-10-2021		Swansea	Considering the lack of resources available to engage people in a healthy and constructive way, enhancement of these facilities for "wheeled sports" would be a huge benefit to the city.
152	05-10-2021		Swansea	We need the skatepark to built for the community, for the kids, for the adults to allow their kids the time to socialise and exercise! Skateparks are great ways to make friends! Also We could end up with an Welsh Olympic skater!!! We need to put Wales on the map with more sports facilities starting with the skatepark!!!

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153	05-10-2021		Swansea	I lived in mumbles for 8yrs and in Swansea all my life; a skate park will be the best thing to happen in Swansea for a while. Being a girl from Clase originally, I know skateboarding saved a lot of my friends back in the day, it could help a lot of kids today who slip through those cracks of life. It isn't just a sport in the Olympics that we could train champion for, in this park, but it could save a kids life, I know of plenty who can testify that. Please let this go ahead and don't let the notion of asthetic spoil the process, the original landscape has been destroy by that [REDACTED]. If [REDACTED] then a skatepark to produce champion for the Olympic should be allowed.
154	05-10-2021	Newton	Swansea	This is an important project and I give my support to this transfer going ahead. There are less and less outdoor active spaces for our children and this skatepark will provide a healthy environment and space for the community. Swansea and Mumbles has a long skateboarding history, with a large skate and surf community and this should inject further life into it. We have seen the success of skateboarding as a mainstream Olympic sport and this will also provide an environment for the progression of our next generation of budding athletes.
155	05-10-2021	Pennard	Swansea	I'm in full support of the disposal of the land and development of this area for wheeled sports. Our communities need this for our children's physical and mental health.
156	05-10-2021		Swansea	Please approve this skate park
157	05-10-2021	Westcross	Swansea	Swansea needs this skatepark to stop youth falling into drugs and crime!! I have been riding bmx since I was a teenager and the life lessons I have learned are substantial
158	04-10-2021		Merthyr Tydfil	MAKE THE SKATEPARK HAPPEN!!!
159	04-10-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I fully support mumbles community council / skatepark association taking on the land to enable the skatepark to be developed. This is a great idea for the health and well-being of our future generations.
160	04-10-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	I want to get this skatepark built so I can go skate with my family and friends down mumbles and teach my daughter to skate there too . I'm a keen skateboarder and surfer and think this will benefit the community greatly and I fully support the building of the skatepark. Thank you

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161	04-10-2021		Swansea	I thoroughly support expanding the provision of the wheeled sports facilities described above. Skateparks are essential infrastructure for modern cities and local communities. They also go a long way to reducing anti-social behaviour and providing a safe space for young people. Current Swansea skatepark facilities are a disgrace to the city and urgently need to be upgraded.
162	04-10-2021		Neath	Great place for young people to socialise safely. Learn or participate in new hobbies that are also keeping them active.
163	04-10-2021		Pennard, Swansea	We need this Skatepark! It's got all the benefits of an open air community centre for all ages to enjoy, including pensioners like me who get to enjoy the skills of our wonderful young people (future olympians! ) . A real asset for the local area and something for Swansea to boast about.
164	04-10-2021		Swansea	My names [REDACTED], I am an avid skateboarder from Swansea.  This is up there with one of the most needed facilities in swansea. It's a joke how Wales' second city doesn't have a half decent outdoor skatepark. I personally think the council are so behind with the times. Skating is a huge upcoming sport with its debut in the olympics this year, and Swansea doesn't have anywhere for kids to be able to learn and enjoy the sport.  THIS PROJECT WILL BE USED BY ME, MY FRIENDS, AND THE YOUNGER GENERATIONS FOR MANY YEARS!  ITS NOT GOING TO BE A WASTE!!
165	04-10-2021		Swansea	I can't stress how important this will be to allow the skatepark to be built and let people exercise and have fun in a great area and how thankful the community will be
166	04-10-2021		Swansea	Build the skatepark please
167	04-10-2021	Sandfields	Port Talbot	We need this to happen, I ride BMX and can't always afford to pay to ride indoor parks, think about the young up and coming children that can't afford it, and in the summer it's perfect for node Ride, Skate, Scoot, blade down the beach in the sun, not just local people will want to ride here we may have people travel



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168	04-10-2021		Britton Ferry	swansea has needed a skatepark for many years, now is the time
169	04-10-2021		London	In strong support of the skatepark that Swansea deserves
170	04-10-2021		Swansea	I give my full support to the disposal of this site for the continued use and improvement of the wheeled sports facilities. It will provide a state of the art outdoor sport facility that will enable locals and people from outside the city to enjoy our beautiful seafront whilst taking part in what are now Olympic sports. It will also be acting to rejuvenate the area which has shown to be excellent for this purpose for the last decade and more. This could also be a great opportunity to capitalise on the recent positive publicity of of the Olympic games, with athletes such as Sky Brown acting to inspire young girls and boys to take up skateboarding. I am pleased that these sports are finally being taken seriously by the council and I hope that everything possible is done to ensure this project is successfully completed.
171	04-10-2021		Swansea	BUILD THE SKate park already
172	04-10-2021	West Cross	Swansea	<p>Hello there,</p> <p>As someone who used to skate, and now is much too old and fat, I would just like to wholeheartedly through my support behind the new park.</p> <p>The existing half pipe is rusted and no longer fit for purpose, and so a more modern concrete park would not only look better, but would probably be safer and much more aesthetically appealing.</p> <p>Not only that, but some of the 'complaints' raised about the lack of toilet facilities etc are spurious. I can't think of a single outdoor skatepark in the world that has them.</p> <p>Frankly, the only reason not to approve this would be deliberately misunderstood entitled NIMBYism.</p> <p>All the best.</p>
174	04-10-2021		Llanelli	We need this skatepark!

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175	03-10-2021	Clydach	Swansea	I fully support the proposed development of West Cross Skate Park. The City has needed a development like this for some time. In a "PlayStation Generation" era, where childhood obesity has soared; my son, like thousands of other young people across our city will benefit from the new Skate Park. Well done Swansea Council for doing the right thing!
176	03-10-2021		Swansea	We need attractions. A skate park will bring people for miles
177	03-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	There is currently a lack of wheeled sports facilities in the area. An upgrade to the current skate park would be very beneficial to a wide verity of age categories within the area. In Bournemouth for example there are ample skate facilities.
178	03-10-2021		Swansea	We need this
179	03-10-2021		Swansea	For over 20 years now Swansea skaters have been skating Blackpill ramp and it's getting old and seems to be on its last legs, we need new facilities. We have a whole community of people backing this project to be approved yet still there's been no progress, it's a shame that children living in Swansea can't grow up with a brilliant skatepark where they can make friends and find activities or hobbies that could last them a lifetime.
180	03-10-2021		Swansea	I think the skate park should go ahead. Been delayed too long
181	03-10-2021		Swansea	Fully support the planned disposal of the land to MCC for the purpose of expanding the skate site. My daughter is an avid skater and the pursuit of a healthy, collegiate activity by young people should be encouraged with proper facilitates such as this.  Objections around noise and parking are misguided at best and disingenuous at worst. The traffic noise alone would easily drown out any noise from the skate park. Similarly, as is evident by current usage, the majority of the park's users are young people who are unable ti drive and make their own way to the park either on foot or public transport.
182	03-10-2021		Swansea	I fully support this plan as it provide a valuable resource for the skating community young and old in Swansea and be an added attraction to Swansea Bay
183	03-10-2021		Swansea	I think this would be a huge asset to the area. The one in Cardiff is amazing. Mumbles needs facilities for all ages and for fitness and encouraging outdoor activities. It is much needed.

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184	03-10-2021	Sketty	Swansea	Would love for this to go ahead
185	03-10-2021		Swansea	<p>I support the skatepark being built as a positive space for the community. As we saw in the Tokyo olympics, skateboarding has become a globally recognised sport and something that brings together kids from all backgrounds and cultures together.</p> <p>I find it heartbreaking and saddening that anyone would be opposed to such an amazing opportunity.</p>
186	03-10-2021	Penclawdd	Swansea	Please grant permission for the skate park for our children and the community to have an opportunity to learn and enjoy.
187	03-10-2021		Bridgend	We should be building more skateparks not getting rid of them!
188	03-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I am FOR the proposed disposal of open space and 100% behind the long awaited skatepark for our community. Let's get it built!
189	03-10-2021		Swansea	Brilliant this can't come soon enough
190	03-10-2021		Swansea	This is a great spot for the project and a great opportunity for the entire city and surrounding areas.

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191	03-10-2021		Swansea	<p>It is so frustrating that such important facilities are being delayed through what I can only assume is red tape.</p> <p>We (or should I say Welsh policy makers) are so far behind Europe and many other parts of the world in recognising the social value in providing high quality facilities for unstructured, social, inclusive facilities (skate parks, all wheel parks, pumptracks, adventure play, water parks etc etc).</p> <p>The opportunities that social interaction in a positive environment can open up for people is well recognised on things like golf courses etc but I think they are well overlooked when it comes to the combined sports associated with all wheel/skate parks etc.</p> <p>The more prominent and relevant the location, the more the facility can provide and the benefits of natural surveillance and interaction between some youth and socially responsible adults should also not be underestimated.</p> <p>This facility in Swansea I hope, once realised will provide the catalyst within the South Wales area to encourage and further promote the very wide benefits that are already well noted and well respected in other parts of the world.</p> <p>We owe it to our children and grandchildren to be positive and progressive. Trust in those who already have adopted such an attitude and who are already reaping the rewards!</p>
192	03-10-2021		Swansea	It's a beautiful location for all to come and enjoy .
193	03-10-2021	St Helen's	Swansea	<p>Something good must happen in Swansea</p> <p>Let's start with something for the current youth of today and for the youth of tomorrow</p> <p>By building this skate ramp is a step in the right direction for showing you care about Swansea youngsters and the people who will use this piece of equipment</p> <p>Don't delay the build anymore</p>
194	03-10-2021		London	Come on with it...winters coming...I promised the wife a Langland visit and didn't mention the skatepark...but if it was there...past glories!
195	03-10-2021		Swansea	A marvelous addition to the area, we need more attractions down this area

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196	02-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Worked in tourism and health, and can not see any reason why we shouldn't build the skatepark as soon as possible.
198	02-10-2021	Killay	Swansea	Absolutely in support of this, the skatepark needs to be redeveloped into a bigger and better facility for the young people of Swansea.
199	01-10-2021	St. John's	Worcester	I am female and aged 14. I believe the skatepark is a genius idea. I often visit (once a month) and I have only ever seen the skatepark at the moment in a good light. I think it's a space where children and adults of all backgrounds, ages and genders can meet and interact in a safe environment. Therefore if the larger skatepark were to be built, this would create an even bigger environment for this to happen in. At the moment, in Mumbles, there are very few areas for interaction and children to have fun and I believe this needs to be changed. The skatepark will do this for Mumbles and will make it a better place for not only locals but also tourists looking to visit. The skatepark also creates opportunities for children to try a new hobby in a safe and relaxed way. Overall, the skatepark needs to be built as there are only positives.
200	01-10-2021		Swansea	I highly approve of the application to build a skate park at this site, it will be an asset to our seafront city, putting Swansea firmly on the map for the skate scene in the UK.
201	01-10-2021		Swansea	I fully support the creation of a skatepark on this site. I would love this facility to be created for all the current skaters, but also the next generation of Olympic stars.
202	01-10-2021	Newton	swansea	I fully support the proposed redevelopment of the skate park on mumbles road! I think it will be a vibrant and constructive part of mumbles life giving a place both young and old to enjoy the promenade.
203	01-10-2021		Swansea	I support the transfer of this land
204	01-10-2021		Swansea	I fully support this decision and hope that due process can be followed to ensure this excellent proposal finally gains approval and the development, which has majority support is delivered. Swansea is developing as a fantastic destination and for visitors and local people alike, this is superb, linked with leisure tourism and health and well being. It captures the essence of the 7 goals of the Future Generations Act, not least health, culture and resilience. Diolch yn fawr pawb.

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205	01-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I strongly object to more public money being wasted and the delay of the skatepark going ahead at the initial proposed and existing site of West Cross. It has been there for over 20 years to my knowledge and all the people who use it are extremely happy about having it there as are over 95 percent of the locals I know and speak to. As far as I know only a very small percent of the local residents will top layer representation have complained which has resulted in the delay of the project going ahead and further costs being incurred by the public purse when the Council were happy to go ahead and build it where the vast majority of locals and people who use it wanted it built. This was made massively obvious by the whole [REDACTED] campaign and overwhelming public support for the skaters and their cause [REDACTED]. Please now end this saga before any more public money and time is wasted on it and crack on with building a long overdue Skate park for the youth and older people to use at the longstanding existing West Cross Site. Many thanks.
206	01-10-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	I feel the expansion & upgrade of the existing skatepark is a wonderful idea & give it my full support . It gives skaters young & old a much needed outdoor facility & can only add and contribute to the local economy. Swansea has always had a vibrant skating community & a new park will help that to thrive.
207	01-10-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I think this is an excellent development and encourages outdoor recreation, which is good for the physical and mental health of our community. I don't see any need for a carpark as it is accessible by walking, skating, cycling or bus route, and these modes of transport are more eco-friendly in any case.
208	01-10-2021		Swansea	So needed
209	01-10-2021		Swansea	Wheeled sports facilities will be a massive bonus to the Mumbles area. Think of the extra income, appreciation and talent that will be produced as an outcome!
210	01-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I support the disposal of land for the creation of a multi use skate park. I hope that the provision of toilet facilities will be included in the redevelopment as well as parking for those wishing to use this exciting new facility as I believe it will appeal to more than just local children and teens as is the case with the half pipe currently in place. I hope this is done in consultation with Safer Swansea to “design out crime and ASB” that can occur from ill designed facilities.

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211	01-10-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I wish to support this application as it will be a huge benefit to the young people of Swansea and bring a much needed facility to the city
212	01-10-2021	Mount Pleasant	Swansea	<p>Swansea has a dearth of outdoor skateboarding facilities. It has been this way since I was a child a decade and a half ago. The only other place in the city is Victoria Park, where the most central obstacle has been removed totally. Skateboarders are left only with areas where it has been made abundantly clear by the council that they are not permitted to skateboard, where skateboarders are made unwelcome.</p> <p>This is a chance for Swansea to support our skateboarders in a mutually beneficial way. Skateboarding is an Olympic sport with a flourishing, inviting and friendly community. People of all ages skateboard and all are welcomed and encouraged. The mental-health benefits are especially important since the pandemic started.</p> <p>Please allow the transfer to go through. What a gift it would have been for myself as a child. I wish the same for others.</p>
213	01-10-2021		Swansea	Our young people desperately need this facility. Thank you
214	01-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Should go ahead. Area needs development and children this.
215	30-09-2021		swansea	this skatepark is a necessity for the young people of the community
216	30-09-2021		Swansea	This is a fantastic opportunity for the Swansea West Community to deliver a facility that encourages active healthy lifestyle for all ages. It's the perfect location with great access that reduces the need for car travel with it being accessible via the promenade and the nearby cycle routes. I thoroughly look forward to this being completed for the whole community to enjoy!
217	30-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Fantastic news that there is progress on the long awaited skate park.
218	30-09-2021	Cockett	Swansea	I fully support the transfer of land to improve the skateboarding facilities at the site, which in my opinion are long overdue. I look in awe at facilities elsewhere in the country and this is long overdue.
219	30-09-2021	Parkmill	Swansea	I'd love to see developments like this across the whole of Swansea. Spaces designed to encourage physical activity for all ages.

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220	30-09-2021	Langland	Swansea	It will be well used and is a good activity for youngsters in the area, giving a different form of exercise
221	30-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this disposal to support physical and social and mental wellbeing of young people in Swansea.
223	30-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I think a state of the art skateboard facility would be amazing for the area. Updating and replacing an old existing facility that is no longer fit for purpose is long over due. Get it done Swansea Council!!!! Come on - its now an Olympic sport lets inspire the future Olympians.
224	30-09-2021	Murton	Swansea	Good move, great project. Get it done.
225	30-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	Swansea is in desperate need of upgraded facilities for bmx and skating and is falling far behind almost every other town and city in Wales. This upgrade can't come soon enough.
227	30-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I am strongly in favour of this land tranfer in order to finally proceed with the exciting new skate park development!
228	30-09-2021		Swansea	I would like to write in support of the proposal.  The use of land for an improved skatepark will bring benefit to the community along with healthy sporting and mental well-being habits. It will also signal to youngsters that the council are listening and support the communal development and creation of opportunities that are not exclusive.
229	30-09-2021		Swansea	Get this done
230	30-09-2021		Swansea	We come and visit the skate park in Mumbles regularly. I have 2 boys and they are really interested in outdoor activities. Whenever we visit the skate park, we see people young and old enjoying and having a good laugh and fun whilst using the facility. It's a shame to lose this facility especially at this time that we need it the most. This skate park has been there for ages! It needs improvement not to remove it!!!



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231	30-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I support the transfer of the skate park land to Mumbles Community Council so that this facility can be extended and improved upon. Young people urgently need leisure activities which support their physical and mental wellbeing.
232	30-09-2021		Mumbles, Swansea.	I support a skatepark in West cross. Ideal location to be accessed by boarders on a bus route and close to the prom . The youth need a meeting place they have lost the Tivoil and are not on the bowling green .
234	30-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I fully endorse the building of the skate park in west cross. It will great for anyone who enjoys skating, scootering, cycling. I include myself in that group and I am in my 50s. I visited Valencia a few years ago and they have 2 large skate parks where families can come and enjoy. There is a great atmosphere at these places. Currently my friend has to drive his children to Haverfordwest to use the outdoor skatepark there, which is 90 min drive away. Let's have the skate park in West Cross, it'll be great
235	30-09-2021		Newbury	My daughter lives in Newton and I know that this is important to her and her family who are skateboard enthusiasts.
236	30-09-2021		Swansea	The refurbishment of this skatepark is paramount. Swansea offers nothing for the broad community that enjoy wheeled sports. The skatepark will offer a safe place to strengthen community's, encourage cross generational communication and understanding as well as put Swansea on the map for supporting the skateboard culture which is excelling in popularity. Skateboarding has even found its way into the Olympics and should be celebrated and encouraged as a beneficial, inclusive and fun sport where individuality is encouraged and community is paramount. The Gower is already known for its surfing and water sports and a good public skatepark will further promote the city to action sports enthusiasts and could well become the home of British skateboarding as it was back in the 80s. Do the city and its residents a service and build them a park it deserves.

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237	30-09-2021		Swansea	This is going to be a really good thing for the local community and also the wider Swansea area. We need more spaces where young people can safely practice their wheeled sports like skateboarding, it helps them to focus on sports and get fit while having fun in a safe environment.
239	30-09-2021	Langland	Swansea	I fully support the disposal of this land for the purpose of creating a skatepark, which I am sure will become a valued focus and point of pride for the community, especially young people.
240	30-09-2021	Loughor	Swansea	So important that we provide positive outdoor sports facilities for young people
241	30-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	<p>I would like to confirm my support for the open space at Llwynderw described above to be leased to Mumbles Community Council to be expanded for wheeled sports facilities.</p> <p>I feel it is vitally important for our young people to engage in sports activities, and grow their experience and skills in this wheeled sports activity. You only have to look at the medallists in these sports at the recent Olympic Games in Japan to realise how accessible these facilities need to be to give experience, and training, to open up the possibility to engage in competitions, and also just enjoy the sport.</p> <p>These wheeled sports activities in this area is a good thing, a safe environment, and now with a safely lit promenade for walking and cycling to this area. So this comment is to support the disposal of this space to Mumbles Community Council to develop this area.</p>
242	30-09-2021		Swansea	This facility is long overdue. The skate park is a much needed facility for the young people of Swansea. Get it built!!
243	30-09-2021		Swansea	We need this skate park
244	30-09-2021		Swansea	I agree with the notice of disposal and support it, provided it can only be used for the agreed purposes and not for other developments at a later date.
245	30-09-2021		Swansea	I totally support this transfer of land and it's proposed use as a skateboard park. It is ideally situated for young people to access from all parts of Swansea.

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246	30-09-2021		Swansea	<p>This transfer of land has my full support.</p> <p>It was amazing that the original transfer was stopped in the first place.</p> <p>I really hope that this skatepark project can finally go ahead, it will bring so much joy to families around this area and has been long overdue!</p> <p>Swansea has a rich skateboarding and surfing history, with excellent athletes being produced here. Imagine how many more we could produce and nurture if we had some good facilities.</p> <p>Thank you for considering my comments, I hope they help in your quest to get this land transferred so the skatepark can be built.</p>
247	30-09-2021	Langland	Swansea	I am in full support of the land transfer.
248	30-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I strongly support this disposal of land to develop a skatepark on the seafront in Swansea.
249	30-09-2021	Caswell	Swansea	I support the proposal to grant a lease to Mumbles Community Council to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities on the land known as West Cross Skate Park, Llwynderw Site on the east side of Mumbles Road, West Cross, Swansea.
251	30-09-2021		Swansea	Please allow this.
252	30-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this proposal. There has never been a more urgent need to provide outdoor spaces for children and young people to be able to undertake physical activity. The impact of the pandemic on our young people has been severe. Providing them with an opportunity to play, skate, board on the front will help!

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253	30-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Having somewhere for people to practice what they love outside in the fresh air is not only important for fitness, but even more so for mental health.</p> <p>Not all people enjoy the usual team sports and this will allow something that loved by to continue.</p> <p>Upgrading an existing outdoor space makes perfect sense and ensures not only a safer sport but also keeps up with design helping the next budding Olympian.</p>
254	30-09-2021		Swansea	I would like to register my support for this skate park. It is much needed and will be an asset to Swansea and the waterfront.
255	30-09-2021		Swansea	It is essential to have recreational spaces for our young people to be healthy and engaged in worthwhile activity. This site is perfect as it encourages YP to use it without needing a car journey to get there, just a short ride or walk down the prom.
256	30-09-2021		Swansea	I support the use of this land for a skate park and other wheeled sports.
257	30-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I am totally in support of a skateboard park on this site.</p> <p>Our teenagers need somewhere like this available in our area.</p> <p>I believe there is still the opportunity to develop such a facility with sensitivity to the area too.</p>
258	29-09-2021	Alltwen	Swansea	I am in support of the skatepark remaining in its current location
259	29-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	Great idea. Our son would love to use it with friends. Great cause that the youngsters are passionate about.

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260	29-09-2021		portsmouth	<p>even though I live and work in Portsmouth I fully support the development of the skatepark.</p> <p>My family live in Tonna and also Southgate and I visit at least once a month. It is a beautiful thing to be able to skateboard and support the art of the sport and culture. So many creatives are skateboarders.</p> <p>Look at the film 'Beautiful Losers' with Shepard Fairey, Harmony Korine, Geoff McFetridge, Clare Rojas, Barry McGee, Margaret Kilgallen, Mike Mills, Steve "Espo" Powers, Aaron Rose, Ed Templeton, Deanna Templeton, and Mark Gonzales. All are highly successful in their creative field's.</p> <p>Swansea would be held in high esteem globally if they support this.</p> <p>It is also about attracting the 'right' type of people to move to the city and set-up in business. A more younger, creative audience.</p>
261	29-09-2021	Blackpill	Swansea	Fully agree with the land being transferred from Swansea council to mumbles council
262	29-09-2021		Swansea	Having worked with a lot of the young people who hope to use the new, improved facilities, it's my strong belief that grant of a lease of the land to Mumbles Community Council would be a great benefit to the younger people of the area and their wellbeing. It would also portray Swansea as a forward thinking city which cares for provision of public sporting facilities.
263	29-09-2021		Swansea	We need more places like this where people of all ages can come to enjoy themselves, further their skills, social life, and benefit from a sport in every way, especially wellbeing.
264	29-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	In full agreement of this fantastic opportunity
265	29-09-2021		Swansea	Fully in agreement

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266	29-09-2021	Loughor	Swansea	<p>I support the disposal of land request relating to the site of the proposed state park.</p> <p>The land has an existing skate park which has been used by the community for many years, so the precedent is set. Anyone moving to the area would have been aware of the existence of the park and therefore accepting of it.</p> <p><b>[REDACTED]</b>.</p> <p>I sincerely hope that the hard work undertaken by the youngsters and their families is given fair and unbiased consideration when the final decision is made.</p> <p>We need to be providing more, not less, of these and other outdoor facilities for our youngsters as these are sadly lacking. Many playgrounds have been upgraded during Covid but facilities for teens and pre teens are needed and with the enthusiasm levels for skate/bike parks high since our Olympic success we should be encouraging these developments.</p>
267	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Yes! Yes! Yes!</p> <p>I fully support this, I'm very much looking forward to the skate park development happening. It will be an asset to the area.</p>
268	29-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	<p>This should of happened in the 00's, we as a city are way behind compared to other city and even little towns, when it comes to catering the needs of youngsters. This would be a positive step for the youth of tomorrow and maybe the middle age man having a crisis</p>
269	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Please make this skatepark happen.</p> <p>We all really need it 🙏</p>
271	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I am in support of the redevelopment of the site as a skate park</p>
272	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I fully support this plan!</p>
273	29-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>I absolutely support the transfer of the land to Mumbles Community Council.</p>

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274	29-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I would like to write to support the Skate park expansion of its current site on Mumbles Road. I have never witnessed any ASB in this area and also there is not enough spaces for people for recreation. As part of the Council's commitment to encourage healthier lifestyles this park should be encouraged. In this location the park can be accessed by walking, via the cycle path or public transport. It is the perfect location and any development that encourages people particularly young people to be active should be approved.
275	29-09-2021		swansea	more the better for youngsters to be self entertained
276	29-09-2021		Swansea	This land would be great
277	29-09-2021		Swansea	I support this
278	29-09-2021		swansea	This skate park has been used by the skating community for years . It is a great place for them to enjoy and hang out . There are too few places like this for young people as it is . Keep the skate park
279	29-09-2021		Swansea	Please help us ensure we get this much needed facility for the children and young adults of Swansea
280	29-09-2021		Swansea	It is important to have somewhere for the children to play and have fun outdoors. The skateboard park needs to be renovated this is an ideal opportunity for expansion. Perfect place with easy bus routes to and from plus cycling and walking paths. The sooner the better we have enough shops and venues for adults in the area it's time to do more for the children of swansea .
281	29-09-2021	Morrison	Swansea	There is a massive need for wheeled sports areas in Swansea, the ability and achievements of the GB Olympic team has shown what can be achieved with the right availability of the right facilities.  Let's not fall behind other areas of the UK again.
282	29-09-2021		Swansea	This would be a great asset for local kids and tourists alike.
283	29-09-2021		Swansea	I'm fully supportive of the land being used for a skatepark
284	29-09-2021		Swansea	Excellent. Skateboarders need some facilities.
285	29-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	The land needs to be used as a skate park as intended.

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286	29-09-2021		Swansea	I support this.
287	29-09-2021		swansea	skateboarding is so important ...
288	29-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I support this skate park development, as it is much needed in Swansea. It is an ideal and safe location for children and teenagers to enjoy and develop their skateboarding skills.
290	29-09-2021		swansea	The propose facility will provide a much needed opportunity for the young people of the area to enjoy and benefit from the recreation, exercise and healthy outdoor activities. Keeping them off the streets, away from drugs and giving them opportunities to socialize in a safe, supportive environment. Well done to all the people who support this venture and value to health and well being of our children.
291	29-09-2021	Westcross	Swansea	I support the development of the skatepark. It's the only place it makes sense
292	29-09-2021	Clyne	Neath	Absolute waste of money to relocate the park that was there before some of the houses were built even. Improve the park that we have now and make it the envy of other towns. They already have amenities. Car park 200 yards away. Toilets and refreshments even closer
293	29-09-2021	Caswell	Swansea	I fully support the application for a transfer of land from CCOS to MCC so we can finally get on with building this much needed skate park facility for the children and young people of Swansea. Enough messing around with red tape and get on with it!!
294	29-09-2021		Swansea	Swansea needs this skatepark, it is ridiculous that this issue has been continuing as long as it has been.
295	29-09-2021		Swansea	Yes skating is great for mental health, making friends, developing confidence etc.
296	29-09-2021	Bishopston	SWANSEA	I cannot stress how strongly I support this project. Consistently, opportunities and projects for teenagers/young adults are ignored or sidelined for a variety of reasons, leaving these people with little to do, and then bearing the brunt of criticism when they get into trouble or are simply "loitering around". Facilities like this, utilising otherwise unused land offer the opportunity for Swansea to change its mentality and get behind community projects like this, giving our young people something to do!
297	29-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	I support this land transfer and skatepark redevelopment.
298	29-09-2021	West Cross	SWANSEA	Skateboard is in ideal position just needs updating.



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299	29-09-2021		Swansea	I whole heartily wish for this project to go ahead. Will be of great social and physical fitness to our youth and add to the mayals cycle route. Please progress ASAP
300	29-09-2021	Norton	Swansea	As a local resident and a daily user of the foreshore cycle path I wholeheartedly support of the skatepark. It's a much needed facility and an ideal development for the site. It's especially heartening to see a development proposed that builds on existing community assets and doesn't introduce additional unnecessary car parking.
301	29-09-2021	Langland	Swansea	This issue has been dragging along for far too long . The facility will be an asset to the community and a wonderful thing to provide something for the youngsters who will get great enjoyment out of it . There is just nothing to object to !
302	29-09-2021		swansea	a skatepark is essential as it is a facility that will be widely used and could potentially produce an olympic gold medalist
303	29-09-2021	Upper killay	Swansea	I fully support the skate park going ahead at the proposed site, Blackpill.  I have skated myself for years, my children are both now taking to the sport. There is an embarrassing lack of facilities for skaters to use. The site at Llwynderw is a perfect location.
304	29-09-2021	Upper Killay	Swansea	I support the proposed skate park. It will be a wonderful facility & asset for Swansea Bay.
305	29-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I wholeheartedly agree with this proposed disposal.
307	29-09-2021	Nottage	Porthcawl	The social value of providing unstructured, social activity such as wheeled activity at a park as proposed can not be underestimated! This will open up various opportunities to both children and adults alike and provide a much valued source of mental and physical release. I applaud everyone involved in making such a facility become a reality. Please ensure that this proposal is realised to its full potential!
308	29-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	Please save our skatepark - outdoor space is key to the mental well-being of children and teenagers

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309	29-09-2021	Crofty	Swansea	I wish to record my full support for this disposal to expand and improve the Llwynderw skate facility. Growing up as a skater on Gower we had no amenities and faced a hostile local council, but attitudes softened and many children benefited from the building of dedicated skate facilities dotted around the county. However, the facility concerned here is in drastic need of improvement. I no longer skate, but my 2 children enjoy several wheeled sports and would love to make use of a new facility during our frequent visits to Blackpill and the coastal path between Swansea and Mumbles.
310	29-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I fully support the lease of land to the mumbles community council
311	29-09-2021	Caswell bay	Swansea	No objections
312	29-09-2021	SKETTY	Swansea	I SUPPORT THIS PROPOSAL
313	29-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I am delighted to see that notice has been given for the intended development of the skatepark. It is clear that a vast majority of the city's residents passionately want this skatepark to be built, and to see our city brought in line with so many others who are embracing urban sports. It is shameful that the objections of few should outweigh the support of so many. It is vital that we provide safe and healthy spaces for our young people to socialise, exercise and express themselves. Equally for families and users of all ages. We must get this skatepark built and invest in the future of our city.

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314	29-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>I wholeheartedly support the transfer of land to allow the redevelopment of the skate park to go ahead. The upgrade of the current ramp will greatly benefit myself, my family, my group of friends, the wheel sports community and the local community as a whole. Since the current ramp was installed two decades ago skateboarding has progressed enormously and is a vastly different activity today attracting the young and old, the novice and the expert and as such demands an appropriate facility. The plan for the upgrade addresses the needs of all the wheeled sports and recognises the facility will be used by beginners and future Olympic athletes alike. This is a facility the city will be proud of. The upgrade will provide the youth of Mumbles and Swansea with a free to use, safe and inspiring area to develop their skills and allow the older skaters to try and hold on to theirs! The new facility will give opportunities to improve health and well being to many and be an asset to Swansea Bay.</p> <p>Please allow the smooth transfer of the land to Mumbles Community Council and let this amazing project enhance and add to the area by becoming a reality.</p>
315	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I give my backing for a more improved skateboard Park to benefit the people of Swansea.</p> <p>Thus sport is now recognised in the Olympics and who knows if one of Swansea's youngsters is good enough to compete</p>
316	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>The children and young people of Mumbles and Swansea who enjoy skateboarding and scooting wish to keep the current position of the existing skate park. It provides a much-needed safe, outdoor space for physical activity and social interaction for young people at a time when many youth services have disappeared, and I believe it should stay where it is.</p>

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317	29-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>Hello,</p> <p>I completely support the transfer of this land for development into an expanded skate park for recreational use. The location of the site is perfect for youths both from Swansea center and Swansea west. Skaters are able to use the Mumbles prom for access to the park which means there will be no increase in traffic to the area. Not only will the development provide a much needed area for youths to skate and socialise, it will also demonstrate Swansea council finally has an invested interest in outdoor community space. With the threat on our local tennis courts and parks, this is much needed development!</p>
318	29-09-2021		Swansea	Swansea council need to redevelop the land at the proposed skate site for the residents of swansea to be used as a skate park.
319	29-09-2021	Murton	Swansea	I fully support the plan for a skatepark and therefore I would like to register my support for the land transfer and Skatepark redevelopment.
320	29-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	<p>The Well-being of Future Generations Act requires public bodies in Wales to think about the long-term impact of their decisions, to work better with people, communities and each other.</p> <p>I therefore urge Swansea Council to provide appropriate skateboard facilities at West Cross Skate Park which will provide much needed health and social benefits to them.</p>

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321	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I am writing in support of the grant of a lease to Mumbles Community Council to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities.</p> <p>I am a research officer at Swansea University, specialising in child health and physical activity. I have conducted numerous research projects around Swansea and we have listened to teenagers who have cited they would like more access to low cost, high quality, local, young person friendly and fun activities (<a href="https://bmcpublikealth.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/s12889-018-5274-3">https://bmcpublikealth.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/s12889-018-5274-3</a>). All characteristics are captured by the expansion and improvement of wheeled sports facilities in Mumbles. In light of COVID restrictions, our research shows that children and young people have significantly impacted their health and wellbeing. They have asked for more opportunities to play with their friends and be active in recovery plans (<a href="https://www.medrxiv.org/content/10.1101/2021.08.13.21261959v1">https://www.medrxiv.org/content/10.1101/2021.08.13.21261959v1</a>). The plans from Mumbles Community Council will help facilitate these.</p> <p>Notwithstanding the need and benefit of this for the health and wellbeing of young people and children, the grant of a lease to MCC is a positive and vital catalyst for community cohesion in the area.</p>
322	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Absolutely ridiculous to propose to dispose of this site, it's a well used and well loved skate park. It isn't causing any issues where it is and dovetails brilliantly with the other facilities in that immediate area. Being alongside the splash park and the being on the cycle path I really can't see how you could justify doing anything with this site.</p> <p>LEAVE IT ALONE</p>
323	29-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	<p>I fully support this proposal. Swansea Council does not do enough to promote healthy unsupervised activities for children and youths. The opportunities for today's youth to just 'play' outdoors are minimal compared to what was available to previous generations. The skatepark project here on the seafront and the similar project currently struggling to advance in Murton are both to be commended and deserve full Council support at all stages.</p>

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324	29-09-2021		Swansea	Fab idea, gives people somewhere to go practice.better facilities makes it more attractive to locals and from nearby too bringing more money to the area & allows people to improve their skills.
325	29-09-2021		Pennard, Swansea	I think the skate park is a wonderful idea and will prove to be a wonderful amenity for all ages, whether skateboarders or not. As a pensioner, I look forward to be in able to go watch the younger, fitter folk do their tricks. Especially after the Olympics, the opportunity for more girls to get involved is brilliant and makes Swansea cutting edge by having this facility.
326	29-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Skate park is a great idea
327	29-09-2021		Swansea	This is an important space for young people and many adults. It forms a lovely community and keeps them active.
328	29-09-2021		Swansea	Get it built soon
329	29-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>The proposed skate park is a much needed and long desired facility with a great deal of support from the community.</p> <p>It has been clearly been given significant and thorough consideration and is well designed for the various sports it provides for, and similarly well designed for the area in to which it will be sited, enhancing the beach front area with an almost Californian beach front appeal. Vitaly adding valuable safe space for young people to meet and to populate our beach front/promenade, adding life to an otherwise unused area. It will provide for the many different disciplines of skating, as such it is expansive in its appearance and provision.</p> <p>The current facility is used by my sons and their friends regularly, albeit this is extremely limited in both its size, and with respect to the types of skating provided for.</p> <p>I wholly support this project.</p>
330	29-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	This would be fantastic opportunity and facility for all ages and abilities to enjoy.
331	29-09-2021	Gower	Swansea	I support the disposal of the west cross skate park land for the expansion and improvement of wheeled sports facilities.

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332	29-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the proposed skate park
333	29-09-2021		Portsmouth	I oppose the disposal of the West Cross skate. This forms an important community space for the youth of Swansea and the Gower and has done for decades. The notion that this site should be moved somewhere else is frivolous attempt to appease influential stakeholders when greater consideration should be given to the youth. The reality is more of this sites should be generated across the borough for the health and wellbeing of the next generation.
334	29-09-2021		Cardiff	I grew up in Swansea and spent my summers at the skate park alongside the leisure centre. Swansea has so few safe community areas for children and teens to to play and exercise together. If they keep being taken away, you're going to end up with groups congregating and skating dangerously in public areas, or worse, giving up completely and getting up to all the other activities disenfranchised young people turn to.
335	29-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Fantastic news. It's time that Swansea's young people had access to a decent skate park and given the chance to socialise and exercise without being expected to spend money. That site is the ideal spot in terms of location and views of our beautiful bay. Parking should not be considered an issue as it is easily accessed from the promenade which is fed by numerous car parks along the front.
336	29-09-2021		SWANSEA	I completely support the land transfer and proposed development
337	29-09-2021	Plasmarl	Swansea	I support the transfer of land for the skatepark.

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338	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I fully support the transfer of land to Mumbles Community Council for the provision of a skate/bike park. This will bring much needed youth facilities to the area and significantly improve upon the current offering which appears to be at the end of its useful life and totally inadequate for the young people of Swansea.</p> <p>Mumbles Community Council are best placed to maintain the facility going forward as they are the closest administration to it and have campaigned passionately for this for the young people of Mumbles and beyond. I believe this will be an asset to the City and will hopefully inspire other projects across the area as one skate park is not sufficient for our young people. I hope Swansea Council will follow the example set by Mumbles Community Council and Gorseinon Town Council before them, and look for other areas where they can provide skate/bike provision for young people which doesn't require them to be driven across the city to use it. This would also reassure those arguing against the skatepark at this site who have concerns around traffic congestion.</p>
339	29-09-2021		Swansea	Do it now. Listen to the people.
340	29-09-2021	Three Crosses	Swansea	I fully support the proposal to provide much needed wheeled sport facilities on this site referred to as West Cross Skate Park.
341	29-09-2021	Langland	Swansea	The change of land use for a skatepark is something I consider a great use of public land and a decision well made.
342	29-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	Think this would be positive for the area, residents and visitors. About time.
343	29-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	This development is needed for young people in Swansea and is also an attraction for visiting families giving an extra dimension to mumbles to attract visitors.



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344	29-09-2021		swansea	<p>As someone who was brought up in West Cross and still visit the area to care for my sister , I 100% support the disposal of this land and the development of a skate park on the land.</p> <p>It is the ideal spot for the park as skaters are able to use public transport and skate along the prom to get there.</p> <p>The idea that one must have a car park for every development is one that belongs in the past. It is a 20th century idea, where we now need 21st century solutions.</p> <p>Luckily, the development is serviced by excellent bus services as well as cycling and walking routes that service users can easily use.</p> <p>Young people desperately need better facilities and already use the site, so there is no need for it to be moved elsewhere.</p>
346	29-09-2021		Swansea	I disapprove of the removal and movement of the skatepark. The skatepark is in the correct location for young adults to enjoy via the transport links from the city.
348	29-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	This is a fantastic proposal, which will in turn allow the development of a much needed community skate facility, very much in support of this move.
349	29-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	I write to register support for the Council's proposal to transfer land to Mumbles for the Skate Park in West Cross. It is vitally important for our young people to have facilities to take exercise and socialise, especially after the last 18 months of lockdown and isolation. As a mother of teenagers I am keen to see the land transferred so the skate park redevelopment proposal can actually be provided to the youth of the city and county.
350	29-09-2021		Swansea	Swansea Council - Do something right for the first time in your menial existence you useless [REDACTED] and create something fun and active for children and everyone to enjoy. If you don't do this, there's gonna be a lot of unhappy people.

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351	29-09-2021	Parc penllergaer	Swansea	This location has been discussed over and over to become the skate park of South Wales, Swansea city council promised this land to all those who skate or want to learn to share! Why are there still signatures needed when this was agreed (or were the council lying)
352	29-09-2021		Swansea	I support wholeheartedly the transfer of land for the proposed skate park. I believe this to be an asset to Swansea with little impact on the area
353	29-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I can't think of a better use for the proposed area than a skate park to provide much needed areas for children to enjoy.
354	29-09-2021	Loughor	Swansea	There is a great need for a skatepark as it is a very popular sport and keeps the users from using unsuitable public places.
355	29-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	I very strongly support this transfer of land and the improvement of the skate park facility.
356	29-09-2021		SWANSEA	I totally agree that the land should be used for a skate park. The one already there is too small and skateboarding is now an olympic sport and should be encouraged
357	29-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I give my 100% backing to this project. It is sooo needed for the community.
358	29-09-2021		Swansea	I support the land transfer
359	29-09-2021		Swansea	Please , please can we get this skatepark done... it is going to be a fantastic facility used by and bringing together the whole skateboarding community and so many more people WE DESERVE THIS SKATEPARK
360	29-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	This land needs to be updated to a skate park for the local and wider community. It is the only skate park on the west side of Swansea and the removal of it would mean there is no such facility within walking distance for children living in the mumbles, Newton, Killay, Clyne, Sketty areas just to mention a few.

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361	29-09-2021	west cross	swansea	<p>Having 2 children in walking distance of the proposed skatepark is such an exciting prospect. We can't wait to have the opportunity of using it. We use the skate ramp at the moment and it's been a wonderful resource for the children to watch and be inspired older children and their peers.</p> <p>Skateboarding is a really important sport for those children and adults who don't get on with team sports. It boosts confidence and builds a really encouraging community who all want each other to progress and get better. It has amazing mental and physical health benefits and it would be fantastic for Swansea to have it's own out door skate park. Swansea is a wonderful place for outdoor sports and activities, adding to it with an outdoor skatepark could only be a positive thing.</p>
362	29-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	Fully support the skate park. Would like to see more of the sea front turned over to sport areas for all age groups.
363	29-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	I support this development project. It is so important to provide recreational activities for young people in our area. This will service many different groups in our community and will boost the appeal of the area. Please continue with development. As a mum of to teenagers, I feel it has so many benefits. Kind regards.
364	29-09-2021		Wolverhampton	I am 100% in support of the redevelopment of Mumbles skate park as a better skating facility for the local kids. It is a valuable outdoor exercise resource for them as well as providing an opportunity for them to make friends and develop individual identities and a skating community.
365	29-09-2021		Swansea	I would like to add my support, as this is a fantastic opportunity to provide Swansea with a great facility, which it greatly needs in a fantastic location.
366	29-09-2021		Swansea	Build the skate park.....

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367	29-09-2021		Neath	<p>I think that the land transfer, and re-development of this land is vital for the on going legacy of skate boarding in swansea. Swansea (particularly Llangland area) is known nation wide as one of the originating areas of skateboarding in the U.K. and as such needs to continue to lead to way with the development of this new facility.</p> <p>Ive been a keen skateboarder for over 30 years and have seen many changes in the culture of the sport and attitudes towards it. As Swansea is so ingrained in skateboarding, i feel it vital that the support of the council comes through for the next generation, especially as times have changed with skateboarding and BMX now included in such world wide events as the Olympics.</p> <p>Thankyou.</p>
368	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>As a resident of Swansea, with many ties to the local area of the proposed leased land I am fully in support of the proposal of a skatepark going ahead. I am of the firm belief that this is the best location for a skatepark in Swansea. The location has already been equipped with some skate facilities for more than two decades. So there is certainly precedence. The area is open to the public well enough that illicit activities won't be hidden easily, unlike some of the other areas proposed, this is overlooked by a main road and a heavily used pedestrianised area. And the public transport to the site is second to none. Having been a bus user my entire life I think the ability to grab a bus every few minutes, even at weekends, is a superb asset to have. And that's not to mention the fact that there is an amazing, tarmac cyclepath and walkway running all the way from both Swansea Marina and Mumbles pier allowing for even more ease of access. There are public toilets mere seconds away if you have skates and are prepared to use them... I couldn't be more in favour of this proposal.</p>
369	29-09-2021		Swansea	<p>The Skatepark redevelopment is vital for the wellbeing of our youngsters.</p>
370	29-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	<p>The site is an exceptional opportunity for bmx scooter riders skateboarders and bikers to have a leisure facility in Seanssea</p>

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371	29-09-2021	Fforestfach	Swansea	<p>I fully support the transfer of land to mumbles council for them to build a skatepark. My lad is keen on bikes and scooters and was very excited at the plans. We literally have to get kids and youths off their phones and tablets and into the open air and exercising and this will be awesome for [REDACTED] who will be able to go down after school and use it. We are very excited about it.</p> <p>Can we have the half pipe at Fforestfach please?</p>
372	29-09-2021		Swansea	I support the transfer to mumbles community council.
373	29-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	<p>Man. Get a real skatepark!!!</p> <p>Me and 3 friends petitioned to the council in 2000 and this is still going on</p> <p>20 years plus!</p> <p>Mental</p>
374	28-09-2021	Blackpill	Swansea	We are in support of the skate park facility at Llwynderw. We think it is a much needed development for the people of Swansea especially after the pandemic.
375	28-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	I am fully in support of this land transfer to Mumbles Community Council and think the continued use of the land for skateboarding and other wheeled sports is of the utmost benefit to the city.

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376	28-09-2021		Cardiff	<p>The skatepark at West Cross is a well known landmark for skateboarders in South Wales. The proposal to develop of the site has been acknowledged by skateboarding groups all over Wales. We have recently begun discussions with Cardiff Council about developing existing and new skateparks in Cardiff and we cited this example as an exciting new development.</p> <p>Skateboarding has grown in popularity massively over the past two decades since this ramp was built. I believe that skateparks and ramps such as this one are part of a legacy of investment that councils should be proud of. I feel it is important to retain the same location to maintain continuity of place and to show a respectful approach to the culture and people that have grown up with it.</p>
377	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support it
378	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	Kids in Swansea need at least one good Skatepark. Swansea needs things like this.
379	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	I support the skate park
380	28-09-2021	Killay	Swansea	This is important and having a skatepark at this location will be beneficial to many within the Swansea area. It'll also be an accessible area to those with disabilities. It will also be an exciting landmark for showcasing Swansea as a progressive within the UK.
381	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Once again, please can we get this facility through. The planning, the site, the design, the money, is all in place. If this does not work this time it is going to be years and years before Swansea catches up with the kind of sport environment that is the norm in so many places. We need local facilities for an active community, especially the young, more than ever.
382	28-09-2021		Swansea	I FULLY SUPPORT THE NEW SKATEPARK.
383	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I fully support the proposal of Swansea City Council to dispose of part of the Open space listed to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities.

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384	28-09-2021	Longford	Neath Abbey	<p>Dear sir or madam</p> <p>I strongly SUPPORT the development of the Skate park.</p> <p>By providing a dedicated space for people to skate and practice their skills, there will be fewer skaters forced to create their own skateparks in the city centre and on the promenade etc.</p> <p>Skate boarding, roller skating, bmx biking and scootering are all healthy pastimes that promote fitness, wellbeing and positivity when allowed to thrive.</p> <p>As a 45 year old roller skater, I can assure you that the skating community by and large are supportive and respectful people who will look after their space and its surroundings.</p> <p>I appreciate the time taken to read this and hope beyond hope that this development is not stopped in its tracks once again.</p>
385	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>It is so needed for children and young people in the area and it will be accessible to locals without driving. It is a much needed facility. Please give out children something to do in an outside space. Mumbles has always had a big skating community and it will benefit children and young people.</p>

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386	28-09-2021	Winchwen	Swansea	<p>I am in full support of the proposed skate park plans on the existing halfpipe/skateramp site in the lwynderw area of mumbles. Having skated and been a part of an active and thriving skate scene in swansea throughout my own childhood I can testify for how how learning to skate and being part a skate community can sculpt and shape a childs life. Into my adult life I have taken a step back from skating myself and actively encourage my young children to skate and engage in a support network of like minded individuals. It's has been a pleasure to watch them learn on the existing facilities on the site although I have always thought that the existing facilities provide free of charge to the skate community of Swansea are largely underfunded. The Lwynderw ramp and Victoria Park site are in a very poor state but with new state of the art facilities as proposed in these plans Swansea can put itself on the map on terms of facilities that encourage learning and pushing boundaries in terms of skill level and confidence in a safe and supportive environment. Swansea has a number of efficient "gatekeepers" for the proposed plans that have heavily invested in the idea of redevelopment of the land in The Mumbles Community Council and providers of a non profit indoor skate facility Exist skate store/park. I have complete faith in both that users of the skatepark will not only be grateful that it is built but also active members of a positive skate community in the mumbles area. With skateboarding and extreme sports featuring heavily in the mainstream media via the Olympics there are larger numbers of children seeking inspiration in the sports that this type of facility can develop. Mumbles is a beautiful location for all to enjoy. Please do the right thing and give this the go ahead.</p>
387	28-09-2021	Pennard	Swansea	<p>I'm writing to express a wealth of support for the proposed skatepark. After more than 10 years of woeful underfunding of youth services and annual rises in antisocial behaviour, setting up what can now be considered an Olympic training venue for young people should be an absolute priority for Swansea Council and residents of Swansea. As a mother of 2 very young children I can already see the value this will bring to my children's lives and for many generations to come. So many will benefit physically and mentally, Swansea will benefit economically. I hope these benefits will not be scuppered by the very few [REDACTED] who have been so vocally opposed.</p>



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388	28-09-2021		Swansea	Agree with transfer of land for skate park. Kids need this area to enjoy their sport in safety. I would much rather see this type of development rather than any commercial enterprises on the Swansea to Mumbles coastal area.
389	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	This is an amazing place for everyone to enjoy and a great benefit for local tourism!
390	28-09-2021		neath	give the land the facilities it needs for the kids to get their skates on and have a good time
391	28-09-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	The future of young people's well being, activity, health, community spirit, fresh air, fitness, family time, etc., potential Olympic champions, ambition, goals. What more to say? Invest in the greater good. This land should be developed as a skatepark.
392	28-09-2021		Swansea	I strongly support the skateboarding facilities at west cross skate park.
393	28-09-2021		Southgate	<p>Registering my support for this fantastic proposal.</p> <p>This will have immeasurable benefits to many Swansea residents and a superb addition to the waterfront. For young people especially to have somewhere to go and to practice a healthy and positive activity is a real win. Swansea has a vibrant sports scene, and even managed to have a Swansea resident in the Olympics riding BMX, imagine how good it will be with actual facilities to practice on! It will give those growing up in Swansea the same opportunity as elsewhere. Go for it! This is a benefit to the many.</p>
394	28-09-2021	Cwmbwrla	Swansea	<p>I welcome this new project for Swansea. I have Adult family members living near that area that were skateboarders and welcome this.</p> <p>When frequenting Mumbles for pleasure at least twice a week it is lovely to all age groups using this out of date service.</p> <p>Residents of Swansea realise that this is a worthwhile project. Lets hope exciting times ahead.</p>

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395	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I live in West Cross and I often take my two daughters, aged 11 and 13 down the skate ramp on the front. They love it and are getting better all the time. It has a friendly atmosphere and a real community spirit. The older children and adults who use the skate ramp are always welcoming. They let my daughters take turns and offer advice. It is such a positive and inclusive community asset and it is such a pity that it is so small and limited. It is not enough for the number of people who want to use it or for the range of abilities that would like to have skate boarding facilities in the area. It is also in bad repair and could be dangerous if it deteriorates further.</p> <p>The idea of building a large, safe, modern skate park for everyone to enjoy on the current spot is such a fantastic idea and should have been done years ago. It would attract children of all ages and abilities and provide a vital focal point for the children of the area. Skate boarding is an exciting, positive sport which is going from strength to strength, thanks in large part to such inspirational young women as Sky Brown, Great Britain's youngest Olympian and silver medal winner at the Tokyo Olympics. At a time when parents and carers and worried about the amount of time children spend on screens, we should be encouraging our children to get outside and be active. The proposed skate park would be ideal for this. It would also bring a wonderful atmosphere of activity and spectacle to what is a beautiful site with views of the bay and enhance the image of Mumbles as a welcoming, inclusive and vibrant part of Swansea.</p> <p>I am aware that there are a very small number of residents are opposed to the development, [REDACTED]. It seems a great pity to me those [REDACTED] would object to a community amenity that would serve young people who are not as lucky as them. Swansea has nothing to lose and everything to gain from such an exciting and forward looking community project and it should be welcomed by everyone.</p>

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396	28-09-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	<p>Hello Swansea council and others.</p> <p>I believe this skate park is needed in such a growing and modern city, knowing that Swansea is the second largest and popular Welsh cities. Something like this is needed in order for us to project ourselves into a more diverse and thriving community. Not just children or teenagers love the sport of skating, rollerblading or biking, but adults and elders too.</p> <p>To deprive people of such an interest and common enjoyment is to deprive the city of natural and needed resources.</p> <p>For someone who pays taxes, I would love for my taxes to be going toward funding such a development and to be seeing the end project soon enough.</p> <p>It even saddens me that we have very little community centres than when I was a young boy, but this is how we come back, by funding community projects.</p> <p>Please do not allow this to be wasted, it would be a crying shame if we did not approve and apprehend such a project to the end.</p> <p>Thank you for taking your time to read this and hopefully resonate with what was stated.</p>
397	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I fully support the transfer of land the MCC for the development of the skate park. This is a much needed amenity for the young people of Swansea.
398	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the transfer of land to Mumbles Community Council and the building of a skate park on that land.
399	28-09-2021	Llanrhidian	Swansea	The faster this gets done and the skatepark is built the better!
400	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	I am in total support of the skateboard/skate park. Especially in the Llywnderw site.
401	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the skatepark in its current location and hope that it can happen as it's a massively positive thing for outdoor activities in this area and also for the positive physical health and well-being benefits it has for all who may wish to use it.
402	28-09-2021		Swansea	We all know that children are our future, how can anyone deny a child a future of skating, if we have learnt anything from the Olympics, it's that we must nurture and grow All Talent. Let the kids skate, let the kids grow 🙌

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403	28-09-2021	West Cross	SWANSEA	<p>I would like to express my full support for the proposed transfer of land and skate park development.</p> <p>I have 3 children aged 11, 8 and 3. My eldest two children are very keen skateboarders, my youngest only starting to learn. We all regularly go down to the current old ramp on the proposed site. I am always impressed by the friendly and welcoming approach of the other children / teenagers / adults at the skate ramp. There is a positive inclusive atmosphere of encouraging and supporting all to get involved regardless of ability. I myself, now 41, have been encouraged to take part.</p> <p>We travel to the ramp along the prom on our skateboards so parking is not an issue.</p> <p>The skatepark would be a real asset to the area and the residents, in particular the well-being of the young people, in Swansea.</p> <p>I fully support this proposal.</p>
404	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I am in agreement for the transfer of land.
405	28-09-2021		Swansea	Our young people deserved a dedicated space that is fit-for-purpose way before the pandemic robbed them of vital contact, disrupted their education and ruined their sporting aspirations. This area could and should fulfil that role. youngsters who choose to engage in an activity that challenges them in an area that has been dedicated to skating for decades shouldn't have their needs downgraded or ignored.
406	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the transfer of this land for the use of a skate park for Swansea residents. This would be a valuable facility for both younger and older people. The seafront location makes it accessible for people across Swansea as well as being a tourist attraction.

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407	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I fully support the transfer of land to MCC. This will enable MCC to proceed with the refurbishment of the skate park which is badly needed by the youth of Swansea. I am a former resident of Brighton and lived close to a skate park which had a refurbishment that changed said park from a seedy play area to a well used a thriving community resource
408	28-09-2021		Swansea	As a local resident I am in full support of Mumbles Community Council obtaining the land where the current skate ramp is situated on mumbles road in order to develop and maintain for the use and enjoyment of everyone in our community.
409	28-09-2021		Swansea	This project will have a substantial positive impact of the young in the area providing an area to practice and hone their skills. It is well overdue and is greatly needed.
410	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	This skatepark is vital for young people of Swansea I support the redevelopment 100%
411	28-09-2021		Blackpill	I fully support this action to hand the lease to MCC in order that the land can be developed for the much needed improved skate park.
412	28-09-2021		Swansea	This is a wonderful facility.
413	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I fully support the disposal of land known at west cross skate park at Llywnderw by grant of lease to Mumbles community council for the provision of wheeled sport. The site is ideally suited for the purpose with safe pedestrian and cycle access for young people from a wide area via the swansea bay bike path. It will provide an excellent outdoor sports facility for a generation that are suffering from lack of physical activity, obesity and the impact of the covid pandemic.
414	28-09-2021		Swansea	Support skate park
415	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I am keen to see this land disposal go ahead to enable the skatepark to be updated. It's much desired by many people and a great use of this space.
416	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I support the skatepark development at Llwynderw.
417	28-09-2021	Crofty	Seansea	I fully support the development of the skatepark, the kids need it!
418	28-09-2021		Swansea	I totally support the retention of this land for the young people of this area who have been using it for these purposes for many years.

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419	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>This is a much needed facility, There's absolutely no reason not to grant application to go ahead, as the site already used for this purpose but needs updating.</p> <p>Mumbles/Gower is a fantastic international attraction And could only benefit from this development. Having a fully developed skate park On the seafront will just add kudos to Mumbles growing international reputation.</p> <p>The area could benefit from the lively and friendly culture that a proper skate park would bring. The proposed site is perfect as it is Central to people from Gower and Swansea -it will be a huge benefit to young local people And will give the council much support and congratulations from a massive majority of residents.</p>
421	28-09-2021		Llanelli	I fully support this movement and the skatepark will be a welcomed facility for the youth of the entire welsh community
422	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	The skatepark is of huge importance to young people in the area. Acting as. Palace to go and enjoy themselves responsibly. Especially in these trying times. Please take the action required to aid them in making this happen.
423	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support the transfer of this land to mumbles community council to further develop the skate park
424	28-09-2021		Swansea	It's a healthy use of outdoor space with no need for parking facilities as the whole idea is you scoot, scate, cycle or roller blade your way there. Happy days.
425	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I am 100% in favour of the skatepark redevelopment. I grew up in the area and used the ramp regularly during my youth and at a time where mental health and physical activity are needed, improving existing recreational sites is key.</p> <p>There is adequate parking and clyne and mumbles as well as toilets within the Blackpill area so these areas not sufficient barriers. As a young teenager I regularly walked/skated from mayals to mumbles to derwen fawr on a daily basis throughout the holidays.</p>
426	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this move and look forward to a terrific open space for young and old alike to enjoy

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427	28-09-2021	Mount pleasant	Swansea	This transfer of land is of highest importance in the development of Swansea's community. It has my support.
428	28-09-2021		Swansea	I'm registering my support for the land transfer and Skatepark redevelopment.
429	28-09-2021		Swansea	I'm registering my support for the land transfer and Skatepark redevelopment.
430	28-09-2021	Westcross	Swansea	I support this disposal of land to mumbles community council
431	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the land transfer and Skatepark redevelopment
432	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the land transfer and skate park redevelopment in Mumbles, to give young people the space to take part in outdoor activities they enjoy in the perfect location.
433	28-09-2021	Mayhill	Swansea	A must for all people to enjoy
434	28-09-2021		Swansea	My 8yo boys are keen skateboarders and at present to find a decent skatepark that suits their skill level we have to drive half way across Swansea to either Exist or Gorseinon. When we have however been to the current decrepit ramp at Llwynderw we have only ever been met with polite and kid young skaters willing to help and show my boys the ropes. I wholeheartedly agree with the transfer of land and development of a proper skatepark that would benefit so many of the residents or Swansea.
435	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I support this transfer. There is a huge need for the skatepark facility proposed before the time wasting legal challenge. I support the skatepark
436	28-09-2021		Swansea	I think it's an amazing opportunity for the community and a much needed amenity for the youths of the area
437	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support this.

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438	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>This site must be used for the skate park area ! It will be the most perfect and ideal location for the whole of Swansea to use, don't forget there are safe links from Dunvant, Killay Gowerton etc to get there from the bike tracks also.</p> <p>These types of facilities are totally lacking in Swansea compared to even much smaller towns having them in place already many years ago.</p> <p>They will help people of all ages it's been proven time and time again across the world (do your own research Swansea council).</p> <p>Peoples well-being and mental health are suffering being ignored by the city of Swansea councillors for to long and what they really want in this city.</p> <p>It is not about making money like over priced singleton park events and new music venues, it's about health and a better lifestyle for all that's free.</p> <p>Make the right choice for the people of Swansea and leave your legacy for next generations to come.</p>
440	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Knowing how much children and young people have had taken from them in terms of leisure activities and support for their wellbeing, I strongly believe that having access to an outdoor skate facility is important for our children and young people, for exercise and to improve their physical and mental health.</p> <p>Please go ahead with the plans to finalise the skate park.</p>
441	28-09-2021		Neath	<p>I fully support the development of this land to provide a space for everyone to have access to activities. Even the [REDACTED] is welcome</p>
442	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Totally support the plan and hope to see this area used by all ages to have fun.Offers something new and fresh,just what the community/city needs moving forward.</p>
443	28-09-2021		Brynna	<p>This skate park has been a cornerstone of the local community, and wider for decades. The opportunity to have a safe open space for children and young people to learn to skate, get outdoors and exercise, right on the front a stones throw away from the play area and lido with all of those facilities is a great opportunity to put mumbles and west cross further on the map.</p> <p>I learned to roller skate in the existing site, and the memories, skills and friends I made there have lasted a lifetime!</p>



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444	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the land to be developed as a bigger skate park , children need somewhere to go to practice their skills with like minded friends
445	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please let this go ahead, [REDACTED]
446	28-09-2021		Swansea	I would like the skate park to go ahead
447	28-09-2021		Port talbot	Good luck to all the skateboarders BMXers , scooters , roller bladers on this massive project , I hope the council see sense on how much this sport has come on , if it wasn't for these developments all the sports above would never progress to what they are today in the olympics ! [REDACTED]
448	28-09-2021		Neath	I am registering my support for this.
449	28-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	Please ensure the skatepark goes ahead, it is very much loved amenity for local children.
450	28-09-2021	Cwmdu	Swansea	No question? ? Our children need this facility FULL STOP!!!  In fact the whole stretch along this area as well as a skateboard ramp, should be made into suitable children's facilities, it is actually crying out for it... Come on Swansea council, just look at what is available for children in other parts of UK, we are lagging far far behind. Now is your chance to do something for the community and visitors alike. <input type="checkbox"/> This will not fall on deaf ears, as have other valid suggestions in the past.....
451	28-09-2021		Swansea	I agree with this transfer of ownership so we get the skate park
452	28-09-2021		Swansea	Whole heartedly support, the children need somewhere to skate

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453	28-09-2021	Mayhill	Swansea	We don't want to get rid of it! This space has served generations of people interested in the now Olympic sport that is skateboarding. The children and young adults of Swansea need safe, fun facilities now more than ever and this is one of the very few left in our city. I feel getting rid of this facility would be detrimental to the skateboarding, scootering a biking community. Not only would the lack of a facility deprive the children who would use it of a safe space to use but bother those in the places these children would be force to go to skate, socialise, exercise and have fun. Too many adults have forgotten what it was to be young. Children need facilities to have fun in, children need space to be social and creative and express themselves in! We need proposals for more spaces to be dedicated to children's outdoor activities.
454	28-09-2021		Swansea	I wholeheartedly support the proposal to improve the wheel sports facilities in Mumbles
455	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	We as a family are asking the council to reconsider , we strongly believe this development needs to go ahead, it is the perfect spot for a skatepark, local children/teenagers can walk to the skatepark, there are local shops toilets , and it is set back away from a main road, skateboarding is now an Olympic sport, who knows , any one if those children using the skatepark could be the next olympian
456	28-09-2021		Swansea	SKATE RAMPPPP 🛹🏠
457	28-09-2021	Pembroke	Pembrokeshire	It would be a great opportunity and will have a positive effect to the community in the area
458	28-09-2021	Morrison	Swansea	It is time to get this long overdue project up and running. For a city like Swansea not to have a state of the art skatepark is criminal, let's invest in the youth of our city. Everyone will benefit. The wealth of local talent is massive, let's nurture that for the benefit of everyone. Swansea is finally in my view being steered to a better more vibrant place, this will be another step in the right direction👍👍👍👍👍
459	28-09-2021		Manchester	I have lived in Swansea for many years, and fully believe that the upgrade of the skatepark has been far too long in the making!
460	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the transfer of land and the use of such land for a skate park development

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461	28-09-2021	Clydach	Swansea	<p>I'm 100 percent in support of the new and improved facility located on the seafront. It's been a long time since I hung my board up as a piece of wall art rather than rode it but this project has me feeling the buzz again. I also have a few friends who are feeling similarly. As great as the half pipe currently located is and it holds a lot of fond memories for myself as I spent most of my time there as a student, it does lack diversity and the renders of the proposed facility look to offer that diversity and progression and development that Swansea center is lacking.</p> <p>Moreover I want to see this for the kids. Skating is a fantastic form of expression and a great way to work out frustrations and interact with a community of like minded people. You have a lot of potential talent out there you can see them doing flatland in castle square they just the right space for it to grow.</p> <p>Like I said, I still have some of my friends I met from the skatepark and although we're all old and past it if this park goes ahead I'd love to ride together again.</p>
462	28-09-2021		West cross	Support
463	28-09-2021		Swansea	A really positive resource for the local community. We need to consider youth amenities versus the might of private wealth and really encourage this type of facility, and more like it.
464	28-09-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	I support this application
465	28-09-2021		West CrossSwansea	This is long overdue, a skate park here will keep children and adults happy for many generations to come

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466	28-09-2021	Clydach	Swansea	<p>As someone who was brought up in West Cross and still visit the area to care for my mother, I 100% support the disposal of this land and the development of a skate park on the land.</p> <p>It is the ideal spot for the park as skaters are able to use public transport and skate along the prom to get there.</p> <p>The idea that one must have a car park for every development is one that belongs in the past. It is a 20th century idea, where we now need 21st century solutions.</p> <p>Luckily, the development is serviced by excellent bus services as well as cycling and walking routes that service users can easily use.</p> <p>Young people desperately need better facilities and already use the site, so there is no need for it to be moved elsewhere.</p>
467	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Fully support this much-needed community facility to promote the health and well-being of Swansea's young people.
468	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	I support the transfer of land known as West Cross Skate Park, Llwynderw Site to Mumbles Community Council, for the purposes of redeveloping and upgrading the skate park facilities.
469	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please record my support for this action in order to make it possible to create a skateboard park on this site
470	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	I fully support the development of the skate park. I work with young people in Swansea and know how great the link is between being active and positive mental health. Now more then ever our young people need somewhere to meet and what a beautiful place to do so! Not only will this help to lessen loneliness and isolation but maybe Wales will have an Olympic skateboard champion in three years time. This is an investment in our children's future!
471	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the proposal to create a skate park on this site and believe it will be a great asset to the area and to Swansea.

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472	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	This is an important community resource. I am pleased Swansea Council and Mumbles Community Council intend to develop it for the use of all our young people. Children and teenagers need places to go to have fun within a supportive community. Well done Swansea for not giving in to pressure from [REDACTED] but for acting on behalf of our young people who can often be demonised just for being young.
473	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	Skateboarding is needed Give the land to the skateboarders
474	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I am a resident of West Cross and I fully support the development of the Llwynderw site into a full skatepark. I was very disappointed when the building of the skatepark was halted due to the legal representation of a small group of objectors on a flimsy point of land transfer law. I believe that the proposed site for the development of the skatepark is entirely appropriate, and look forward to seeing young people of all ages having access to a free and healthy activity. I don't skatepark myself, but I have a son and three nephews who do. They have been waiting for this skatepark for a long time. Other cities in Wales and across Britain have impressive facilities for skaters, and the youngsters of Swansea would benefit greatly from the same.
475	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	The skatepark is now long overdue. This facility is needed in Swansea and especially Mumbles. There are lots of skateboarders and scooter riders that would use this facility. Mental health and physical well being are so important these days. Kids need places to exercise. There's an existing park there abs most seaside cities have a plethora of skateparks. Swansea does not have one decent one. This needs to be completed ASAP - by spring the latest. We have waited too long for a facility like this. Swansea - show some vision and give the people a skatepark to be proud of.
476	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support this land transfer for the good of the local children

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478	28-09-2021		swansea	This has been desperately needed for decades, swanseas facilities have been an embarrassment, the ramp that is currently in place is dangerous and very poorly maintained. Let's train up some next generation olympians! A social space, exercise space and personal growth space rolled into one. What more could a council and its constituents ask for?!
479	28-09-2021		Swansea	I want Mumbles Community Council to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities. This is a good thing for the community.
480	28-09-2021	Southgate	Swansea	Very strongly in favour of the land transfer and the skate park! Very important for kids to have this facility
481	28-09-2021	Murton	Swansea	Absolutely essential for the area, this land transfer and skate park must go ahead.
482	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please build the skate ramps
483	28-09-2021		Swansea	The skatepark redevelopment is absolutely essential for Swansea. Please ensure this happens as it will greatly impact the lives of many locals, and bring in trade from further afar.
484	28-09-2021		Swansea	I whole heartedly support this transfer of land and look forward to the skatepark eventually being able to go ahead.
485	28-09-2021	Landore	Swansea	I support the transfer and the constitution of a skate park
486	28-09-2021		Landimore	I fully support this disposal
487	28-09-2021	Kittle	Swansea	It will be refreshing to see a space in swansea actually tailored to what a community have campaigned for and really want. I know my kids will love it too as they have using facilities like this in areas in England

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488	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>The transfer of land should absolutely go towards a new build of proposed skatepark and replace existing services for the following;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-All the hard work that has already been put into planning.</li> <li>-Community building for all ages,</li> <li>-Youth &amp; adult mental health</li> <li>- Fitness benefits</li> <li>-Free Outdoor activity for individuals, team building &amp; family time - services that aren't easily accessible throughout the city.</li> </ul> <p>To remove an existing free service that is well loved and used would be unspeakable and dissapointing to the community that already love, support &amp; use the area.</p> <p>I wish them the best of luck in finally moving forward after so many unnesasary challenges.</p>
489	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>The skatepark is an important facility for the local youth and children of the area. It is used not only by locals but those around the area. It is in the perfect safe place, with the promenade allowing safe travel to the site. It's been there a long time but it needs to expand to make it more interesting for skaters to progress to bigger challenges. Good luck for the future.</p>
490	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>This is vital for the kids of Swansea, we may well have another Sky Brown living here. With skateboarding in the Olympics this would be a great grass roots boost for the sport in our area.</p>
491	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I feel the skate park should remain where it is as for the past 20 years its caused no problems and thousands of children have enjoyed the experience.</p>

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492	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	The provision of a well developed skate park facility is a vital opportunity for the area in providing healthy outdoor exercise to children and young people in the environment. The impact of engaging in meaningful occupation has huge benefits to mental health and well-being. In a post covid climate the importance of opportunities to engage in outdoor activities is ever more important. Furthermore the Olympics have highlighted the rise of wheeled sports and having new facilities would provide local young people with the opportunity to aspire and compete at high levels in sport.
493	28-09-2021		Swansea	I'm in full support of this
494	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	The sooner this is sorted out the better.Swansea needs more facilities for youngsters.
495	28-09-2021	Wanarlwydd	Wanarlwydd	I fully support the land transfer and believe the development of the skatepark will bring diversity to the area. Fun for all ages in a beautiful setting.
496	28-09-2021		Swansea	I'm in full support of the skate park, this is long over due.
497	28-09-2021	Glynneath	Neathportalbot	I support the transfer as to allow the improvement of the site. Its much needed for the local community and the wider audience.
498	28-09-2021		Swansea	The skate park development will encourage people to interact with one another meaning people make more friends and become more sociable.  While also giving the younger generation a place to practise and improve on a sport that they might not usually look at following.
499	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	I support the disposal and want a skate park on the front for young people to enjoy
500	28-09-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	Swansea is desperate for a good outdoor skatepark. It would be an asset to the community.
501	28-09-2021	Clydach	Swansea	Somewhere for the young people to be safe have fun meet up with family and friends
502	28-09-2021	WestCross	Swansea	I am a skater mum, my son loves skating and we live not far so would be so happy if this actually happened .



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503	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	If the last 2 years has shown us anything, it's how important well-being and positive health is. With depleted opportunities to go away, having accessible, usable spaces on our doorsteps are essential. Skating should be embraced and encouraged and I can't wait to see a skate park in our local community that is accessible for all. Please do the right thing and allow the park to be developed
504	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I wholeheartedly agree with this transfer of land. We have been waiting for what seems a lifetime for this skatepark. It will be a brilliant resource for all ages.
505	28-09-2021	Ynystawe	Swansea	I am fully behind the creation of sector leading fsfacilities in Mumbles. It will be great for young people and skateboarding enthusiasts of all ages. Well done Swansea council for this decision.
506	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	<p>What a super idea to upgrade the area into a decent space for young people to meet and do sport together. We all know the importance of a less sedentary lifestyle and this is just the type of outdoors development that the people of Swansea and Mumbles should be supporting.</p> <p>The beauty of skating is its multi- generational appeal, where newcomers can practise and be supported by the I wholeheartedly support the transfer of this land to Mumbles Community Council and look forward to the exciting re-development getting under way.</p>
507	28-09-2021		Swansea	Mumbles needs a skatepark, let alone Swansea. The community around skateboarding is fantastic and is great for building positive futures.
508	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	The ramp at west cross has been used by my 2 sons (now20and 18) since they were small boys with their first skate boards . I fully support the new ramp as I am fully aware of the benefits this brings to young men's well being and mental health. It is a meeting place for like minded people who are always made to feel welcome and part of the skateboarding community . This is all too important, especially after lockdown, that this continues and is allowed to expand and improve .
509	28-09-2021		Swansea	The skate park is a much needed place . It would be perfect ther .
510	28-09-2021		Swansea	Keep the kids fit, keep the kids off the streets.
511	28-09-2021		Swansea	I write in support of this notice and the action it represents, also in support of the proposed improvements suggested for the land.

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512	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the development of the mumbles skate park and support the transfer of the land to the mumbles council so that many people can enjoy this excellent leisure and training facility in the community.
513	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the development of the skatepark at Llywnderw and transfer of the land to Mumbles community council to expand, improve and continue offering a valuable resource to the public, particularly young people. The skatepark encourages fitness, healthy living and grass routes growth of an Olympic sport. The facility is an asset to our community and an investment in our young people.
514	28-09-2021		Northwich	Kids need things to do and entertain themselves in healthy ways. How much joy would a skate park be for kids in the area. People are always complaining that kids hanging around doing nothing surely this will give some of the kids fun activity which is harmless.
515	28-09-2021		Swansea	The redevelopment of the new skatepark is so important for so many of our young people in and around Swansea. With approval of transfer of land this project can at last progress after so many protracted delays. Let us all show our youngsters that too are important.
516	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the new mumbles skatepark.
517	28-09-2021		Swansea	The upgrade of the current skate ramp into a skate park is a fantastic idea and opportunity for the city. I believe it will encourage more families to walk, skate, cycle down to the area and bring a much needed boost to preventing antisocial behaviour for we all know that the occupied youth don't create problems out of boredom (which seems to be the current climate) I can't wait to be able to take my girls down there!
519	28-09-2021		Wincham	Really feel as though the skatepark is a good place for kids to play and get together, feel the importance of having it
520	28-09-2021		Llandysul	A skateboard park is a big part of what makes the community for many people, now more than ever young people need this as an alternative to internet addiction or other negative outlets. The site itself makes it something of cultural interest for the greater general public. In short celebrate this.

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521	28-09-2021		Swansea	The current half pipe is already host to a thriving and welcoming community of skateboarders (amongst other sports) and the facilities are really in need of improvement. The facilities for skateboarding are very poor when compared to the majority of locations throughout the UK and this would bring swansea up to scratch. Skateboarding has had a huge surge in popularity recently and as an Olympic sport is a very appealing way to keep fit, make friends and have fun. With a new skatepark we could create a safe and healthier community around this popularity.
522	28-09-2021		Newton	Wholeheartedly support this!
523	28-09-2021	Killay	Swansea	I feel this project would life changing for so young people in the swansea area. Part of a generation that was around for start of skateboarding and bmx. We as a part of a community that pioneered the development of these sport in the area, perhaps our achievements at this Olympics would be achieved by many more.
524	28-09-2021	manselton	swansea	Absolutely in favour of the land being used as a skate park.  Mumbles has been pricing locals out for too long, its about time something was done that put young people first in the area.  Huge support and ZERO objection from me!
525	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this
526	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fantastic idea for a fantastic addition to Swansea! Can't understand why most cities have a skate park and Swansea is lagging behind, get it built!
527	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	This land is needed to facilitate the much needed skate park to enable children in Swansea to skate and exercise. This needs to be sorted.
528	28-09-2021		Swansea	Make the skate park!
529	28-09-2021		Swansea	This will be a wonderful place for our children to hang out.
530	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	Support the development of the skate park which is greatly needed and will enhance health and well-being of children and young people.
531	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Desperately needs updating, is a fantastic asset to the area
532	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this proposal

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533	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	It is a great resource, but is in desperate need of updating and improvement
534	28-09-2021		Haverfordwest	<p>As a skateboard instructor based in Pembrokeshire with access to an amazing skateboard facility in Haverfordwest, I have first hand seen the benefits of how a state of the art skatepark helps build a community and bring people together.</p> <p>Nearly 8 years since Haverfordwest's £500,000 skatepark was built, the skatepark is still used daily by many, people with no connection at all to skateboarding or other wheeled sports all across Pembrokeshire singing it's praises; "The skatepark being built is one of the best things to happen to Haverfordwest in decades." "I can't believe how busy the skatepark is, every time I drive past, day or night, there are people using the skatepark." and "It's great for the younger generation to have a safe place outside to enjoy, keeping them off their computer games."</p> <p>Having worked in Swansea for nearly 2 years, it is very apparent that Swansea is in desperate need of a state of the art skatepark. The proposed location of the West Cross skatepark is the perfect place for a new skatepark, I hope that the many children and adults' voices will be heard for this skatepark to go ahead and not the minority who oppose this transfer of land for the skatepark.</p>
535	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	<p>I am very much in favour of the skatepark being expanded and developed so it can be used by more children and young people. It is vital for the wellbeing of children of all ages to have free, accessible play provision, and this will hopefully provide somewhere safe for older children and teens to be able to exercise and socialise.</p> <p>Thankyou.</p>
536	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	<p>I am in full support of this is a long awaited project that has had the backing off many people not only in the local and surrounding area but in recent times even further throughout UK. It is a facility that is greatly need to update the well used and loved ramp that is on this proposed site, it will open up the area to a wider variety off users of all ages and skill level ,only to be enhanced by the wonderful views off bay whilst having a safe area to part take in an out door activity which is growing in popularity in an area widely known for its boarders by on land and sea .</p>

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537	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	<p>Long overdue. We need facilities such as this and there has never been any trouble there. Why should people object, a severe case of Nimbyism from people who have nothing more to do with themselves.</p> <p>On the other hand, maybe these people could purchase some nearby land and fund the project. That would be an honourable gesture and solve the problem once and for all.</p>
538	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I support the proposed new skate facilities. I welcome them in such an open area. When I was on holiday in France there was a skate park on the seafront. It was full of young people, family groups and adults. By having a skatepark on the seafront we're creating a wonderful asset for people of all ages. A tourist attraction and a safe place to play. Much better in this location than tucked away in a park off the beaten track, which is more likely to attract anti social behaviour.</p> <p><a href="https://www.vendee-tourism.co.uk/skate-park/la-tranche-sur-mer/loipdl085v513v3c">https://www.vendee-tourism.co.uk/skate-park/la-tranche-sur-mer/loipdl085v513v3c</a></p>
539	28-09-2021		Swansea	Definitely a need for a skateboard park in West Cross . .
540	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support the application.
541	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this excellent initiative.
542	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I am writing to support the proposed land transfer to enable the development of the planned skate park. This will be an important amenity for young people building on the existing facility.
543	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	Fully in favour-the development of a skate park is very much needed in this area.
544	28-09-2021		Swansea	The skate park is a much needed facility in the area.
545	28-09-2021	Pont	pontarddulais	<p>I strongly believe that this site should be maintained and further developed as a skate park facility for young people.</p> <p>The council needs to ensure that this occurs and continues to do so in the future</p>
546	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	Essential for physical and mental health of young people. May also make an Olympian of someone.
547	28-09-2021	Pennard	Swansea	I fully support the disposal of the open space which will provide a long overdue improvement to the current facilities.

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548	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fantastic proposal. Mumbles community council has amazing plans for this area that would make a huge positive impact to the residents of Swansea. A dedicated wheeled sports area for all to enjoy.
549	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the transfer of land to Mumbles Community Council.  Swansea needs this skatepark in this location.
550	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	Myself and family are in favour of this skate park.
551	28-09-2021	West Cross	SWANSEA	Like a lot of other local residents I've been angered and frustrated by what seemed to me a campaign by and [REDACTED] to block improvement to the skateboard on its existing site. I'm too old to skateboard or bike on the present well-used tube but I pass by most days and have been pleased not pained or inconvenienced by what looks like a healthy, skilled and harmless activity. I've never seen litter strewn around and the noise of the board-wheels on metal is mostly lost between that of road-traffic above and waves on beach below. I've seen no loose parking or other nuisance round the site. It would be hard for anyone to overshoot the kerb in either direction between the skateboard and the road. Young and older skateboarders, male and female, have been polite and friendly when we've chatted from time to time. I can't think why any little group of people should have wasted so much time and money trying to abort what seems to me and many other neighbours a valuable public asset. There's also a convenient public toilet by the nearby Blackpill Junction.
552	28-09-2021	Caswell	Swansea	This is a fantastic site for a much needed skate provision for our community . Swansea has a great skate following and young people need and deserve good facilities. This will serve the local community and skaters from across the site . It's time we invested in our young people and in physical activity provision.
553	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support the transfer of this land to provide a much needed skate park for the community to enjoy.
554	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this proposal.
555	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the redevelopment of the skatepark!

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556	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	It would be such a good opportunity for so many young people if this skatepark were to go ahead and would attract people from all over wales as it would be one of the best outdoor skateparks in wales.
557	28-09-2021		Swansea	I wholeheartedly support this land transfer
558	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the transfer to allow the building of the new skate park
559	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the use of the land for the skate park. A community of skaters has built up, and it is being used respectably so far. I support the notion of the land being developed further for a skatepark, for the benefit of the youths around. And for ease of access.
560	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	A skateboard park will be a positive asset to the area. Obviously this has been a long time in the making, if it we're a fad or fashionable request by the local community then it would've been long forgotten by now. That hasn't happened. The community still very much wants this skateboard park to happen.
561	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this and think the transfer should happen so Mumbles Council can build the new skatepark. Swansea needs more things for kids to do that are free, in a safe, open environment
562	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	I support the proposed land transfer and the proposed skatepark. The skate park is important for young people's physical , emotional, mental health and social wellbeing. It will be open to the community and free to access which is vital for low income families of which there are many in the West Cross area.
563	28-09-2021		Swansea	I would like to support the application for the new skatepark. This is much needed for the physical, social and mental wellbeing for the local well being of young people needing such a facility. It would include the wide social access for people not having finances to access other paid activities . The young people deserve this.
564	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the skate park development.
565	28-09-2021	Ynstawe	Swansea	I give my full support to this well needed facility.

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566	28-09-2021	Penclawdd	Swansea	An absolutely fantastic facility for both young and old. Any activities that encourage young people to get out of the house is certainly going to improve physical and mental health. Also the ethos of keeping on trying to succeed is something this facility will teach naturally... enhancing the keep going don't give up mentally, a very important life lesson through recreation
567	28-09-2021	Loughor	Swansea	I am writing to show my support for this process. I was dismayed to see that the skatepark was held up by red tape and hope that this much needed and much deserved facility for local children and adults will now go ahead. The mental and physical well-being of our citizens depends on developments like this.
568	28-09-2021	UPLANDS	SWANSEA	I fully support this facility and believe the transfer of the land to allow a skatepark should go through.
569	28-09-2021	Baglan	Port talbot	I honestly cannot wait for this skatepark to be built. I think it will be wonderful to see this project realised, and kids and adult skaters of all abilities can benefit.
570	28-09-2021	Mount Pleasant	Swansea	This is a fantastic idea and a much needed piece part of the city.
571	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	I support the Council of the City and County of Swansea and the intention to dispose of land known as West Cross Skate Park, Llwynderw Site on the east side of Mumbles Road, West Cross, Swansea, by the grant of a lease of such land to Mumbles Community Council to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities.
572	28-09-2021	Derwen Fawr	Swansea	I support this proposal
573	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	Please build the skate park,that's the only thing we are asking for ,you guys say to come to you when we need you but clearly shows that you guys aren't standing by your words . We just want a skate park , is that so much to ask for ?
575	28-09-2021		Swansea	I feel that the skatepark will become a resource for people from all over the city to enjoy. Little exists in the area by way of a space where young people can congregate.
576	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	I wholeheartedly support this, as a local person & father of children who will benefit from the upgrading of this skatepark site.
577	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support this project.



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578	28-09-2021		CARDIFF	It is unacceptable that there is no suitable place for skateboarders and other extreme sport partakers to practice outdoors.
579	28-09-2021	Parkmill	Swansea	I'm all in for a skatepark, about time it got the green light don't you think!?!)
580	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Expanding facilities for children and adults to do sport is vital for the health and well-being of the community. Skateboarding and BMX are now mainstream sports, the olympics goes to show that. We should be encouraging people to participate in such sports, not disadvantaging them by preventing new facilities being built. This is a wonder opportunity for Swansea, and it's young people. There are not many sports that are free and so easily accessible for so many. Not everybody can afford a bike, a gym membership or to pay for courts or clubs. Skateboarding, after initial purchase which is cheap, is free and widely accessible. We should be encouraging the uptake of the sport as a way to protect the health and well-being of our community, which eventually means people are healthier and more productive workers, strengthening our economy and reducing the burden on NHS.
581	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I fully support improving free sporting provisions along Swansea sea front. In fact, I wish there were more such as all weather multi sports courts, improvements and general maintenance to the bowling green and tennis courts in mumbles to name just a few. These facilities are very much needed not only for Swansea residents but to boost tourism to the area.
582	28-09-2021		Abertawe	An excellent idea, providing a much needed facility for young people in the area. I fully support this disposal.
583	28-09-2021	Llangennith	Swansea	Brilliant for the kids and big kids. This development is a must for Swansea/ mumbles.
584	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support anything which helps to develop the skate park on this site for young people.
585	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea <sup>9</sup>	Best thing for the kids in the area

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586	28-09-2021	Wauanarlwydd	Swansea	<p>Hey Im [REDACTED] skater/surfer from swansea. I've lived here all my life and always dreamed of a good skate park in the city I live in . I gotta travel a good few hours away to go and skate and have done so since I was a child after the skate park in the leisure centre disappeared. It's disappointing to have to travel as I love my city . As being a skater now in his 30s and who's a father it's sad to see there's nothing now here for the kids and the youth .</p> <p>Please make the skate park I'd hope to see in the future as a old man I can go to the skate park to watch the skaters Thanks for reading</p>
587	28-09-2021		SwansEa	Excellent. I approve! It's been a longtime coming
588	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Fully support this project and find it shocking that we are back at this stage.
589	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	Allow this space for a skate park.
590	28-09-2021	Westcross	Swansea	We need this new skate park for the children .It will be good for them .Children need outside space where they can meetup and enjoy doing something that will keep them fit and also do their mental health the world of good . Instead of sitting in doors playing games and watching tv.
591	28-09-2021		Swansea	This skate park is accessible for everyone. Improve this site don't move it
592	28-09-2021	Hendy	Swansea	I fully support the transfer of this land in order to expand the wheeled sports facilities at the location. The proposed facility will provide youngsters with a suitable environment to practice their sports safely and developed their skills. As a family who already use this area regularly with our children we believe that the proposed facility will give an excellent expansion to what is already there. Swansea is lacking skate park facilities with the loss of ramps and the box at Victoria park, this facility will give the young of Swansea a much needed safe place to practice off streets and car parks.

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593	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	I believe that the skate park should be built as soon as possible, the people of Swansea deserve this facility and have been campaigning hard for it for years. Please allow this project to go ahead to benefit the very many and not prevent it to appease the few. Thank you.
594	28-09-2021		Swansea	Kids need somewhere to go and have been fighting for this - All for the skatepark.
595	28-09-2021		Swansea	The skate park is a great idea! Why would anyone oppose of this?
596	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	This is a brilliant and much needed upgrade for the site, great for the current and the future community
597	28-09-2021		Swansea	I agree wholeheartedly. And about time too.
598	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this transfer of land to Mumbles Community Council for the purpose of building a skate park
599	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support the proposal.
600	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	New skatepark facilities are long overdue for swansea and the site of the current skatepark is an ideal location for expansion.
601	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this slice of land that is owned by the people of Swansea to be developed into a much needed space for people of all ages to go and have fun in. It is more essential than ever to provide facilities for young people to have an opportunity to be part of a community they can challenge themselves in and grow in.
603	28-09-2021		Swansea	Youth of today need this space
604	28-09-2021	Grovesend	Swansea	I am in support of the skatepark as I strongly feel that children, teenagers & adults do not have enough recreation in the area. The skatepark that's already there has been there for sometime with no problems. I think it will help the mental well being of many of the children that have suffered through Covid & lockdown. The skatepark offers an outdoor activity, which is beneficial for the health & well being of the people who wish to use the facility. I know if I drove to Mumbles with my grandchildren they would want to visit the park. You cannot be blinkered by the minority and the majority should be heard. We work hard, pay our taxes and it's only right that there are amenities in the area for everyone to enjoy. This skatepark should be allowed to go ahead and be built on land on Mumbles Road.

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605	28-09-2021		Swansea	It's essential that children have the right to play and have their needs met. Children and young people have rights too.
606	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support this land transfer for the improvements that have been submitted for new skatepark that would benefit the local community
607	28-09-2021		Swansea	I am totally in support of the proposed disposal and the plans to develop the land. This development will inspire and facilitate an active and engaged community, offer opportunities away from 'traditional' sport and enhance the natural environment around Swansea Bay. I can't think of a better use of land in the current climate and remain optimistic that this will be realised.
608	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the skatepark development!
609	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	The addition of this skate park will be an invaluable asset to the community for years to come. It is in-keeping with Swansea Council's corporate plan in many ways. The skate park will help to keep children and young people healthy, active and motivated, which will be carried on through their lives.
610	28-09-2021		swansea	please develop a skatepark here to encourage and support the youth of mumbles and swansea to stay active, build a community and get outside. skating is a respectable sport, and having these facilities would enrich the lives of so many people
611	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please give the kids a chance to enjoy a skate park
612	28-09-2021		Swansea	I am in full support of the land transfer for the skate park development!
613	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the transfer of this land to mumbles community council for the use of a skatepark.
614	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the skate park, it's brilliant for children of all ages and great addition to Swansea
615	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Abertawe	I am definitely in favour of this parcel of land being leased to Mumbles Community Council
616	28-09-2021		Swansea	I believe this area is a much needed resource for our children and young people and should be improved and expanded to give them somewhere safe to practice and play. I fully support the lease of this land.
617	28-09-2021		Swansea	Absolutely agree with the transfer to allow the skatepark to be built.

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618	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>As a local resident with a young child and long-standing links to the area, I would like to lend my approval for the use of the land for development of a park for wheeled sports ie a skateboard, rollerblade and bike park.</p> <p>The land already has such a facility, albeit much smaller, and is well-cared for and used by members of the public. There is precedent for such a facility. I also make reference to Venice Beach Skatepark in California. Many years after opposition to the park, campaigners were finally successful and there now exists a wonderful, beachside park which draws visitors from all over the world while also being a much-loved amenity for local residents. There is no reason why the Llwyn derw site cannot be built in this mould.</p> <p>Outdoor activities help maintain mental and physical health. They bring visitors to areas for use of facilities, competitions and events. Local businesses would surely benefit. I support Swansea Council in the development of a top-class civic amenity</p>
620	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>This would be absolutely amazing for the young people of mumbles and surrounding areas!</p> <p>It will actually give them a place to do activities and enjoy themselves rather than doing drugs on the streets or in the woods because of the lack of facilities!</p> <p>Please wake up and realise this is exactly what mumbles needs...the support for this is huge and has only been objected by the small [REDACTED] minority.</p>
621	28-09-2021	Fforestfach	Swansea	<p>There is a shortage of social spaces for young people in the city.</p> <p>This project is well overdue.</p>
622	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I fully support the handover of this land. The skate park will be an asset to the area</p>
623	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Fully support this opportunity to improve the skate park. Lets give people the best facilities to get them outside and exercising</p>
624	28-09-2021	Caswell	Swansea	<p>I think this is a fabulous idea and has been a long time I'm coming. The youngsters have struggled on the existing tiny facility for too many years. It can't happen soon enough in my opinion. What a great way to get fresh air and exercise whilst doing something that's enjoyed. I'm am totally for the transfer of land in providing such a facility. An excellent move</p>

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626	28-09-2021	Landore	Swansea	We need more skateparks around swansea!, we have nothing, it's either we'd have to travel to cardiff indoor skatepark, or it would've been ramps in Llanelli, which has shutdown. Victoria park's outdoor skatepark ramp has been taken down by the council now there is only 2 grind rails, 1 which having been burnt so it's really really bad concrete either side, and there's the half pipe, I agree the box ramp was in no perfect condition. But they should've taken it away, and put a new one straight away. People used to love going there. Now there's no enough room for people to go during summer time/ when the weather is nice. Nobody is enjoying the skateparks around swansea. Because they're all getting taken down and there's nothing left of them anymore. We need something new and we need it asap, adding to the one down mumbles would be good!, we need that. But we also need something local to the people that live further away from mumbles. But anything you give us we will take it. Anything is better than nothing
627	28-09-2021		Swansea	I completely support this transfer.  It will give a much needed facility for local young people in the area, not just the Mumbles, but a much wider area with no negative impacts, only positive.
628	28-09-2021	Westcross	Swansea	I fully support the area to be transferred to the mumbles community council and think that a skatepark development will be a fantastic asset for our community and culture.
629	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I whole heartedly support the transfer to MCC for the building of an improved skate park.  It is very much needed in the local area and the perfect position for such a scheme, given the ease that children from mumbles, West Cross, Mayals, Killay and beyond can access it.

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630	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Hi,</p> <p>I would like to give my full support in the disposal of land known as West Cross Skate Park, Llwynderw Site on the east side of Mumbles Road, West Cross, Swansea, by the grant of a lease of such land to Mumbles Community Council to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities.</p> <p>I think this is an excellent opportunity to encourage sports within the Swansea area. Also this has the potential to put Swansea on the map as a tourist destination for these type of sports. Which has the potential to give a Boost to the Swansea economy.</p> <p>I look forward to see the progress and visit this park once completed.</p>
632	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	<p>As this site has been used for skateboarding for the last 20+ years, I can't wait to see the facilities updated for the people of Swansea to enjoy.</p> <p>Skateboarding is now an Olympic sport, it's about time we had a facility to give the youngsters in the city a real chance.</p>
633	28-09-2021		swansea	This land should be made in to a skatepark.
634	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I support the improvement to the skatepark
635	28-09-2021	Norton	Swansea	<p>Absolutely no objection.</p> <p>Get the skate park built.</p>

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636	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>As someone who grew up in the Mumbles and had very little to do and I ended up going down the wrong path, as did so many of my friends from that area.</p> <p>I wish I had the facilities like Llwynderw skatepark, I would have gotten into skateboarding earlier which would have brought a huge positive change to my life. We could have our own Sky Browns that Swansea could be proud of if we had the training facilities. The youth of Swansea deserve a chance. It's sad to see [REDACTED] rather than the thousands of kids and adults who will use the skatepark.</p> <p>Swansea council has taken away so much from the Swansea skating community. As a female skater with [REDACTED], I feel scared to skate in town, car parks etc, I want somewhere safe like Llwynderw skatepark.</p>
637	28-09-2021	Southgate	Swansea	Let the kids have it and skate.
638	28-09-2021		Swansea	The skatepark is the best thing that could happen to that area, 100% support it.
639	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully and wholeheartedly support the proposed development of wheeled sports recreational grounds in mumbles.
640	28-09-2021	Llanelli	Llanelli	It won't be soon enough...The much needed skatepark will be welcomed by so many.



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641	28-09-2021	Blackpill	Swansea	I've been a skater in this community since I was a child, the influence of having a skatepark provided for the young community of Swansea would be immense. It not only would bring an area for all people to meet and enjoy their enjoyed passion, it also benefits other members of the community, freeing up the already busy promenade for cyclists and pedestrians. Not to mention the benefits it's poses for Swansea as a tourist attraction, with a skatepark it will open up further avenues for markets within small and local businesses. Please consider that this decision has been one we have been waiting for for at least 20 years and it will have a massively beneficial impact for everyone in the community. I have spoken with fellow residence who are fully supportive of this project going ahead please give Swansea hope and realise that skateboarding has provided people a path when they have felt lost and provided people company when they have felt alone. This is about our community please listen to what is needed, this isn't a luxury it's a necessity. Skateboarding has helped my mental health along with many others especially during lock down please listen to the voices of many not the cash in their pockets.
642	28-09-2021		Swansea	I wish to register my support for the proposed skatepark development at Llwynderw in Mumbles
643	28-09-2021		Swansea	In agreement for this plan
644	28-09-2021		Neath	Supported
645	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	I strongly agree with the proposal to lease this land to Mumbles Community Council. It will benefit young people and families in the area. Providing improved facilities for skateboarding and essential leisure opportunities for local children.

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646	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>This is a much needed facility for people of all ages and backgrounds in the community, I'm really glad the Council is advancing this plan.</p> <p>I don't skate, but I grew up here and know how crowded that old half-pipe gets and there is an obvious demand for a great facility.</p> <p>In a particularly affluent area, it also brings the benefits and views of Mumbles and Bay to people who may not live immediately in the vicinity. It makes the area more inclusive and will benefit businesses in Mumbles.</p> <p>One suggestion - please plan in proper recycling / bin facilities!</p>
647	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	<p>The development of this site for skateboarding etc would be an asset to the foreshore area and a much needed facility for this sport. It was evident in the recent Olympic Games that this sport not only develops physical skills but also an exceptional social and mental well-being in the participants. This was mentioned numerous times by different sports commentators.</p> <p>The success of the athletes showed the need for facilities to be available in order for them to develop their skills.</p> <p>I have seen a similar area at Cardiff Bay and noticed the variety of ages and abilities enjoying the site. There was a noticeable camaraderie and support between the people using it and I was struck by how positive this was.</p> <p>The existing Mumbles area with its meagre facility has been used for many years. I was speaking to two skateboarders recently at the site and they were telling me what a good community is there. Surely we should be encouraging and developing this area to help this grow and prosper.</p>
648	28-09-2021		Swansea	Great for the children!
649	28-09-2021		Swansea	This needs to stay to give the kids somewhere to go
650	28-09-2021		Swansea	I strongly approve of the plans for the enhanced skatepark on the present site.
651	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I would hope the land can be passed to mumbles Council to enable the skate park to be built

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652	28-09-2021		Swansea	I am writing in support of the skatepark, children need exercise and fresh air. This location is ideal. This is an exercise which doesn't cost a lot of money, allowing more children to participate. This is an opportunity which shouldn't be missed, who knows, there could be more Olympic medals won if this is passed.
653	28-09-2021	Penclawdd	Swansea	I fully and wholeheartedly support this proposal.
654	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	I am in full agreement towards the land transfer for the development of the skate park
655	28-09-2021		Swansea	I believe that removing the skate park will remove a valuable resource for many of the young people of Swansea. In fact, I would like to see the park improved not removed!
656	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	Very much in Favour of the land being used as a skate Park. Much needed for the youngsters in this area.
657	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this skate park. With the closure of so many of Swansea youth services it is even more essential that this go ahead. Young people need to feel included and wanted by the community if we are to expect them to contribute to it too. It would be a travesty to not develop this site.
658	28-09-2021	Blackpill	Swansea	I wholeheartedly support this project, and believe that the provision of a skatepark can only benefit young people in Swansea at no disadvantage to local residents, of which I am one.
659	28-09-2021	Southgate	Swansea	I would just like to register my support for the skatepark, and therefore of the disposal of the land to Mumbles community. The skatepark would provide exercise and entertainment for the community. Surely the time has come to actually build it after all the holdups this project has endured.
660	28-09-2021	North Hill	Swansea	I am total support over the ground being developed into a skatepark. Do to some individuals stopping it last year. I believe this will be great for swansea and mumbles. As a old skater I would love to take my Son to see something so that's not only requires physical strength and balance. But also helps mental health in the way that skateboarding has helped so many. Also now as an Olympic sport. Swansea now has the chance to develop Olympic skateboarding champion.

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661	28-09-2021		swansea	I think this should be allowed as there is ample room for the park and residents. It will be a place for the kids to skate etc safely and also on a main rd should they get injured. take kids off the streets and into areas where there is good bus/car path to walk to Swansea safely if they so want routes leading into Mumbles and along on the pathway into town etc
662	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	I strongly object to the proposed disposal and wholeheartedly support the skatepark as an important recreational area for many users.
663	28-09-2021		Swansea	What a brilliant thing to do, as I know the plans that the Mumbles Community Council have for the new facilities will be fantastic for the young people of the area. Good on you Swansea Council please approve this plan for the benefit of the community.
664	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please save this space for a much needed Skate park in West cross. Swansea and Mumbles kids need the inspiration and somewhere decent to practice hobbies and have fun. Everyone complains that kids are spending too much time on the Internet.... Maybe they don't have much choice!?! Do the right thing and give back to the future of the community
666	28-09-2021		Llanelli	The youth need a place they can focus they're mindset on a healthy activity rather than being around negative people. Mumbles has a chance to speak outcomes and help the youth and stand up to help skateboarding in Wales that has been neglected for so long, the amount of businesses that will thrive will be great, mumbles will be once known again as one of the greatest places to visit in Wales. Please don't forget our welsh identity, we are a small country with such a loud voice and you have the opportunity to do what's right for mumbles and also our country that we love so much.
667	28-09-2021	Norton	Swansea	A much needed outdoor activity space for the community.
668	28-09-2021		Swansea	I strongly support the transfer of this land to mumbles community council so young persons activities can take place at this space .
669	28-09-2021	Birchgrove	Swansea	This area has been a great free area for thousands of families over the years. This space gives the freedom to enjoy and feel you have somewhere you can go in an outdoor area and meet people with the same interest. This is also a great place to watch the creativity of the people using this area. Please allow this to be passed as it would be a real shame if this does not go through.

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670	28-09-2021	Norton	Swansea	<p>In support of the skate park</p> <p>I am writing to as a parent and on behalf of my two children aged 11 and 8 who are both desperate for the Mumbles skatepark build to go ahead.</p> <p>There has been so much dither and delay regarding this project and ultimately it's the younger generation who are missing out on this fantastic facility. They've been hit by two lockdowns resulting in them spending a considerable amount of time inside, unable to socialise with friends and participate in exercise. This project will benefit the local area and will promote healthy lifestyles amongst the young and old.</p> <p>With surfing and skateboarding now in the Olympics, it's about time that Swansea Council really push for this project to happen and perhaps Swansea will produce the next Sky Brown!</p> <p>Let's get the transfer of land sorted and have it built, ASAP!</p>
671	28-09-2021		Swansea	This will be fantastic for Swansea and I fully support this application
672	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this land disposal to aid the creation of a sports facility.
673	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	Father kids it's a [REDACTED] good thing to do it's about time they had something down there
674	28-09-2021	Westcross	Swansea	The skate park is a much needed resource for the local community.
675	28-09-2021		Swansea	Need a skatepark
676	28-09-2021		Swansea	This skate park is important to the kids of Swansea my sons and grandsons have used it and it should never kept for future generations!!!
677	28-09-2021	Morrison	Swansea	As a resident of the local area I think this would bring immense joy to the children in the area and provide opportunities for them to improve and keep them out of trouble. It's a no brainier really
678	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	It's about time this skate park was built. It's an ideal place in an open space

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679	28-09-2021		Swansea	I wholeheartedly support the disposal of the land known as West Cross skate Park, Mumbles Road, West Cross, Swansea, SA3 5TW to Mumbles Community council for the use of expanding the current skate park facilities.
680	28-09-2021		Bridgend	Fully in support of the Mumbles skatepark redevelopment! Will give back to the community in many positive ways. As a previous resident of Mumbles and many years growing up with very few facilities this will be a great investment to the local community.
681	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	I support the transfer of land and renewal and improvement of the existing skate park. A resource that has been successfully used for over 20 years and is in desperate need of an upgrade. The community cohesion and engagement opportunities for children and young people is invaluable and as a accessible facility will bring even more benefit to the area. It is just sad that it has taken this long and that it is persistently railroaded by a minority despite its consistent use by families and people of all ages. Stop wasting time and get this resource up and running so we can be seen as the modern inclusive city we should be.
682	28-09-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	I fully support the land disposal and development of skatepark. Young people need leisure facilities.
683	28-09-2021		Dunvant	I think all support and interest the prospect of the new skate park has generated, only goes to show how much the people of Swansea both young & old want this development to go ahead. Skateboarding is now an Olympic sport, the council has provided land for swimming & running facilities to encourage & nurture future Olympians. I think skateboarders deserve the same opportunity.
684	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	I am very much in favour of developing the land into a new skate park. An outdoor recreational area on the mumbles front would serve the area well, giving the young people of Swansea a place to exercise and socialise. With skateboarding now an Olympic sport, the demand for these kinds of facilities will only increase so building the park will be well worth the investment.
685	28-09-2021		Swansea	Leave Skate park where it is accessible to all who live in Swansea
686	28-09-2021		West Cross	A skatepark would be a fantastic, much needed facility for the people of this area.

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687	28-09-2021	Fforestfach	Swansea	I fully support the disposal of the land by way of granting mumbles community council a lease to expand and enhance the wheeled sports provision at the specified site. I think it is an excellent location for the facility and would benefit greatly with modernisation and expansion and would be a really asset to the community
688	28-09-2021		Swansea	This is vital for our youth, who have little in the way of prospects nowadays
689	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I fully support the transfer of land mentioned to mumbles community council for the development of a skate park. This is long over due having lived here all my life and a great location for one.
690	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Brilliant it should have been made years ago for the people of Swansea
691	28-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	I support the improvement of the skate park, i feel that the provision of outdoor spaces for youth across Swansea is really poor and this would be a really positive development.
692	28-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	This has dragged on far too long. Its a fantastic idea and needs to go ahead as soon as possible in the planned place, the behaviour of [REDACTED] has been quite unpleasant and I think denying those who would use the site, and respect it as they do the current one, is awful. It has my full support.
693	28-09-2021		Swansea	The proposed skate park will be a massive mental escape for some of our youth, and help with the ever-growing problem with our nation being overweight. Disposal of these plans is a turn in the wrong direction and I am completely against it.
694	28-09-2021		Bancyfelyn	Wonderful to see this development gaining traction. This will be a boon to the young people of Swansea and the surrounding areas. I frequented the ramp myself in the 90's and early 2000's so it is wonderful to her that the facility may be able to expand and improve for more generations to come.
695	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this land transfer and the development of a facility for skateboarding and other wheeled sports activity
696	28-09-2021	Waunarlwydd	Swansea	Swansea needs a skatepark, the sport is so popular and the kids need somewhere to go. Come on Swansea Council let's do this!
697	28-09-2021	Sketty	SWANSEA	Please allow the sale or transfer of the applicable land to enable the updating of the skate park on Mumbles Road. This area has been used as a skate park for many years without trouble or hassle. Most Swansea residents believe this area is necessary for young people who use it to exercise and be occupied.

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698	28-09-2021		Newton, Swansea	Yes to the skate park
699	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	With regard to the transfer of the Llwynderw site. As a local resident I give my full support to such a transfer, and development into a state of the art wheeled attraction for our children now and future generation
700	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the development of the site as a facility for the skateboarders of the area. Let's show the youth we value them.
701	28-09-2021		Honiton	My parents live in Mumbles & when we visit with Grandchildren we always use this skate park. It's been there for years (since I was a child). Utter disgrace.
702	28-09-2021		Swansea	This skate park has been a massive pillar in the community! If you ask any young adult or local teenager what the skate park means to them its more then just ramp its a meeting ground where you meet a range of different people in the community, i met loads of friends here I personally didn't live local but went to bishop gore comprehensive school where a lot of my friend lived local and we spend most our summer down the skate ramp and when i heard about the revamp I thought i was amazing idea, it is the perfect location for all to meet, i like that it is a small walking distance from the nearest car park make the area feel more secure knowing that people can't hang around in there cars next to the skate park as teenagers may find that intimidating if the car was was right next to it ... there been so many bad comments its location and personal think its an amazing one and would have loved a skate park the is proposed to be there when i was growing up!
703	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	As a Dad of two young boys we think this will be brilliant for the area, attracting a wide range of ages and help Swansea keep up with other cities recognising the importance of urban sports in terms of community cohesion and health and wellbeing. Not to mention nurturing future Welsh Olympic skateboard champions!



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704	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	I fully support the land transfer to mumbles community council a Skatepark is needed on the promenade. We need more facilities like this all over Swansea and Gower! This will improve the wellbeing of everyone in Swansea and even get kids into a sport rather than participating in antisocial behaviour. It's about time that Swansea Council get things done and improve facility's around the mumbles and Gower areas. Skateboarding, BMXing are Olympic sports and it's more important than now than ever as we come out of a covid free world for kids to skate and BMX as we could have the next Olympic GB medalist in Swansea!
705	28-09-2021		Swansea	Skatepark definitely needs to go ahead
706	28-09-2021	norton	Swansea	please get the skatepark built! we have been waiting so long for this!
707	28-09-2021	Ravenhill	Swansea	Please register my complete support for the skate park. It's a much needed amenity, well supported by the local community of Swansea. Our young people need somewhere to go which doesn't cost lots of money, which allows them time away from screens, in a safe environment, which is beneficial to their physical and mental health. Please don't let selfish concerns get in the way of the wellbeing of our youngsters!
708	28-09-2021		Seansea	Outrageous, pandering to [REDACTED] over the needs of the community. Olympic sport, needs provision in Swansea. This is a Community facility used by people who pay their full taxes in Swansea. [REDACTED] over provision of amenities for citizens.
709	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	Young people need a safe area to exercise and meet outdoors.
710	28-09-2021		Swansea	I absolutely agree that this space should be developed for children and adults alike to improve physical and mental health while undertaking exercise and enjoying the view!
711	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I fully support the transfer of land to Mumbles Community Council to expand the skatepark facilities at Llwynderw. I am a local resident with a young daughter and I really hope that in the not too distant future I will be able to take my daughter to the new skatepark to enjoy and use for years to come. It will be an excellent public resource for all ages and can only benefit the Mumbles and Swansea community.
712	28-09-2021	Gorseinon	Swansea	This is something that all age children could enjoy
713	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Save the skatepark!! A much needed resource for children in the area and great for the community.

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714	28-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	After the success of skateboarding in the Olympics we need to encourage the youth and provide them with top notch facilities
715	28-09-2021		Swindon	Hi,  I know I live in Swindon but I went to Manselton, Cwmbwrla, Whitestone, Emmanuel, Bishop Gore and Swansea University. I visit Swansea often and will retire there. If you dispose of the skatepark where are the alternatives for the local kids. The present site is perfect for all the local kids of west Swansea and even out of towners like me. I used to serve Peter Black in the take away in Manselton and he will understand the anti social behaviour of kids with nothing to do.  I object to the disposal.
716	28-09-2021		Swansea	An opportunity to develop and improve a fantastic facility for young people to get together, exercise and have fun; now and for future generations.
717	28-09-2021	Mumbles	ABERTAWE	I fully support the land at the proposed site being passed to Mumbles Community Council. I fully support its use to be as a wheeled sports facility.
718	28-09-2021	Caswell Bay	Swansea	It is essential that this land is transferred to the Mumbles Community Council so that their well advanced plans and hard work over many years to extend the much desired skate park supported by the majority of the local community can, can be completed.
719	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Fully support this!
720	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	This parcel of land should be developed properly as a skate park for young and not so young and for no other purpose!
721	28-09-2021		Swansea	This is long overdue, swansea seafront should have A class facilities to promote tourism and provide outdoor activity space for our youth.
722	28-09-2021		swansea	in agreement with this - definitely need this skatepark to be on this site - it is perfect as most people who use it skate to it
723	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support kids playing sport and practicing their wheeled craft.
724	28-09-2021		swansea	in agreement with this - definitely need this skatepark to be on this site - it is perfect as most people who use it skate to it

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725	28-09-2021	Clydach	Swansea	I completely support the transfer of the land and the development of a larger skate park. The skate community in the area are friendly, welcoming of all ages and abilities and whenever I have taken my son there to skate on the existing small ramp I have appreciated how lucky we are to have these facilities in such a beautiful area with so many other amenities close by. Skating adds to the culture and ambience of swansea as a whole ,which I find to be a very outdoors and sports orientated place to live, having a good skate park will add to that positively. Also there has never been a more important time to support the wellbeing of our youths, outdoor sports and recreation areas promote good physical and mental health and opportunities to socialise in a time when many of the younger generation may have recently felt shut off and of low mood. I can't support this development enough.
726	28-09-2021		swansea	totally agree with this - badly needed resource for the young people in the area.
727	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I strongly support the transfer of the land to Mumbles Community Council for the development of skate boarding facilities.
728	28-09-2021		West cross	<p>As a local resident, and a parent - I fully support this proposal as I feel it's beneficial to the area for the below reasons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- vital for encouraging active lifestyle and sport of young people online with the well-being of future generations act</li> <li>- provides youths of the area with a safe space, that can be monitored if needed to socialise in and allows them to have pride in their area</li> <li>- diversifies the area - which in recent years has become very focussed on retail and hospitality</li> <li>- is respectful and considerate of the natural landscape and allows people of all ages and backgrounds to enjoy the landscape and space</li> <li>- has already received tons of support by many, and shouldn't be delayed any further</li> </ul>

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729	28-09-2021		swansea	This is such a good opportunity for skateboarders in Swansea - and the perfect position for it if you look at other european countries
730	28-09-2021		Swansea	Would be a great asset for local kids and families
731	28-09-2021		swansea	wholeheartedly agree with this proposal - long, long overdue.
732	28-09-2021		Swansea	Swansea needs more open and outside spaces for people to use for all wheeled sports. This is imperative.
733	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I am in full support of the land being used to build a state of the art wheeled sports facility. It would encourage both younger and older generations to become active, fit and healthy at a time where it's becoming far easier and more common to stay indoors. It would be beneficial to both the mental and physical health of all users. It's absurd that Swansea has taken this long to consider building a skatepark as Bristol, Cardiff, Haverfordwest to name only a few all have similar facilities. All of which are extremely popular.
734	28-09-2021	Penclawdd	Swansea	I believe this land should be developed into a new skatepark facility for the local community and also an attraction for tourists to the area. Having seen the benefits of similar local projects such as pump tracks in the Swansea area This development would help massively for the youth of Swansea as a great alternative sports solution and investing in this kind of facility would be very keeping with the times as we've seen in the Olympics this year, BMX and Skateboarding is now considered a top level sport. At this current moment in time there is a lack of investment in this sort of facility. In Swansea we have an Olympic pool and a fantastic athletics track plus investment in many other sport disciplines but sadly because of how many people seem to perceive skateboarding/BMX as being anti social or a nusense it has never had committed investment in these sports. Giving a modern and up to date place for these sports to take part in would help to stop any anti social behaviour that may occur as these people will take pride and be grateful for what would be provided.
735	28-09-2021	Cwmdu	Swansea	Please allow the children of Swansea a place to be able to skate safely and securely..
736	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support

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737	28-09-2021	Penlan	Swansea	Should be dun by naw people for all over are waiting for wat we where promised all this time ago
738	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I support the proposed sports development which will benefit young people.
739	28-09-2021		Swansea	We seriously need to expand the land to allow a skatepark! These facilities keep kids out of trouble and off the streets! The pandemic has divided too many people and meant a lot of children haven't had the opportunity to make friends. I've made many friends at skateparks because of the communal aspect of using a skate park! The stigma behind skating is being diminished thankfully due to the correct funding of facilities and encouragement to get kids active! It's a fun way for kids to be healthy and social! It is also good for parents as it allows a safe space for them to let their children enjoy the facilities! There is already a half pipe there so why not extend the land that so that we can provide the children with the facilities that are safer and allow for more children to enjoy themselves! It's time we started helping develop our community!!
740	28-09-2021		Swansea	I strongly approve of the transfer of the land.
741	28-09-2021		Swansea	Support for the site to be a skatepark

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742	28-09-2021	Clydach	Swansea	<p>Annwyl Cyngor a Sir Abertawe,</p> <p>I am writing this letter to you about the transfer of the Llwynderw skate park site, and I would like to put forward my full support of this. The skatepark is essential I think to the youth, vibrancy and diversity of this city. Abolishing these plans would be an outrage after years of planning and legal problems. I think it is long overdue for Swansea front to have a usable and decent outdoor (and free) skate park as most cities and towns in the United Kingdom do already.</p> <p>It will not bring any disruption to the area once complete as the seafront and halfpipe that is currently there is already a popular destination for young skateboarders, and so this new park will only seek to improve the quality, safety, and overall experience of those who currently visit the site.</p> <p>The abolishment of these plans will kill and entire subculture in our city, which Swansea thrives on. With nowhere else to go the youth will either scatter, stop or skate in other places that will be far more dangerous and illegal for them.</p> <p>The die-hard skaters will continue wherever they are, and as seen multiple times across the UK, you get a lot better behaviour and regulation if you work with people and provide a safe place for them instead of working against them and try to cull their passions.</p> <p>I hope this message finds you well, and that the words of the supporters of the new mumbles front Skatepark shed a light on the feelings of a large population of this wonderful city.</p>
743	28-09-2021		Cardiff	<p>This is a place I spent lot of time skateboarding as a youngster and have a lot of fond memories and to know it is still active is incredible. The idea of it being anything seems ridiculous and is so good for local youth to socialise and exercise which helps physical and mental well being. To improve and maintain the facilities would be doing th area a service by keeping the youth busy, healthy and out of trouble.</p>

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744	28-09-2021		Swansea	This would be so important to not only the youth of Swansea but some adults too, its not fair that the rich once again want to dictate what's what. It would be a great draw to Swansea and would keep kids occupied rather than having nowhere to go and causing trouble.
745	28-09-2021		Nottingham	Swansea is my home town. My father opened the first Skateboarding park in Swansea in the 1970's. My 9 year old son is currently in the SkateboardGB Olympic fast track coaching for the next Olympic Games. Swansea has a fantastic and historical association with skateboarding, and I totally support the transfer of land to enable an upgrade of current facilities. It will provide a tourist attraction-I use it with my son whenever I am home, but current facilities are poor. This would be a great local facility for local children, and people of all ages, genders and nationality. Exercise is good for both mental and physical health and will address the growing obesity problem. There is overwhelming local and national support for this; please don't let a few NIMBY's win. SkateboardGB nominated 4 sites for pre-Olympic training and NONE are in Wales.
746	28-09-2021		Swansea	Hi pretty please can you let this go through. I've been here for the last 3 years and have skated the last 2. For such a vibrant skate scene the lack of open spaces and adequate facilities will keep the communities members bored and left feeling completely unheard by their council.
747	28-09-2021		Swansea	I am very much in support of facilities being expanded on this land
748	28-09-2021		Swansea	I am strongly in favour of the redevelopment for a new skate park. It is desperately needed for the youths of mumbles who have nowhere to socialise. The council should be encouraging more developments like this. Skateparks are great for a form of exercise and getting children out the house. The currently facilities for the children are in desperate need of an update.
749	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully agree with the transfer of land to mumbles Community Council
750	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I agree with the land transfer. The young people of mumbles should not be denied this skatepark any longer.
752	28-09-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	The new skatepark would definitely improve tourism throughout the city and help to give Swansea a better appearance overall

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753	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the development of the site for a skate park to replace and upgrade the current dilapidated half pipe. My children will soon be of an age to use it if there is more than just the half pipe there and comment every time we pass that they hope it will be somewhere they can go, and have asked for skateboards for Xmas presents since they heard it was to be updated. The local area has no current playground/ free activity provision for children over primary age, and something like this that will attract different ages is most welcome. We're looking forward to having a destination close enough to get to without the need to get in a car, and to make the most of using the prom from Mumbles to get there on wheels.
754	28-09-2021		Worcester	Swansea city council ruined a great community the day they took away the skatepark outside the leisure centre! It was never replaced or moved anywhere else.  In my youth Swansea had one of the best skate/skateboard/bmx scenes In the uk. It was a welcoming and friendly community which forged friendships that have lasted life times.  The fact the council are still trying to dismember the scene and community is quite frankly criminal!
755	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	I fully support the land transfer and the new skatepark
756	28-09-2021		Swansea	The children of the surrounding area badly need this after everything they have gone through the past 2 years. The Pandemic has caused so much disruption from their schooling to there social lives. This would be brilliant for them.
757	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	I approve of the proposed skate park proposal
758	28-09-2021	Caswell	Swansea	I fully support this skate park. The current ramp is in dire need of upgrading to bring Swansea in line with other cities across the UK in providing a modern skate park facility where the young & old alike can access free recreational activities. A skate park will be used by many wheeled sports (bikes/roller skates/inline skates/skateboards/scooters) undertaken by the masses! I only wish it had been done sooner.
759	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the proposed skate park development between Blackpill and West Cross. It is a much needed amenity for local young people and visitors alike.



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760	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	<p>Not an objection. Skateparks are a great social space for young people to meet, get exercise and learn a good ethic for developing skills while doing something fun.</p> <p>The skatepark would be a great asset to the area and its young people and I, along with many people I know, would love to see it developed further.</p>
761	28-09-2021		Uplands, Swansea	<p>The expansion of the wheeled sports facilities at this location is long overdue. It is a fantastic spot for people to enjoy learning a new sport, keeping fit and making new friends. Isn't this exactly what we want to be encouraging each other to do?</p> <p>I have no objections to the new site, the only thing I hope is rubbish and toilet facilities are considered. By this I mean the toilet facilities at the junction should have a reviewed opening times to ensure they can cater to the new facility. There should also be adequate bins and rubbish collection to ensure the site stays clean and tidy.</p>
762	28-09-2021	swansea	swansea	<p>The land should be transferred to the mumbles skatepark association as the development of a skateboarder-designed skatepark in the area will be very beneficial for the physical and mental health of young people who participate in wheeled hobbies.</p>
763	28-09-2021		Bath	<p>I request that the land be transferred to Mumbles Community Council as soon as possible</p>
764	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	<p>I support this much needed development which children will enjoy for decades to come. Skating is a huge part of the culture here in Swansea, and improved facilities will enhance the experience for current riders and motivate others to get involved. Fantastic opportunity to encourage both the young and old to get moving! Fantastic plot due to the close by facilities at Blackpill for food/drink, parking and toilets along with the fantastic views over Swansea Bay/mumbles which may even encourage those from further afield to visit Swansea, potentially increasing revenue for local businesses.</p>

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765	28-09-2021	Upper killay	Swansea	<p>I strongly support the skate park going ahead at the Blackpill location.</p> <p>My children skate and there are no facility's for them at the moment.</p> <p>Blackpill will be great for us to access via the cycle path</p>
766	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	<p>I wholeheartedly support the skate park going ahead, as previously planned. Whilst I haven't have time to read this in it's entirely, I would like to make it clear that I support the transfer of land (as I've written previously) to the MCC.</p> <p>Thanks</p>
767	28-09-2021	Killay	Swansea	<p>About [REDACTED] time!</p> <p>Let's get this sorted and allow the skate park to be build. Far too much time wasted and animosity shown surrounding this venture. It's about time the land was released (again) so the skate park can be built. Anymore time wasting and my nephews will be adults by the time it's finished and they'd have missed out on such a valuable opportunity to enjoy the space as it should be</p>
768	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>As a Swansea born local Mumbles resident I hereby give notice of my full support for the land known as West Cross Skate Park, Llwynderw Site on the east side of Mumbles Road, West Cross, to be leased to Mumbles Community Council for the purpose of further expansion to the much needed recreational skate park facilities.</p> <p>These proposed facilities have been long overdue and much in demand for decades within the local area. The Community Council has at long last listened to the voice of the local community and is interested in supporting this project which aims to provide safe, well designed, modern recreational/sporting facilities which promote an active, healthy lifestyle and have recently been recognised as professional sports by the Olympic Committees. I feel very strongly that these facilities will enhance the local area providing quality sporting/recreational for the whole community to enjoy.</p>
769	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>I'm writing to give my approval and support for the skatepark as it gives children more outdoor space to learn a sport and further helps with mental health and well-being .</p>

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770	28-09-2021		Swansea	I think Swansea should have a skate park! It's a fantastic activity for the kids keeps them out of trouble and it's really good for socialising, my two boys love the skate park at Mumbles road.
771	28-09-2021		Swansea	<b>[REDACTED]</b> good idea to turn it into an amazing skate park  We need more things for your people to do so let's get on with it
772	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	This is a very good scheme for young people. I approve of the scheme.
773	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	A skatepark is an awesome use of this space!! Please keep doing more projects like this and finding innovative ways to make the most of the space we have in Swansea!
774	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I am just writing to show my support for this to happen to the land. It is a brilliant idea and scheme, so important for young people, and the perfect placement, as the stretch of pathway nearby offers cycling and walking. My son when he was younger used to use the indoor facilities at Exist and the outdoor Victoria park facilities, and the existing one in mumbles/Blackpill. He was always encouraged and supported by older teens who skated and it is a very lovely and friendly community. It would be fabulous to see this community get this wonderful resource for its young people, and older skaters. Much needed.
775	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I wholeheartedly support this transfer of land and the planned development of that land for recreational purposes. There is already a skateboard park in place but its users deserve better. The foreshore is there for every age group to enjoy. More seats please!
776	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Let's get this done.
777	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the disposal of the open space to Mumbles Community Council for the use of wheeled sports facilities This development will enhance the area

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778	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the development to improve facilities for the mumbles skatepark. This will be an incredibly valuable asset to so many people, and offers potential to minimise anti social behaviour and crime, due to more purposeful activity and better mental health. This is evidenced in many studies attributing increased physical activity to improving mental health. It will be a great place for people to socialise and learn new skills, and bring revenue to the area, such as local shops and cafes.
780	28-09-2021		Cardiff	I may now be a resident of Cardiff but having grown up in Mumbles the lack of a skateboard park in the area is terrible
781	28-09-2021	Kittle	Swansea	I fully support the proposal to transfer the land to the community council to facilitate the provision of this much needed amenity.
782	28-09-2021		Swansea	As an existing site already used for the same purpose, I hope the formality of this land transfer can be completed promptly.
783	28-09-2021	Ex mumbles resident	Swansea	<p>Why is the council corrupt? We already won this land [REDACTED] you are taking it away from the over 30,000 people that want and need the skatepark. You have taken the [REDACTED] side and they just want their own way and think they own that land. [REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]  BUILD THE SKATEPARK!!! WE HAVE NEEDED ONE FOR OVER 20YEARS!!!!</p> <p>[REDACTED]  I hope you are proud of your outcome. Also you removed ramps from Victoria Park promising 20k investment and are now ignoring all contact. Also if you remove blackpill ramp and don't replace it with a park their will be a war to fight with the public. [REDACTED]</p> <p>Swansea Council, this is the one time you can do what the public want, [REDACTED] or you will have a lot to answer for</p>
784	28-09-2021		Swansea	I approve of the land transfer, and subsequent proposed Skate park redevelopment.

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785	28-09-2021		Mumbles	Fully support the skatepark in the location noted. It will be an amazing addition the mumbles, something young and older can enjoy.
786	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I totally support this proposed transfer of public space to the MCC. The foreshore belongs to all and the provision of space that facilities exercise and the development of well being is vital. For the rest of us not so energetic residents to see real enthusiasts enjoying their passion is life affirming (so no hedges this time please!)
787	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I fully support the transfer of this land. I think it will be of great benefit to the local community.
788	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	This will allow continuitu for the project.
789	28-09-2021		Swansea	This transfer and resulting new skate park will be a great asset to the area for locals and visitors. Can't wait for it to go ahead finally
790	28-09-2021		Swansea	This is an incredibly important development that will be great at encouraging people of all ages to get out of the house and enjoy a new activity/develop an existing one as well as help develop the community which has recently received alot of attention due to the Olympics in Tokyo. I wholeheartedly support this transfer of land and I think it will be a great thing for Swansea
791	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	<p>This is a much needed facility for children and adults for skateboarding, roller skating and bmx. There are 5 ways to wellbeing that the NHS fund and under the Future Generations Act, there should be provision across the city for all sports.</p> <p>Ball sports are well covered in the county but there is no skate park that catering for all, and definitely not one that has access for disabled people. Skateboarding is now an Olympic Sport and for future athletes to train and come through to compete, Swansea should be at the forefront of giving every one that opportunity.</p> <p>Currently the nearest complete skate park is in another county.</p>
792	28-09-2021		Swansea	Really hope this gets the go ahead. I'm not a skater but I recognise the importance of great facilities for young people. They have had a truly awful 18months and deserve this development.

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793	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	I wholeheartedly support the proposed disposal of open space and the subsequent development plans. The area is crying out for facilities for such enthusiasts and is in area already used by them. To prevent this from happening would be detrimental to generations of local people.
794	28-09-2021		Swansea	I think it is a fantastic addition to the sea front and something to keep to kids off the streets.
795	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	To whom it may concern  As a resident of the immediate area, I would like my support for this transfer to be noted. The proposed usage of the land is a facility which the young people of the area desperately need, the current provision for wheeled sporting activity in the area is inadequate and this land transfer and subsequent improvement proposal would go along way to showing the young people in this city that they have a voice and have been heard.
796	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please let's get this done. The kids need a skatepark more than [REDACTED]
797	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	I strongly support
798	28-09-2021		swansea	This is a perfect site for the development of a much needed facility for future generations to come
799	28-09-2021		Llanelli	I fully support the land transfer and redevelopment of the skate park. It is much needed for the community.
800	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	Get the skate park up and running!!!!
801	28-09-2021	Mumbles	SWANSEA	I fully support this transfer and look forward to seeing a skate board park developed for the use of young people in Swansea
802	28-09-2021	St Thomas	Swansea	Give the children something to do. Keep them out of trouble. Stop pandering to the rich in Mumbles

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803	28-09-2021	Mayals	SWANSEA	<p>I fully support the skate park proposal and for Swansea Council to lease the land to Mumbles Community Council.</p> <p>This is a much needed development for the youngsters in the area and will bring a lot of joy and happiness to those who currently have to drive to other towns to get anything near what this development will offer.</p> <p>Well done to all involved in getting the project to this point.</p>
804	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>This is perfect use of OUR land and an iconic location for a skatepark. BEEP BEEP clearly showed the people of Swansea support the development of the current skatepark into modern facilities.</p> <p>Don't let [REDACTED] have their way [REDACTED].</p> <p>Our beach, our prom, our open spaces. Screw the 1%</p>
805	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	<p>I strongly agree with the transfer of land so that the development of a new skate park can be built. It's important for Mumbles to have the park on this site due to the heritage of skating born from the area. For tourism and the health and well being of youngsters in the area.</p>
806	28-09-2021		Bishopston	<p>After all the hard work and work about to start [REDACTED]. Desperately needed especially after the olympics.</p>
807	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Fantastic our children have waited so long for this skate park to be built its time to get on with it.</p> <p>It will make be a positive asset to Mumbles, Swansea and the foreshore scene. It will give local children somewhere to exercise and keep healthy and develop excellent motor skills and abilities in a rapidly growing and popular Olympic sport.</p>
808	28-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	<p>Fully support the transfer of this land to Mumbles Community Council to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities.</p>

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809	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	I am in favour of the disposal of the land to Mumbles Community Council, as proposed in this document, as the skatepark is an important asset to the recreational and cultural landscape of Swansea.
810	28-09-2021		Swansea	Needed for kids In Swansea.Get them away from sedentary life with technology.
811	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Fantastic proposals. I really hope this finally happens as it will be really great for the community.
812	28-09-2021		Mumbles, Swansea	I support the building of the West Cross Skate Park
813	28-09-2021		Swansea	I am writing today with regards to the West Cross skateboard park. I want to register my concern and disappointment of the potential removal of the original plan to develop the established skateboard park site into a better community space designed for all ages to come together to explore skateboarding, scootering, rollerblading or skating. Please keep this site protected and forward this great community facility.
814	28-09-2021		Tycroes	Swansea Council come on get your act together, this would be an amazing place for skateboarders of all ages, let's set the tone for more cities through out Wales and the UK



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815	28-09-2021	Baglan	Port Talbot	<p>I thoroughly support the development of a skate park on this land. Being swansea born and bred, I would have loved access to a facility like this when I was younger. Improving an already established skate spot will be brilliant for the youth in the area, and would greatly help the development of an Olympic sport in Swansea. It would also be great for the scene in Swansea, which has previously attracted legends of the sport such as Tony Hawk to come and skate here, hopefully this can happen again.</p> <p>Skating is a great sport which teaches learners patience, determination and hard work, all while having fun and keeping fit.</p> <p>More facilities like this in Swansea may help prevent disturbances like the one in Mayhill. If kids have rewarding and (more importantly) free activities available to them they are more likely to feel a sense of community pride rather than seek to destroy that which does not provide for them.</p> <p>All in all this will be a great addition to the seafront area in Mumbles.</p>
816	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I strongly support this land transfer, and think that the proposed skatepark will be an invaluable asset for the community.
817	28-09-2021		Swansea	A much needed and long awaited facility, in the perfect location for families to enjoy the sea front! Can't wait!
818	28-09-2021		Swansea	Support- excellent initiative
819	28-09-2021		Swansea	Support - this area is perfect for development of an area where youths can enjoy fresh air, relative safety, nearby amenities and get some exercise. The Mayhill riots were widely blamed on youths having nothing to do - well here is something that can keep them busy and active.
820	28-09-2021		Swansea	A fantastic project that's long overdue.
821	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	I would like to express my support for the proposed disposal of open space to enable development of the existing skate park. The proposed changes will vastly improve the amenity and provide an excellent facility promoting outdoor exercise.

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822	28-09-2021		Swansea	I would like to register my support for the proposed skate park replacing the existing ramp. Skateboarding has recently become an Olympic sport and provides endless opportunity's for people of all ages. Swansea desperately needs this facility, please do the right thing.
823	28-09-2021		Swansea	I approve of the skatepark to be at West Cross and that a new multi wheeled sports facility is a much needed and long overdue for swansea and the surrounding area. Furthermore I consider Llwynderw Site to be the most suited for ease of access being on the local bus route and there being a large car park just a short walk away at Blackpill and there also being public toilets in blackpill.
824	28-09-2021	Mayals	Swansea	An absolute outrage!!!! The skatepark is the heart beat of the local young people's community and needs to be protected at all costs
825	28-09-2021		Swansea	This is a much wanted and needed facility, for the young and not so young. Please allow it to be built ASAP, and let the children enjoy a well planned skatepark, which has been designed to be inclusive of all wheeled sports including use by wheelchair users.
826	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support the transfer of the land to the Mumbles community council for the continued use by all, and to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities.
827	28-09-2021		Swansea	I thoroughly support this. Its about time mumbles had a decent skate park
828	28-09-2021		Swansea	This skate park is in need of redevelopment. I used this skate ramp when I was growing up and I would like there to be a better facility for my daughter and future children to use and development skills that help them keep fit and healthy.
829	28-09-2021		Gorseinon	I believe it is imperative that the renovation of this facility be completed ASAP for the benefit of the community as a whole as well visitors to the area.
830	28-09-2021		Swansea	I believe this land is best suited to become an improved facility for youth and current skateboard and related sports persons to use and grow the already ubudent tallent that is in the swansea/southwales area. Not to mention the upgraded facility will add more visual benifits to the area compared to the current old ramp

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831	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>A skate park will allow youth who currently have no where to go, a community space. Instead of hanging around on corners causing trouble they can channel that energy into an activity.</p> <p>Britain has just won medals in both BMX and skating at the olympics. There are going to be many young people - inspired by the likes of Sky Brown - to take up the sport. Would you rather give them a designated place where they can train and learn whilst also creating a community hub? Or would you rather they caused havoc on the streets, resorting to skating on roads and pavements?</p> <p>Swansea has a large number of working class, families who can't afford to put their children into after school activities such as gymnastics, or swimming. Skating and BMX are not expensive sports, any child who owns or can borrow a board or a bike can learn. Giving the youth of Swansea these opportunities keeps them off the streets, keeps them out of trouble and, as studies have shown, extra curricular activities will keep children in school.</p> <p>I'm not a skater or a BMX rider, but I am a Swansea resident who lives in an area where the under privileged youth have no where to go and I would love to see Swansea council give them a space where they can learn something new whilst being apart of a community.</p>
832	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	It is essential that future generation are able to access this skate park.
833	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	This is so needed for our children a sport that is growing in popularity and outdoors and free an great asset to Swansea which will be a great boost for the area for additional trade
834	28-09-2021	Murton	Swansea	This is a fantastic development opportunity for the young community. I wholeheartedly support the disposal of this site for use as a purpose built skate park.
835	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please register my support for this land transfer/lease to Mumbles Community Council and the proposed Skate Park development.
836	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>There has been a skate ramp there since the 1980s. The current ramp is busy and the area needs enlarging to create more space for young people to skateboard.</p> <p>Skateboarding is a healthy activity and should be promoted in the area.</p> <p>The new development would create better facilities.</p>

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837	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I wholeheartedly support the transfer of land and the planned development of a skate park.
838	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I am pleased this is happening as proposed. The children of the areas need a safe place to skate and this will be a thrilling park once developed fully.
839	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	I totally approve of the transfer of this land to Mumbles CC. Provided that it will remain a skate (not Skete) park. I hope that no one finds a little loop hole in the legalities on this occasion.
840	28-09-2021	Swansea	Swansea	This skate park is much needed and will benefit children and adults alike
841	28-09-2021		Swansea	This skate park will really help and benefit children in lots of ways.
842	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please do not let the youth of this City down and allow the transfer of land and disposal so we can have a new wheel and board sport facility in this area.  Thanks
843	28-09-2021		Swansea	I wholeheartedly approve of the skate park
844	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	I fully support the skate park, a great place for youngsters to practice. Look to the future..
845	28-09-2021	Southgate	Swansea	A facility like this is very much needed for the young people of Swansea West. It will be a brilliant asset for all age groups and all abilities so please please this really needs to go ahead. We were in Portsmouth recently and they had a huge skatepark on the seafront that was extremely well used. Young people need a focus and somewhere to go to be active so this fits the bill perfectly. My 17 year old son has spent a lot of time during the summer at the present facility and has really enjoyed it so I am fully in support of this application
846	28-09-2021	Loughor	Swansea	Fully support of the skate park
847	28-09-2021	Mumbles	swansea	I fully support this transfer.
848	28-09-2021		Swansea	A vital and long overdue amenity for the community. Will be a huge win for Swansea as a whole allowing progression into these very currant and thriving sports. A shame it been held up but will be worth the wait!

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849	28-09-2021	Llangyfelach	Swansea	Swansea has needed upgraded skate park facilities for a long time, I support this land transfer
850	28-09-2021		Swansea	This discussion has been going on for 35 years plus whilst others have had Skateparks for years Haverfordwest, Newquay in Cornwall, nothing wrong with Mumbles Road and why should a couple of multimillionaires decide against the vot of the people, get on with it Swansea City Council!
851	28-09-2021		Swansea	The youth of today need somewhere
852	28-09-2021		Swansea	Swansea really needs a good skate facility for kids and the many adults who have been skating for years. The recent olympics had shown how much the sport continues to grow. The facility In Victoria park has been made smaller and these facilities were very small to start with. Skating is an affordable sport so suits all types of people.  imagine a gold olympic medalist from Swansea come on ccos lets get an amazing facility on this site
853	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the plans for the area to be utilised for sport and recreation by mumbles council to improve facilities for the children, young people and adult skaters in swansea
854	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I support the transfer of land to lease by Mumbles Community Council and the great benefits it will bring to the community in supporting new recreational developments and facilities for all ages.
856	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please allow swansea to have a new skatepark and transfer the land site. We are in desperate need of further facilities.
857	28-09-2021		Swansea	I am very excited to see a great project in Swansea  Positively helping the community both young and old.
858	28-09-2021		Swansea	There has never been a bigger need, this city is so behind the times compared to others, this needs to be the first of many developments of this kind. Done properly and not wasting funds like usual.

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859	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>This land transfer is integral to the future development of Swansea as a city. Every major city, as well as most towns in the UK, are now equipped with state of the art skatepark facilities in order to provide safe spaces for young people to practice their sport and grow as humans.</p> <p>The fact that this has been such an uphill struggle indicates that Swansea is falling behind the times of the modern world.</p> <p>Please let's get this basic request for a safe community area through the hoops needed to be jumped through.</p>
860	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I am fully supportive of this venture as our young people have got to have somewhere to go. It has easy access links from many areas of the city via transport links and the prom at the front.
861	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	We as a family wholeheartedly support this transfer and it will be a great addition to the area for future generations
862	28-09-2021		Swansea	Support this
863	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Fully support the transfer of land to give a safe environment for the youth mod today to partake in such a healthy activity. Wish we'd had a skatepark when I was growing up.
864	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I fully support the proposed disposal of land by grant of a lease of such land to Mumbles Community Council to expand, improve and continue the provision of wheeled sports facilities.</p> <p>The proposed improvement scheme being put forward by Mumbles Community Council will put in place a long overdue and much demanded asset for the community. The proposed scheme represents a much better use of the existing space and will provide vitao facilities for all wheeled sport enthusiasts, both local and from further afield.</p>
865	28-09-2021		Swansea	Swansea desperately needs to join the rest of the world and get a decent skatepark for kids and adults to enjoy!
866	28-09-2021		Swansea	It will be an extremely good asset to the local community
867	28-09-2021	Hafod	Swansea	Will be great for the kids

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868	28-09-2021	Mount Pleasant	Swansea	<p>Swansea has lacked facilities for wheeled sports for many years and the development of this land would provide a much needed facility for the youth of Swansea.</p> <p>After skateboarding and BMXing's major success in the Olympics, I believe it is imperative that wheeled sports are catered for in the Swansea area. The demand for a facility such as this has never been bigger, and will only continue grow over the years to come.</p>
869	28-09-2021		Swansea	I strongly support the transfer of this land. Child And young people need more accessible opportunities to develop their physical and social skills.
870	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I totally support the skate park at Lwyn derw, West cross site.
871	28-09-2021		Swansea	Skateboarding has been a positive thing in mine and other peoples lives in Swansea. By having a proper skatepark facility it would make sports like skating much more accessible and safe.
872	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	<p>Dear Swansea Council.</p> <p>Can we please please have this skate park.</p> <p>This will be such a massive benefit for our community, physically, mentally and financial. Our children need a great place like this to go. Healthy bodies and healthy minds. A small minority are always moaning about children hanging about.....well give them somewhere to go to exercise and be social!</p> <p>From very young to older teenagers, they have missed out so much , please let them have this amazing place.</p> <p>The financial benefits to the area will be great, with local shops, garages etc all benefiting.</p> <p>And I don't think traffic will be greatly affected as many families , teenagers, will be travelling there by bikes and skateboards.</p> <p>Skateboarding was fantastic to watch in the Olympics. Let's bring it to Swansea.</p> <p>Thank you.</p>

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873	28-09-2021		Mumbles	I am fully in support of this proposal - creating an improved space for youths to enjoy positive and healthy activities will no doubt reduce antisocial behaviour. The location proposed is perfect for the improvement proposals providing access from the whole of the bay via the promenade and not encouraging the increased use of motor vehicles.
874	28-09-2021		Swansea	We have recently seen James Jones compete at the Olympics in Japan this year in BMX. James got where he has today by practicing from a very young age on a half pipe that is all in Victoria park Swansea. For someone to reach the Olympics with hours of practice on something so basic just shows with the right facilities what can be achieved for the youth of today. To stop this development would highlight the lack of support for the youth of today that can go on to achieve great things for our city.
875	28-09-2021	Langland	Swansea	I fully support this transfer and the development of the skate park.
876	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support and encourage the transfer of land for the development of a new and improved skate park/wheeled sports facility for the people of Swansea. The area as is, is in dire need of updating to supply a safe and modern area for all, whether beginner or more advanced to enjoy. The benefits this would bring should outweigh any objections the [REDACTED] few may have.
877	28-09-2021		Swansea	I entirely support this
878	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I support the transfer of land to develop a skatepark on the mumbles road
879	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	Dear Sir/madam,  Having a scooter mad son this development would mean so much. There are no facilities in the area for children who enjoy skateboarding or scootering. Let's make something for the youngsters to enjoy outside at no cost to parents where they can exercise and have fun.
880	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support and encourage the development of the area. It is clearly much needed and long overdue. Please approve and support the development of this site.



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881	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	<p>I am in total support of the said above Notice of disposal of open space Section 123(2A) Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).</p> <p>Notice of disposal of part of an open space Land known as West Cross Skete Park, Mumbles Road, West Cross, Swansea, SA3 5TW</p>
882	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	I am in full support of this action and the skatepark on this land. The area is currently used as a skate ramp and the new one will use the blueprint of the ramps there before. Therefore this is the perfect spot for it. The skatepark will be fantastic for the youngsters in the community.
884	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this very much needed facility for the area.
885	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please allow three development into A skate park for the children
886	28-09-2021		London	I whole heartedly support this disposal of this open space in order to build a public skate facility. I have previously lived in Swansea for a number of years and although I am no longer there I intend to move back one day. Swansea desperately needs a skate facility of this type for both children and adults and it is a real shame that it hasn't materialised yet.
887	28-09-2021		Swansea	As a member of the community of West cross and as a member of staff of the local school I whole heartedly support the expansion of the skate park. The youngsters of the area need a safe place to be, thousands of pounds gets ploughed into Swansea East every year and our youngsters go without. I pass the skate park regularly with my son and the skaters are always well behaved, polite and respectful. The opposing behaviour from individuals against the park has been disgraceful, [REDACTED]. The skate park is needed, will be respected and well used, make the right decision
888	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support this! We need a skatepark!
889	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support this land transfer to provide improved skate park facilities for the young people of Swansea

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890	28-09-2021		Swansea	Wholehearted support for this scheme and any like it which improve the value and lived experience of our youth - teens are much maligned and castigated currently. They need to be shown respect, they need to be valued and they need confirmation from our local authority that their needs are recognised and catered for.
891	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fully support the land transfer and development of the skatepark! Swansea is so far behind other towns and cities with this type of facility. After years of neglect this cannot happen soon enough 🖐
892	28-09-2021		Swansea	The park is a must have for all of Swansea.
893	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	This development is very much needed. It is a perfect location, away from the bustle of the village, but on a bus route, a promenade to access it by bike, skateboard etc, and toilets and shops just down the road. I am in full support of this development situated on this site.
894	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please save mumbles skate park and go ahead with the development of the llywnderw skate park expansion. This is vital for our community and to keep mumbles and west cross as a viable place for families and young people to live.
895	28-09-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	Please let the facility get built.

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896	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>The skatepark would have an outstanding positive impact all of the communities in and around Swansea. It would inspire generations, unite communities, and be a safe and designated area for skaters, scooters, bikers and bladers alike to enjoy and thrive in.</p> <p>It's the perfect location for everyone, easily reached via the cycle paths, it would promote health and fitness whilst linking all the communities across and outside of Swansea. As well as drawing in tourism as many would travel to make use of the fantastic park.</p> <p>Synonymous and idyllic with the seaside culture, as seen in many seaside cities such as Los Angeles, the skatepark at Venice beach is globally renowned and is a focal point of the area's culture and fame. Much like Venice beach the skatepark at Swansea could be recognised in the same way, as a celebration of the areas vast seaside culture, such as surfing, paddle boarding, cycling, joes ice cream, and Oystermouth wharf.</p>
897	28-09-2021		swansea	I fully support this
898	28-09-2021		Porthcawl	skateboarding saves kids live from taking the wrong path.
899	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the development of a new skate park at this location
900	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this.
901	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I support the development of the skate park. A brilliant venture for our children and their children in the future.
902	28-09-2021	Dunvant	Swansea	I believe this skate park is needed for the greater Swansea community and this land is the perfect location for such a facility to flourish in.
903	28-09-2021	Sketty Park	SWANSEA	I fully support this
904	28-09-2021		Swansea	This is a fantastic use of space and a welcome facility to the area! Well done @swansecouncil
905	28-09-2021	Langland	Swansea	Strongly support the development of the skate park on this site.
906	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the transfer of land to Mumbles Community Council and support the Skate Park project.

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907	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	I wholeheartedly support the skate park project, it is much needed for people to skate safely.
908	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this move of land ownership, in the hope that it will promote the development of a much needed facility for youngsters to use in skateboard activities.
909	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	Let's get this skate park built!
910	28-09-2021	Cwmbwrla	Swansea	I would like to register my support for the land transfer and the proposed skatepark development. We need somewhere for our wonderful skate community!!!!
911	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	I am fully in support of the redevelopment of the skate ramp on the proposed site. The sooner the better  When I was young all the public facilities were shut down so we had nothing to do locally. This would make sure future generations don't have the same problems.
912	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I am in full support of the west cross skate park being transferred to mumbles council so that they can develop the land into more adequate skating facilities to support the development of the sport and the inclusive community culture that comes with it.
913	28-09-2021		Neath	I support
914	28-09-2021		UTTOXETER	It's beyond a joke that this hasn't been built yet
915	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I fully support this proposal, I believe it will be of massive benefit to the young people of Swansea.
916	28-09-2021		Swansea	I am absolutely for the skate park at this site. To have such a world class facility free to use by skaters if all ages really is a no brainer. Projects like this are the reason we have community councils
917	28-09-2021	Gowerton	Swansea	This is a shame. Children need a safe place to play outdoors. Hasn't the past 18 months taught us surely. Shane on you Council. X
918	28-09-2021	Manselton	Swansea	Much needed facility for Swansea who are way behind in this area compared to surrounding councils.

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919	28-09-2021	Tairgwaith	Ammanford	I would like to give my whole hearted support over this project, I grew up skateboarding, it's a fantastic sport, every encouragement should be given in the support and building of facilities for people to enjoy this great pastime, it's a fantastic location for a skatepark, who knows with skateboarding now being an Olympic sport there could be a future gold medal winner in the making with the right facilities available.
920	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I would like to register my strong support for the SkatePark and the leisure activities it will supply to local young people.
921	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	It's better to have skate Park than they have to go on pavements or down the roads!
922	28-09-2021		Swansea	Great for the local kids! Lets make it happen!
923	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the skate park. When I was a teenager it provided a place to keep like minded people together and safe, socialise and stay fit. I have life long friends from that area where I didn't grow up, through skateboarding.
924	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the proposal outlined above as I believe it is a great opportunity to provide much needed facilities in West Cross and also an area for individuals to unwind and enjoy themselves.
925	28-09-2021		SWANSEA, WEST GLAM	Skate park vital for youngsters and future generations, ideal location for the skate park.
926	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	This would be an invaluable resource for kids and adults in swansea and a community that already exists. Skateparks encourage physical activity and should hold the same importance as any other sports facility. A skatepark in the location suggested will be greatly used and appreciated and will make Swansea a skating destination following in the success of haverfordwest skate park.
927	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	Hopefully this will go ahead. What a great idea for the area. Easy access by bike, skateboard and on foot. Facilities nearby such as shops, toilets and cafes.
928	28-09-2021		Swansea	I wish the transferral of the plans to the new site.

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929	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>Very much support.</p> <p>Good site abs the only site in consideration</p> <p>Nothing has changed since the original</p> <p>As a local.biz owner I think this will be a big boost to the local economy and improve out sports offering in line with kilvey hill</p>
930	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	<p>What else is there to say, the support for a skatepark, free to use in Swansea is overwhelming. Generations of kids are at risk of losing a connection to Swansea's incredible Skate and BMX heritage. Small towns up and down the uk have skateparks, the fact swansea doesn't is staggering.</p>
931	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I would like to register my support for the redevelopment of a skateboard park at this site. There is a thriving skate community here in Swansea and the development of this park is desperately needed to serve this wonderful diverse and growing community.</p>
932	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>This has taken a criminal amount of time to just produce a simple concrete skate park for the communities of westcross, Mumbles and black pill. The fact [REDACTED] can cause so many issues for a community driven project such as this is extremely saddening. Please use common sense and let's get this park built once and for all. Thanks.</p>
933	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	<p>What a brilliant idea for the children and adults to use. Perfect location, this is exactly what the children need, fresh and exercise! Swansea Council make this happen!</p>
934	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>It's ridiculous that there isn't a modern outdoor skate facility in Swansea. It's one of the best thing that to happen for the youth community and that's proven in Haverfordwest</p>

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935	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>I full support a skatepark being built in West cross. Working with children in my profession I have seen the benefits that a skatepark / sport helps, be it on a bike, scooter, rollerblades or board they build friendships and become involved in a community that helps Thier wellbeing and health.</p> <p>Taking something like this away from the majority of the community that backs this would be a great shame. That ramp has been there 20 years and the new proposed park will make it look aesthetically pleasing for the front, also there are plenty of facilities close by to ride to, over the years nobody has had trouble reaching them.</p> <p>There is only one indoor park in Swansea and Victorias outside park is already going down the pan, false promises again in that park, part of the park being removed and not replaced. Bishopston is another plunder that has disappointed kids who helped get plans for a pump track and park there. Don't take this away from them, they need this.</p>
936	28-09-2021		Llandybie	<p>I think it's very important this land is handed over for the building of the proposed skatepark, even more so now that Victoria skatepark has been partially pulled down with no replacement</p>
937	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>No problem with the land being handed over. Think it will do the area good to have a skaters there instead of the old ramp that is currently there.</p>
938	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>Dear Sir or Madam, I approve of the proposed skate park at Llwynderw. It will be a popular place for an outside activity benefitting many people, young and old, in the Swansea area.</p> <p>It should be used for the benefit of the many with appropriate facilities</p>

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939	28-09-2021		Swanse	<p>A city steeped in culture.  A diverse mix of art and music from all other the world.  And of course sport.  Rugby at the heart... and a passion for football ...but the city also has a rich surfing heritage...and naturally skateboarding follows...now an Olympic sport. We also have parkour, bmx, scooter, and lots of other communities that would benefit from a facility like this. I'm 35 and I have my own kids...this has been long overdue for the city..even since I was a kid.  And the location is perfect. Great walk along the front...perfect for family's on days out with close access to the facilities at the lido and excellant proximity to the beach. The promenade has has enjoyed by locals and visitors for decades, and this parkwould really bring some much needed life into that section of the sea front. Not to mentioned all the potential revenue it would bring in for the surrounding business.  And the fact that this site has always been home to a skate ramp...its not goin to be something particularly out of the ordinary..and would quite quickly become part of our beautiful home city and its people.</p>
940	28-09-2021	Penllergaer	Swansea	<p>Hello, a skatepark in Swansea would be huge for the young and older skaters. There is such a big scene as it is let alone with a brand new facility. Every other city/town I have ever been to has a decent skatepark apart from Swansea. There are so many skaters out there that need a top facility to keep them off the streets and give them purpose. I am 35 years old and have been skating for over 20 years. I work full time but still go skating at least 3 times a week. I hope and wish this land can be used to cater for the skatepark. Thank you.</p>



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941	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I have personally been waiting for a facility like this to come to Swansea for over 20 years.</p> <p>Myself and others in the community have to travel to Porthcawl, which is the closest, or haverford West, which is the second closest, to enjoy something similar.</p> <p>This cannot come soon enough in my eyes and the location couldn't be more perfect.</p> <p>I really hope that at long last the local Swansea community can enjoy a facility that is finally up to the level we have been missing in Swansea for decades</p>
942	28-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	Swansea is the only big city in this day and age that doesn't have a substantial skatepark outdoors.it's absolutely pathetic of the council to deny us that
943	28-09-2021		Cardiff	This is a great idea and I support it fully!
944	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	<p>This skatepark definitely needs to go where it is at the moment!</p> <p>The kids all love it and they don't have to take cars there as some fear They can use the seafront to cycle there or ride their boards or simply walk!</p> <p>This is a wonderful site and the children deserve to have this site they love it !</p> <p>I must add I was stunned by the behaviour of certain people who were <b>REDACTED</b></p> <p>The children of Swansea are our future and to treat them is such a way is wicked. It doesn't matter where they live their parents pay council tax the same as everybody else!</p> <p>This site is perfect please allow this site to be used by our children. We talk of children sitting using their Xbox etc and feel they do not excercis enough well this is a perfect example of why this should be allowed!</p>
945	28-09-2021	Mount Pleasant	Swansea	I wish to register my support for the skate park.
947	28-09-2021		Llanelli	This is a perfect and ideal spot to be a permanent home for a new, much needed skate park in Swansea...residents who object surely dont understand the pleasure derived from seeing and hearing children enjoying themselves and it would be a huge loss if it doesnt proceed.

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948	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I am a firm believer in community and community spirit. Something like a skatepark is crucial to the young generations to give them an activity space to do exercise as well as meet new people and socialise. If this land transfer is rejected it won't stop skateboarding and other wheeled activities as they will disperse into the city centre. Where the park is located is ideal to keep these people close for safety but a distance from the centre to not cause antisocial behaviour.</p> <p>With skateboarding and BMX being introduced into the Olympics we should be encouraging the youths of today as opposed to shunning them for having an outdoor hobby.</p> <p>This is something that is needed for our community and if it doesn't go forward I worry for the youths of today.</p>
949	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I support the skatepark development, this is a facility that has been lacking for many years. Most towns and cities of similar size and some even smaller have similar skateparks and it would be brilliant for a space that has been used for skateboarding for many years to continue to be used for it with an up to date facility for tomorrow's skaters, bmx and scooter riders to enjoy for years to come</p>
950	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I fully support the redevelopment of the skatepark at this site. It is a fantastic chance to give Swansea an excellent facility that will provide opportunities for many thousands of residents and visitors. Encouraging healthy, outdoor activities needs to be a priority for urban planners.</p>
951	28-09-2021		Bridgend	<p>This 100% has my backing, this should happen for the kids of Swansea</p>
952	28-09-2021	Killay	Swansea	<p>I fully support the land transfer. I hope it will lead to a facility for the children of Swansea soon.</p>
953	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>I fully support the skatepark redevelopment and am disgusted at the actions of the <b>[REDACTED]</b> nimbys who opposed it. Please Swansea council proof read everything. I can already see one spelling mistake on this very page that could lead to another piece of spurious litigation to block this.</p>
954	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>Hi about time this was done</p>

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955	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I strongly support the long overdue development of the proposed area. It is incredible that Swansea doesn't have a decent concrete public facility we have a strong history of skateboarding here producing some world class riders despite the odds. I think it may benefit local businesses and act as a tourist attraction as does the haverford west bowl
956	28-09-2021		Blackpill, Swansea	My kids and I'm sure thousands of others in the area will make great use of this facility. Get it done... too long has been spent wasting time over this already.
957	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	The skate park will be a huge asset to the City of Swansea and is a much-needed facility which we don't currently have.  Since the success of both skateboarding and BMX riding during the Olympics there has been a huge uptake in new participants in the these sports.  Let's put Swansea on the map and get this done!!!
958	28-09-2021		Swansea	Totally approve, get it built. It's been a total shambles of a saga to get this far. Shame on you Swansea Council, pathetic all of you.
959	28-09-2021	Fforestfach	Swansea	Its a great spot and long over due project that we've been asking for since the late 70s Swansea could do with at least 4 of these skate/bmx parks throughout the city Common swansea do the right thing
961	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	This is the perfect site for developing the already existing skating facility, positioned just off the promenade with easy access from both directions and plenty of safe places to drop off in West Cross or Blackpill. This will be well used by local children and adults throughout the year, and will attract skate boarders from further afield too. There is no provision like this on this side of Swansea and it will be a great community facility encouraging sport, fitness, recreation and community spirit. The recent Olympics has shown us how important grass roots sports facilities are for young people. The current ramp is already well used, and the vast majority of the local community has made it clear already just how much they are behind the scheme. It's time to get it done now. The kids have waited long enough.
962	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this. A fantastic asset for the area and one which provides so much for the young people of the area, this must go ahead.

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963	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	Please allow the transfer of land giving the ability to upgrade the skatepark. This has been a long and painful process and I'm in huge support of all actions necessary to ensure the build of the new skate facilities to go ahead as soon as possible.
964	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	This is great thing for Swansea!
965	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	I strongly support this project. The site is the perfect location and has been a skatepark already for many years. It will be a great development for the seafront and will look and feel much better for all than the current neglected ramp and ropey tarmac area. Swansea is a large city and the skatepark facilities available at present are worse than those found in many villages across the UK. This project represents a very important facility for the public and must go ahead.
966	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	I am writing to give my support for the disposal of land on Mumbles road in order for the skatepark to be developed. Being a local business owner and skateboarder of the last 45 years I can't stress enough how important I believe this facility will be for the area. At a time where obesity and mental health issues are higher than they have ever been in history, this facility will offer a safe inclusive place for young, old, male and female to gather together and not only improve their mental and physical wellbeing but also make use of a piece of land that over the years has become unsightly.
967	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	The development of the skatepark on this land is an important step forward in providing the outdoor spaces and recreational facilities our communities need. It's a long overdue move! I fully support this proposal.
968	28-09-2021		Swansea	Please let the skatepark happen. It is an invaluable resource to young people in our city
969	28-09-2021		Swansea	Mumbles needs a skatepark

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970	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	To whom it concerns ; Regarding the notice the proposed transfer of the Llwynderw site, I support the land transfer and Skatepark redevelopment. The Skatepark redevelopment is critical in proving free, outdoor, healthy recreation for our & the greater community. Outdoor space & healthy sports opportunities are beneficial for physical & mental well being for all and especially so for our young people & future athletes. Let's keep people fit happy & healthy .Thank you .
971	28-09-2021	MUMBLES	SWANSEA	Brilliant for the youth and dedicated skaters of all areas having a facility in this area, to be used by locals and people coming to the area, a big YES to this proposal.
972	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	I am fully in support of developing a skatepark in the proposed site. It will be a blessing not having to travel outside of Swansea to find a suitable skatepark for my children to enjoy
973	28-09-2021	Brynmill	Swansea	This has to go ahead. It will be an amazing addition to Swansea Bay and somewhere kids will have to play and meet. Who knows, maybe a future Olympic champion will be trained there. This city needs more spaces for our youth and positive activities need to be pushed forward. It's absolutely essential and right that the park goes ahead at this location.
974	28-09-2021		Swansea	As a resident of Mumbles I feel it is vital to keep places like the Skate Park because it has been a part of the community for years. The idea of 'disposing' or even moving it is appalling. Are you really going to repeat what you did to the slip bridge and move it, instead of upgrading it and making it better? The council should be focusing on updating the Skate Park where it is, as they promised before, and keeping the next generation happy. Don't do this for the sake of [REDACTED] ...
975	28-09-2021	Pentrechwyth	Swansea	I fully support the council in this proposal to transfer this land to Mumbles Community Council to improve the facilities for youngsters in Swansea
976	28-09-2021		Swansea	Fantastic use of the space. Let's transfer it and get this skate park built. The minority opposing this are the reason Swansea isn't as immersive as other UK or European cities. Get it done!

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977	28-09-2021		SWANSEA	<p>I fully support the proposed land transfer as well as the skate park project as a whole.</p> <p>NB I have noticed there is a spelling mistake in the title of this notice</p> <p>"Land known as West Cross Skete Park"</p> <p>I hope this will not be used as grounds for another meddling judicial review intended to hamper and delay the building of this project.</p>
978	28-09-2021		Swansea	Supportive of this transfer to enable to creation of a high quality facility for the community. Helping to give kids more spotting facilities and allow them to develop skills and confidence.
979	28-09-2021		Swansea	I'm fully in favour of this development for the youth of Swansea. It will be a valuable addition to the promenade and will ensure the legacy from the Olympic Games and the success of British skateboarding there will be taken forward.
980	28-09-2021		Torquay	I support land transfer and skatepark redevelopment which is long overdue
981	28-09-2021		Swansea	SWANSEA NEEDS THIS TO HAPPEN!!!!!!
982	28-09-2021		Swansea	I thoroughly support this proposal. The use of this space as an extended area for young people will enrich the area and provide hugely needed facilities for this age group.
983	28-09-2021	Mumbles	swansea	I fully support a skatepark being built on this land.
984	28-09-2021	Uplands	Swansea	We totally support this much needed development and proposal. After so many delays we hope it is approved as quickly as possible.
985	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	I thoroughly support the transfer of land to Mumbles community council with the aim of it becoming a skate park. This will enhance the area, provide physical activity resource for a wide range of people, and have benefits to users mental health too. This would be a signal that Swansea is a forward thinking authority that cares about its residents.
986	28-09-2021		Swansea	The skate park should be built here, now
987	28-09-2021		Nelson	Great development fingers crossed this is allowed after all the effort people have made to develop the New Skate park. Some thing positive for people to look forward to.

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988	28-09-2021		swansea	This would be such a great asset for the people of Swansea. After seeing the huge success and support of the skatepark on the previous land transfer, it would be a huge disappointment for the majority who this project to go ahead!
989	28-09-2021	Sketty	Swansea	<p>I strongly support the transfer of land to Mumbles Community Council to enable the redevelopment of the existing site to provide a much needed, long overdue public facility, available to all.</p> <p>The existing site has been identified via an independent review as the optimal site of the 11 initially identified as possibilities (subsequently whittled down to 3) and there has been massive public support from the whole community, including across a wide spectrum of age groups, genders, ethnicities and abilities.</p> <p>Swansea is long overdue a concrete facility such as the one proposed and this transfer will enable MCC to realise this ambition.</p>
990	28-09-2021		Swansea	Wish to support the park, long overdue- will be brilliant for children, youth and adults
991	28-09-2021	Maritime quarter	Swansea	I think it's shameful that this has been stopped, could have been built by now - providing much needed free facilities for kids and adults
992	28-09-2021		Swansea	I fully support this land being transferred for the use of the planned skate park. A much needed free outdoor recreational facility for all.
993	28-09-2021		Bristol	This is a great opportunity to provide a much needed and well built facility for the community.
994	28-09-2021		Swansea	I support the land transfer
995	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I've grown up in Swansea from the age of 5 and have always enjoyed the skate scene even when</p> <p>I was at the skate park when younger watching the older kids doing mind boggling tricks and it really inspired me, a skatepark is a place where everyone can be themselves and be a part of a friendly community. I am finding out now I'm going to be a father and having a skatepark of this size really would make a difference for my child's well-being and up bringing it will provide a safe space where they can set them selves goals and make life long friends at the same time.</p>

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996	28-09-2021	Killay	Swansea	My son and myself have been behind this scheme from the start, only to see it pushed back for no other reason than vanity, please don't give in to [REDACTED] people who want to deny the local community of what they have been campaigning for for so many years
997	28-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	Get this skate park built, it'll do wonders for Mumbles and the surrounding areas. I remember using the ramp when it was first installed 20+ years ago. If people think it'll spoil the views why not just get rid of the burnt down bungalow next to it.
998	01-10-2021	Sir carefyrdin Carmarthenshire	Castell Newydd Emlyn  Newcastle Emlyn	Mae angen le ar y mumbles I pobl joio sgleddfyrddio a chwaraeon cyffroes. Dwlen I fod Derw yn yr enw hefyd.  Mumbles needs a place for people to enjoy skateboarding and exciting sports. I would love to have Derw in the name aswell
999	28-09-2021		Cardiff	Rwy'n dod o Abertawe ac yn croesawi parc sglefrio bwrdd i'r ardal lan môr. Bydd yn le gwych i blant a phobl ifanc bod eu hunain, mentro a chael hwyl- yn iachus ac am ddim!  I'm from Swansea and I welcome a skateboard park in an area by the seaside. It will be a fantastic place for children and young people to be themselves, to be daring and have fun – it's healthy and free!
1000	28-09-2021	Maritime Quarter	Abertawe  Swansea	Hen bryd uwchraddio'r cyfleusterau. Mae'r lleoliad yn ddigon mawr i ateb yr angen ac mewn lleoliad cyfleus i nifer o bobl.  It's high time the facilities were upgraded. The location is big enough to meet the need and is in a convenient location for many people.
1001	28-09-2021	Llandeilo Ferwallt  Bishopston	Abertawe  Swansea	Cefnogaf y cynnig i waredu'r man agored hwn.  I support the proposal to dispose of this open space



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1002	28-09-2021	Pontarddulais	Abertawe	Syniad gwych ,mae rhaid i'r cynllun am adaeiladu skatepark mynd ymalen .
			Swansea	Excellent idea, the skateboard park scheme must go ahead.

**Object**

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4	19-10-2021	Caswell	Swansea	<p>Walkers and cyclists use this sanctuary continually, for peaceful pleasure and a time of tranquility. We listen to the birds, admire wild flowers in the grassy banks, watch the sea ebb and flow. We keep doggies on leads, do not leave litter.</p> <p>All age groups use it, a flat area for a country stroll, or a cycle ride, respecting each other's needs.</p> <p>Please, committee, visit the area on foot.</p> <p>you will see how much it is treasured, appreciated for its natural beauty. We rest in the seats, remembering Mumbles folk, the previous providers, handed down to us, with old memories of Mumbles train.</p> <p>Many, many people use it, in rain and sunshine.</p> <p>Swansea City Council, be kind to us all.</p> <p>Give the youth their skateboard park, either in Underhill Park, (often empty, ) or another site of your choosing, more suited to Sports people's activities.</p> <p>Mumbles residents and its visitors, should not be compromised.</p>

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5	19-10-2021		Swansea	<p>This site is close to a SSSI and close to an accepted habitat of Avian Biodiversity which the Council under s6 EA2016: as follows==PLSE register =THIS OBJECTION= Section 6 Biodiversity and resilience of ecosystems duty</p> <p>Nature is in decline - by securing the public sector's commitment to the natural environment, we can inspire people across Wales to care for and enhance our precious nature to benefit us all.</p> <p>Under section 6 of the Environment (Wales) Act 2016 public authorities that exercise their functions in relation to Wales have a duty to maintain and enhance biodiversity and promote the resilience of ecosystems. Whilst our protected sites and species are important the s6 duty is about taking steps to protect nature in our towns, cities, public places and wider landscape, both through practical action on the ground, and in the way all public functions are carried out.</p> <p>To help achieve this, and to comply with the duty, public authorities should embed the consideration of biodiversity and ecosystems into their day to day activities, policies, plans, programmes and projects. It is about changing the way we think about acting for biodiversity.</p> <p>It is not just the large, landscape scale initiatives that are important, but also the smaller, every day, local scale actions that can make a difference and can contribute to helping biodiversity. Even if you or your organisation are not involved in land management, your decisions can still affect biodiversity through, for example, adopting a more sustainable, locally sourced procurement policy, or through funding decisions and conditions.</p> <p>To comply with the duty public authorities must prepare and publish a plan setting out what they propose to do to maintain and enhance biodiversity and promote resilience.</p> <p>GREEN SPACE FACTOR analysis--the ambition is to DOUBLE green space in CCS and achieve National Park city status -this detracts from this aim.</p>

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				<p>SEA LEVEL RISE--Proximity to shore make this disposal highly prone to FLOODING. MAJOR ARTERIAL ROUTE proximity--likely to increase and breach clean air legislation and regulation.</p> <p>Previous litigation is likely to recur especially when there are at least 6 other CCS sites for the trailed and marketed activity for this site and putatively could be achieved at no cost to the Authority.</p> <p>The Land in the possession of CCS came about following the closure/repeal of the Passenger railway route along the foreshore ,need to check any covenants &amp;/Or hindrances in creating a lease for the proposed use.</p> <p>Plainly there are MANY countervailing considerations to this disposal and the CCS would be well advised to set up a ROUNDTABLE discussion with ALL stakeholders and hold a local referendum across the 4 wards to air and decide on the desirability or not as the case may be of this CCS measure.</p>
7	19-10-2021	Mayals	Swansea	<p>I strongly feel the expansion of the skateboard ramp would spoil the beautiful landscape. It will also draw crowds of people creating noise for residents close by. It's totally unsuitable for the area and would be better placed in a larger area where there are no residents nearby and there is plenty of parking facilities.</p> <p>Please consider my views.</p>
8	19-10-2021		Swansea	<p>The MCC statement on their website states "MCC are committed to protecting our environment &amp; building a more sustainable community " , does "protecting our environment" involve digging up a natural green space replacing it with tonnes of concrete, hacking trees &amp; bushes down to replace them with giant metal &amp; concrete structures , building a car park &amp; toilets , erecting artificial lights , litter the site with metal signs etc etc ?</p> <p>Their website also states " the biodiversity of our local community is essential to our everyday lives , MCC are at the heart of supporting local initiatives to protect our biological diversity" so why do they want to kill the biodiversity in this environment ? You can only conclude that the MCC are not sincere with the statements they put out &amp;</p>

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				<p>are willing &amp; prepared to sacrifice this small but important area .This project is far too big for this site &amp; the damage to the environment will last forever &amp; the locals will have to live with not only the ecological damage but also the increased noise , traffic &amp; light pollution the development will bring .</p> <p>For these reasons I must object strongly to the proposal .</p>
9	19-10-2021	Mayals	Swansea	<p>I strongly feel the expansion of the skateboard ramp would spoil the beautiful landscape. It will also draw crowds of people creating noise for residents close by. It's totally unsuitable for the area and would be better placed in a larger area where there are no residents nearby and there is plenty of parking facilities.</p> <p>Please consider my views.</p>
10	19-10-2021		Swansea	<p>I object to this proposal on the grounds that the development will result in the loss of a local natural green space forever.</p> <p>I am shocked that the MCC wishes to destroy a green space especially as their Environmental Engagement Officer, [REDACTED] emphasises in her video how precious these spaces are .</p> <p>As she points out , even being in close proximity to a green space helps with anxiety, low mood &amp; well being . In a time when our country has a mental health crisis is it not the responsibility of all those in positions (such as councillors ) to make a difference &amp; recognise that green spaces promote a sense of solace &amp; well being that ultimately benefits public health.</p> <p>I accept that sport/leisure facilities such as this also benefits others in our society , however, should the council not find a solution that avoids benefitting one sector of society but penalises the other ?</p> <p>Common sense dictates that a site where there is no ( or minimal ) loss of green space such as Langland tennis courts or Underhill Park would provide the solution .</p> <p>Please do not destroy this beautiful little green patch of nature.</p>

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35	18-10-2021		BLACKPILL SWANSEA	<p>I fully support the idea of a skate park but not on the proposed site for all the much debated &amp; obvious reasons put forward in the past.</p> <p>It is so short sighted &amp; vandalistic of our Council to want to destroy the natural fauna &amp; flora there by chopping down trees &amp; bushes ( thereby killing wildlife) removing grass &amp; replacing it with concrete &amp; metal , lights, signs,toilets, car parking facilities - this site is totally inappropriate for such large scale development , the area is already congested with cyclists,walkers, scooter riders,runners, the tourist train &amp; to add to this only presents safety issues.</p> <p>The aesthetics of the area would also be ruined for ever, visitors &amp; locals alike appreciate the green spaces that break up what is a busy &amp; noisy road by providing a lovely view of the Bay , shouldn't these small pockets of natural beauty be protected rather than destroyed for ever ?</p> <p>Why is it that the MCC is so determined to pursue such a controversial site when they have at least 3 other options - Underhill Park , Langland tennis courts &amp; bottom of Sketty Lane , already dedicated sport/leisure areas with parking /toilet facilities &amp; requiring much less construction ( thereby less costly) more space, much safer,no destruction of trees etc &amp; would not detroy the aesthetics of those environments . The rejection of these sites based on the "reviews" undertaken by the MCC only highlighted what translates as NIMBY ism ,whereas the concerns &amp; objections raised at this proposed site are based on real safety &amp; environmental issues which will impact negatively on all those who not only live close to the site but also locals &amp; visitors enjoying the area.</p> <p>My four children would have loved a skatepark in the local area but it would not have mattered at all to them that it did not have a sea view.</p>

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37	18-10-2021		Blackpill, Swansea	<p>Dear sirs / madam As a business on the Mumbles Road I Wish to point Out the Many Reasons To our Objections to this Site Location</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The skatepark will be noisy</li> <li>2) The Skatepark will congestion with more Traffic</li> <li>3) The skatepark will cause parking issues</li> <li>4) The skatepark will draw crowds into on area</li> <li>5) There are inadequate support facilities there</li> <li>6) Routes to and from the skatepark will be a nuisance or even dangerous</li> <li>7) Skateboarding site presents too much liability</li> </ol>
38	18-10-2021		Blackpill, Swansea	<p>Dear sirs / madam As Resident of Mumbles Road I Wish to point Out the Many Reasons To our Objections to this Site Location</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The skatepark will be noisy</li> <li>2) The skatepark will be an eyesore</li> <li>3) The Skatepark will congestion with more Traffic</li> <li>4) The skatepark will cause parking issues</li> <li>5) The skatepark will be too crowded</li> <li>6) There are inadequate support facilities there</li> <li>7) Routes to and from the skatepark will be a nuisance or even dangerous</li> <li>8) Skateboarding presents too much liability</li> </ol>

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39	18-10-2021		Blackpill, Swansea	<p>Dear sirs /madam As Residents That is Directly Across from the Skateboard Site I Wish to point Out the Many Reasons To our Objections to this Site Location</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The skatepark Site presents a serious environmental impact</li> <li>2) The skatepark will be noisy</li> <li>3) The skatepark will be an eyesore</li> <li>4) The Skatepark will congestion with more Traffic</li> <li>5) The skatepark will cause parking issues</li> <li>6) There's no room for a skatepark here</li> <li>7) The skatepark will be too crowded</li> <li>8) There are inadequate support facilities there</li> <li>9) Routes to and from the skatepark will be a nuisance or even dangerous</li> </ol> <p>Would be very helpful if you would take onboard just a few of these Points we have lived here for over 30 years and paid our taxes We just what our points of view to be aired</p>
89	17-10-2021		Swansea	<p>I object to the disposal of land known as West Cross Skate Park to MCC. Although I am in favour of a skatepark for Swansea I think this site is totally unsuitable. There are no facilities at the site i.e. car parking, drop off point for people with disabilities, toilets and amenities.</p> <p>I think this site will cause traffic chaos on an already busy road due to cars trying to get near the park and slowing down to view the skateboarding, bmx and wheelchair users. I am sure there are more suitable sites available such as Fairwood Park, Blackpill, or the adventure playground near the Clyde recycling centre in Derwen Fawr. What about the recreation ground near St Helens or the lacrosse field in Singleton Park.</p> <p>MCC want the skatepark within the boundaries of Mumbles as the precept taxpayer is</p>



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				funding this Park (whether they want to or not), but surely other sites or alternative funding or grants could be found.
96	14-10-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	<p>Objection to this proposal as it will spoil the enjoyment of walkers, cyclists &amp; other users of the coast path by large numbers of skate park users adjacent to the path resulting in potential anti-social behavior.</p> <p>In addition there are no toilet or parking facilities near by which will likely result in public indecency &amp; road traffic offences</p> <p>This is a beautiful scenic area enjoyed by visitors &amp; locals, it would be shameful to deny them this</p>
99	14-10-2021	West Cross	Swansea	<p>Please can you register my objection to the disposal of the land at Llwynderw to the MCC.</p> <p>I have lived in West Cross for 70 years and have appreciated the magnificent work done by the City and County Council over the years to improve the bay and its iconic view that draw so many people to our great City. please don't spoil all your hard work.</p>
100	14-10-2021	West Cross	Swansea	<p>I wish to lodge my objection to the sale of the land at Llwynderw to Mumbles Community Council for the imposition of a skateboard park.</p> <p>This development will be completely out of keeping with the hard won efforts of the City Council over the years to provide an iconic vista of the bay whilst driving towards Mumbles.</p> <p>I am not against the provision of a skatepark at all but in a more appropriate and sustainable location.</p> <p>It was even demonstrated by the independent report prepared at the behest of the City Council that Llwynderw was not the best location. If approved and constructed we and future generations will regret it.</p>

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101	14-10-2021	Blackpill	Swansea	<p>The area in question is an attractive area of open space and facilitates a wide view of Swansea Bay. It is a component of a long standing policy of creating a series of landscaped spaces along the sweep of the bay. This policy has been implemented over a number of years and indeed has involved in some cases the acquisition and demolition of residential properties. The current planning policy for the bay provides for development nodes whilst protecting the landscaped sites. The area currently being considered for disposal is not a designated development site, rather it is a protected area and accordingly the proposal is very clearly contrary to policy. The replacement of an attractive green area with a sea of concrete is not acceptable. It seems that the council is able to disregard its own policy with impunity. Has a sequential test of the alternative sites (i.e the development nodes identified under the policy) been undertaken ? If not why not?</p> <p>The proposed use as a skate-park is badly thought out:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* There is no public parking - this will result in on-street pressure, particularly in the area of Llwynderw</li> <li>* Access for emergency vehicles is problematic</li> <li>* There are no support facilities planned - first aid center/ supervisor office/ changing area/ cafe.</li> <li>* There will be no supervision or management of a leisure activity with significant dangers.</li> </ul> <p>I object most strongly to this proposal. There are better areas for development which would comply with policy</p>
103	14-10-2021	West cross	Swansea	<p>I am not against a bigger skate park - it would be an excellent asset in the right location. This is NOT the right place for it.</p> <p>PARKING - The parking facilities currently are not enough - on the odd days they hold events the cars are double parked on Llwynderw drive and Llwynderw close - so close you can barely get a car through let alone any emergency vehicles</p> <p>NO TOILET FACILITIES - The skaters prefer to use the nearby bushes as their toilet rather than walk to Blackpill - this is bad enough at the moment can't imagine how bad it will get. Currently they even use bushes behind post box at bottom of Llwynderw drive.</p>

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113	12-10-2021	swansea	swansea	<p>OBJECTION</p> <p>The land which has been marked for disposal is a really large beautiful treasured (and admired from the road promenade, sea) green area of the foreshore next to the swansea to mumbles promenade.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. I object to turning any part of it into a concrete skatepark which would destroy the beauty of this open space .structure</li> <li>2. This structure and the very wide age and type of people who will use day and night will completely alter the character and nature of this walking, cycling and residential area of mainly elderly and families and ruin their quiet lives.</li> <li>2. It is unnecessary to ruin the foreshore, there are plenty of spaces in Parks for a skatepark which Swansea City Council should be paying for with parking and where the users and residents can relax.</li> <li>3. All the people of Swansea should be paying for a skatepark, not using Mumbles Community Taxpayers money for a vastly expensive project which they are incompetent to run and will hand over it to private businesses to profit from.</li> <li>4. Labour run Swansea City Council and the majority Labour run Mumbles Community Council are cohorting. A deceitful numbers game and powerful project by adult led UK wide skateboarding social media is being carried out which has resulted in distressing bullying of people living adjacent ,opposite, and nearby.</li> </ol>
115	11-10-2021	Uplands	Swansea	<p>Completely the wrong location</p> <p>Will cause a danger to the traffic on Mumbles Road, cars slowing down to look, much like what happens with a road traffic accident.</p> <p>No parking facilities, no toilets.</p> <p>It won't stay clean and white as shown on the plans, it will turn grey and black covered in green moss and spray on graffiti.</p> <p>Also that area floods after heavy rain so it will be more like an under water skate park.</p> <p>I thought the land on Mumbles seafront, with some properties bought by the council and then demolished was to make one long picturesque approach to the Mumbles area.</p> <p>Not now to replace a beautiful green area with a concrete eyesore.</p>

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116	10-10-2021		Swansea	<p>I object to the transfer of land as detailed above for a number of reasons.</p> <p>Firstly, developing this open space will, I believe, spoil what is currently an area of natural beauty. It also floods regularly and so the addition of lots of concrete is only going to make this worse.</p> <p>Secondly, I don't believe this is the right place to build a skate park of this scale. There are no amenities, toilets etc, there is no parking available and it's proximity to one of the busiest roads in Swansea which cars and motorbikes use recklessly and dangerously at the best of times is an accident waiting to happen.</p> <p>Many supporters of the skate park have spent the summer demonstrating a serious level of antisocial behaviour which has consisted of incessant horn blowing and revving of engines as they pass the site. At times it was a constant stream of noise and even those who don't live directly on the sea front such as us found it unbearable to use our gardens due to the noise.</p> <p>I support the desire for a facility like this in Swansea but I strongly believe there are better spaces available - Underhill Park amongst them.</p>
117	10-10-2021		Swansea	<p>I object to the disposal of this land and its transfer to Mumbles Community Council. I don't agree with the Mumbles Community Council plans to develop this site and an alternative location should be chosen. The area should remain as it currently is; developing it further will spoil the scenery and outlook when driving into Mumbles. It would be a blight on the beautiful landscape and an eyesore. It is not an appropriate location for such a development (no toilets, no parking and too close to a busy road). Local residents have suffered from a campaign of antisocial behaviour and harassment all summer (in the form of noise nuisance, car horns beeping, engines being revved when passing the site at all hours of day and night) due to this proposed development. This is not the correct location for the development and the land should not be transferred.</p>
197	02-10-2021		Swansea	<p>The new skate park should be sited at a location where there is parking and toilets. The proposed site is unsuitable due to the increased traffic, increased litter, increased noise and antisocial behaviour that it will generate. Residents living opposite the site have objected and as usual, Swansea City Council have simply ignored the concerns. The</p>

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				large number of youths that congregate at the current smaller skate park can be intimidating to people walking along the promenade and they regularly use the promenade as an extension of their skate ramp regardless of pedestrians, animals and cyclists in the area.
222	30-09-2021		Swansea	I hereby register my objection to the disposal of the skatepark and its land.  It is a well used area and requires renovation rather than disposal.

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226	30-09-2021	MUMBLES ROAD AREA	SWANSEA	<p data-bbox="943 272 2184 453">ANSWER We are a family with children and surfing connections who very very strongly object to Swansea Council disposing of this and any open green space on Swansea Foreshore . This is an area of Land double the size of the land which had planning permission in Feb 2020 by 1 vote.</p> <p data-bbox="943 496 2184 715">1.It is NOT A SURPLUS ASSET to swansea residents because it is a huge piece of green asset admired for its beauty when people either walk along the promenade or drive along Mumbles Road.Turning it into a concrete skate park is shameful. To say it is underused is surely wrong in law. The old Golf Course /FootGolf on the foreshore is unused -turn part of that into a Skate Park paid for by the City ,not Mumbles community tax payers.</p> <p data-bbox="943 758 2184 938">2. An existing park is the place for a skate park, not turning part of this land into a light grey concrete one simply because there is a historically sited metal single skate ramp on a tiny 1/100% part of the area of land under transfer request. Also the proposed handover is of a massive part of adjacent green land stretching towards Blackpill ,much larger than the planning consent, is very suspicious totally unnecessary and outrageous.</p> <p data-bbox="943 943 2184 1230">3. Many many Mumbles Community residents and Councillors are very unhappy that a huge amount of their community charge payments will be spent on this land to build something that will only serve a minority of mumbles community taxpayers. Furthermore, once the land is disposed of more money must be spent on cutting and maintaining a very vast area of grassland, emptying bins, cleaning tree maintenance hedge maintenance all of which we already pay the City Council to do. Mumbles community council have good ideas but do not have the finance or professionals to run a skatepark long term.</p> <p data-bbox="943 1273 2184 1375">4.Never has a poll of mumbles community tax payer been taken by Mumbles Community Council to find out how many of those want their hard earned money spent in this way. It will be used by many people who have campaigned for it and don't even</p>

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				<p>pay it for free.</p> <p>5.Night and early morning users will not be the local children and surfing community with skateboards and scooters who Mumbles community insist it will be for, but many hard end skateboarders bikers and troublemakers with cannabis culture. Throughout the angry reaction to residents fighting back (after never being consulted unless being publicised in planning objection transparency), there was constant strong smell and open smoking of weed by many older teens and men. A numbers for and against game is being unfairly played. The Police were concerned enough to do a door to door safety patrol for Residents of Llwynderw and Mumbles Road during publicity that they were expressing disapproval.</p> <p>6.These people have brought anger aggression bullying car horn beeping all summer day and night to hundreds of immediate residents occupying homes. It kept children and pets awake, frightened the nervous and elderly, made enjoying the garden sunshine impossible. A skatepark here brings nothing back into Mumbles at Llwynderw. Why site it in a quiet gentle walking and family area, spoiling our green Swansea Bay foreshore?The popular vehicular tourist train would have to end for safety due to congestion.</p> <p>DISGUSTING. SWANSEA COUNCIL MUST NOT DISPOSE OF FORESHORE LAND AND COMMUNITY PAY FOR A SKATE PARK. THE CITY COUNCIL SHOULD PAY FOR ONE AND PUT IN A SWANSEA PARK .</p>

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233	30-09-2021	west cross	swansea	<p>My concern is why do Mumbles community council want all the land all the way down to the House [REDACTED] Mumbles rd, which is a lovely open grass area with trees and views out to the sea and Mumbles</p> <p>Is the bigger picture a CAR PARK and CAFE and TOILETS on this EXTRA land, I do not think the people of Swansea want a CAR PARK and TOILETS and a CAFE on the Sea Front after the policy of Swansea Council was to buy all the houses that came up for sale to create FANTASTIC views of the sea and Mumbles head,</p> <p>We now have a very unique city with I think the only City that has such a fantastic open sea front with views out across the bay, if you look at the way Mumbles Community Council look after land on the Sea front take a look at Jubilee Gardens on the sea front in Norton what a Disgrace a right old mess</p>
238	30-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	<p>You seem to be going about this in the wrong way again.</p> <p>Your public notice simply tells us that you propose to dispose of the land for a skatepark. Part of your responsibility when disposing of council assets is that 'care must be taken to ensure best consideration is achieved'. The law says that you are entitled to determine that the land is used for, say, recreational purposes, but that to advertise that you are only looking at one option seems to fall outside of your remit.</p> <p>Private sale is only advised when 'sitting tenants have a right to purchase'.</p> <p>You must place an open advertisement to invite bidders. If someone comes along with a better bid and wishes to, say, turn the area into a public flower garden, then the Council must explain to the Auditor General for Wales why they do not want to accept the better offer. All of this is laid down in 'Local Authority Assets. Disposal Guidance'.</p> <p>Your Council has cost your rate payers dearly already by getting this wrong, I urge you not to do it again.</p>



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270	29-09-2021	Newton	Swansea	<p>I strongly oppose the transfer of this land to Mumbles community council. Many years ago Swansea council started a policy of purchasing and demolishing properties on the seaward side of the mumbles road to create an open vista, you are now reversing said policy by proposing the creation of a large skate board park in this area.</p> <p>This land is unsuitable as it runs alongside one of the busiest roads in Swansea which creates large amounts of traffic pollution that will be inhaled by anyone using the skate park and is very detrimental to the health of children.</p> <p>There are no parking facilities or toilets at the proposed site why not site it alongside the footgolf at Blackpill which already has both. Have you considered the road traffic dangers or that this area floods very badly in wet weather. There are other sites that are far more suitable.</p>
345	29-09-2021	West cross	Swansea	I do not agree that the Disposal of this land for the Skate park
574	28-09-2021	Mumbles	Swansea	I do not agree with the disposal of open space to the east side of Mumbles Road. This is an area of natural beauty which is owned by the people of Swansea and should be left open so that we can enjoy the stunning views across Swansea Bay. There is ample space available for the disposal of space else where in Swansea. Please do not allow the wonderful sea front to be ruined for generations to come. Keep. the sea front open and green.
602	28-09-2021	Birchgrove	Swansea	There are enough development going on around swansea. This a beautiful open area which should be kept this way for all to enjoy

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855	28-09-2021		Swansea	<p>I object in this proposal the planned use for the site is inappropriate it will bring too many people to an area already over used without any parking or toilet facilities being blind I walk along the promenade and the youths loiter on the path over spilling from the ramp currently this will only get worse and it's intimidating and dangerous as I cannot see them zipping around I fear that I will be knocked over</p> <p>The cars park on llwynderw drive, henage drive and llwynderw clise, in the meets for the ramp social events and it blocks the road to dangerous levels the provision for parking is not good enough for what will obviously be a more attractive venue</p> <p>It should be in smother location up by the foothold perhaps ? Where there is a car park opposite and enough room and no residential houses in front plus toilet facilities need to be put in the plan</p> <p>I feel that residents have not been considered in this endeavour and the councillors and supporters have been coloured by the antics [REDACTED] and no one has considered the effect for other residents in the area like myself and my neighbours</p> <p>The beeping from their objections to [REDACTED] kept waking me at 2am and 3 am daily it's just very selfish antics and I think that my comments here will be seen as inflammatory but necessary</p> <p>So I strongly object and would like it moved elsewhere</p> <p>Just to be clear I think a skate park is a good thing it's just the wrong location</p>
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1009	17/10/21	Mumbles	Swansea	PDF Image 1009 - 1 Page
1010	16/10/21	Newton	Swansea	PDF Image 1010 - 3 Pages
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1012			Swansea	PDF Image 1012 – 4 Pages

## Neutral / Ambiguous Response

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73	17-10-2021		Truro	Please do not do this just because of some [REDACTED]
250	30-09-2021		Swansea	I hope that this finally solves the problem
289	29-09-2021	Killay	Swansea	Let's hope this time the right decision is made
306	29-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Please, please, help to give young and older, walking and wheelchair riders, a safe open space to get together.
420	28-09-2021		Swansea	Save the scene
439	28-09-2021	Loughor	Swansea	This skate park is a vital park of community space. As a child I would skateboard from the Gorseinon area specifically to skate at this park. The fact that the council are willing to give in to the vile claims [REDACTED] and anyone willing or pushing to remove this space should be ashamed of themselves. This is an important decision for Swansea council, either it shows that Swansea is for sale to the highest bidder or that the council actually cares about its citizens. This notice of removal makes me shamed to have been born and raised in Swansea.
477	28-09-2021		Swansea	.
518	28-09-2021		Swansea	We live in the local area and we need to maintain and improve areas for our next generation
619	28-09-2021	West Cross	Swansea	Signed and shared
625	28-09-2021		Carmarthenshire	Happy days
631	28-09-2021		Swansea	Do it
665	28-09-2021		swansea	we need this
751	28-09-2021	Bishopston	Swansea	I am in total objection to the disposal of this fantastic facility
779	28-09-2021		Neath	[REDCATED]
883	28-09-2021	sketty	Swansea	Get on with it!
946	28-09-2021		Swansea	I, along with many many others feel that this site can be made into a much more positive and active space for the community.
960	28-09-2021		Swansea	SKETE ?



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Civic Centre  
Oystermouth Road  
Swansea SA3SN

Image 1002

Dear Ms Meredith

Notice of disposal of part of an open space. Land known as West Cross skate park, Mumbles Road, West Cross, Swansea SA3 5TW

1, I strongly disagree with the de-registration and disposal of an Open Space I cannot believe this can be happening in 2021 when "open space" has never been more important.

2, This strategic area of prime land was purchased after the 2nd world war, by an extremely cash-strapped Swansea Borough Council who farsightedly realise the importance of open space, they also purchased farmland at West Cross and built the West Cross housing estate to rehouse the residence of bomb damage Swansea . This land in question was purchased in the early 60s when it was a tree nursery, you were unable to see the Bay at this point. When this land was opened up it was breathtaking and buses and train passengers and walkers saw this fantastic view across to The Mumbles. This wonderful open space must never be lost or built on.

3, Now about the skate park. Swansea might need a skate park, if so it should be municipally funded in a park or Brownfield site, where it is properly enclosed and supervised because large skate parks can be very popular and dangerous. Who covers the cost against accidents and injuries whose liability would it be? There are no toilet facilities, no area for pick up and drop off or collection of injured people the site is unsuitable. Have you the legal department and health and safety really looked into this proposed development?

4, Swansea Council and Mumbles community council have a poor record of maintenance and repair of existing facilities, the tennis courts in Mumbles have suffered 20 years of neglect Bowling Green and Pavilion are in a state of disrepair . We have lost one tennis court and half another already to the new development. Southend Gardens are in a dreadful state there appears to be no money to look after what we already have. It would not appear be possible take on any other facilities and run anything properly. The local toilet facilities are dreadful and a disgrace to any self respecting holiday resort . What Visitors must think about the gardens at Southend and the toilet facilities in Mumbles and Langland can only be guessed at.

5, I belong to the Open Spaces Society which was formed before the National Trust for the preservation of open spaces. Swansea Forefathers worked very hard for these open spaces in the most troubled of times. Please please do not let their very good work be undone, in this most environmentally sensitive time.

6, This very important open space is almost 60 years old, and the tennis courts and Bowling Green and pavilion would have been 100 years old this year. Please consider putting a much-needed Skatepark in a position that can be used and supervised in a suitable location for future generations to appreciate .like we appreciate what we have now and not on a strategic viewpoint, it is not necessary and hugely destructive.

# Image 1003

SWANSEA DISPOSAL OF OPEN SPACE OBJECTION DGC-00256407/SAE

1. ANY location on the prom for a wheeled sports facility and handover of land lease to Mumbles Community Council or anyone else is unacceptable to immediate residents.

2. It would ruin the green sweep of The bay which Swansea City Council has created over many years of work which Residents adore, and should be located at a place well away from any sea park site and green foreshore.

3 The promenade has become massively busier in the 2 last years and used more and more by pedestrians joggers, disabled, scooters children families and fast and slow cyclists and also illegal motorised e scooters and bikes.

The land train on the prom not in operation during pandemic is a critical safety consideration. Pedestrians have huge safety fears of increased wheeled prom traffic, as do lido children. Toilets drugs safeguarding lido children from predators are historically criminal issues at Blackpill.

4. Immediate local Residents want a skate park for youth but anywhere on the foreshore alongside the promenade foot and cycle path is too dangerous, and detracts from our enjoyment and quality of life. It is unnecessary to site a concrete skatepark on any seafront location. It would attract users from far and wide with excessive use and maintenance because of the beauty of the foreshore.

5. It brings nothing to any local businesses and although a skatepark is much needed, a 'free' skate park paid for by local residents is being pushed ahead by people from outside the area with a commercial use interest day and night over nearby residents.

6. Immediately affected local Residents have been afraid and not been given voice to contest the powerful Redacted

7. Mumbles Community Council do not have the professional expertise or finance to run a skatepark and it will be given to private businesses to run and profit from at the expense of Mumbles community tax payers only.

Swansea Council must not give away or even consider themselves the green promenade for a permanent concrete skate park of any size it would be ruined forever , it's beautiful as it is and would be spoilt if you do.

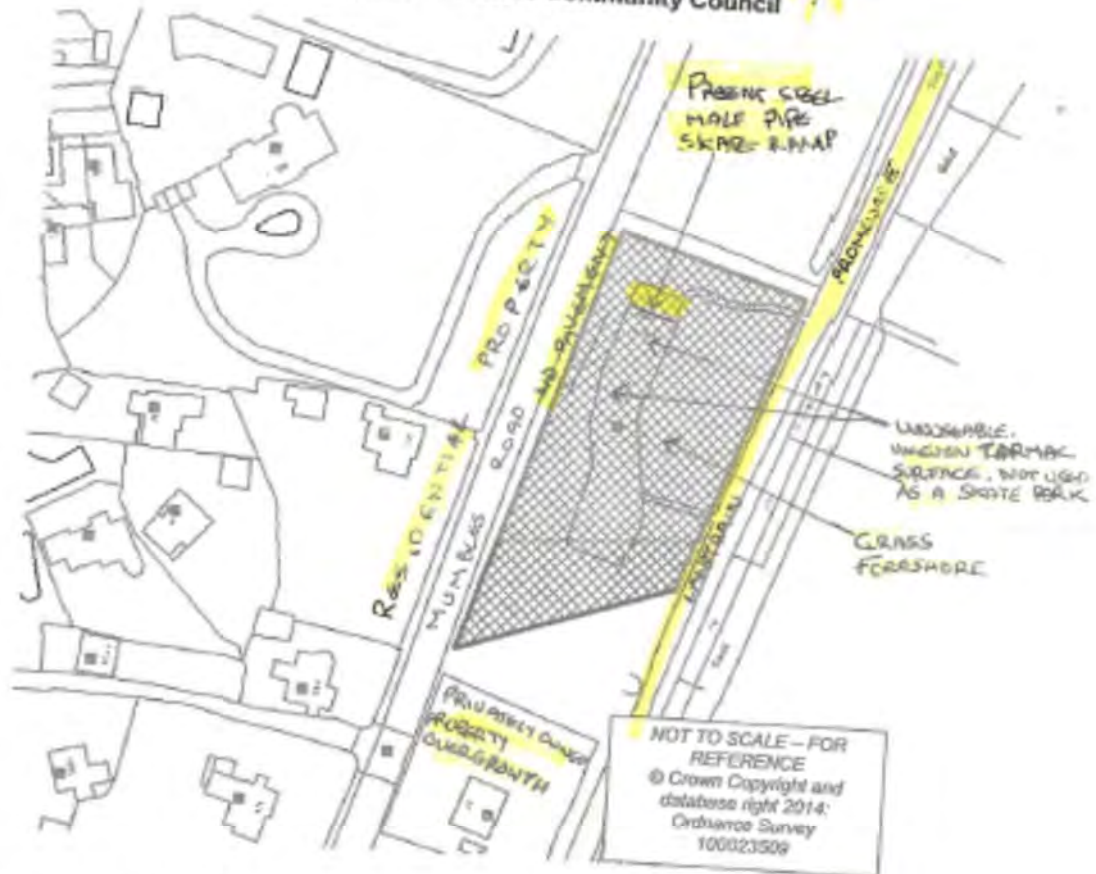
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Planning Committee – 4<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Item 1

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Image 1004

REASONS PLEASE NOT TO GIVE ANY SEAFRONT LEASE /LAND AWAY TO MUMBLES COMMUNITY COUNCIL

IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS FOR SWANSEA CITY COUNCIL LAND OWNERSHIP DEPARTMENTS

This consultation is very welcome. Swansea city council not mumbles community council own the seafront land and the city council must represent all citizens of Swansea Do all mumbles citizens want a wheeled sports concrete mass anywhere on the seafront ? NO. RIGHT IDEA, THE GREEN SEAFRONT IS THE WRONG PLACE

Will there be additional morning day evening and night congestion gatherings traffic and noise on the promenade? YES it's going to be so popular.

Will the safety of the pedestrian footpath, cycle path its many many daily public users - runners, walkers, elderly , pushchairs, dogs , cyclists, scooters, safety on the promenade be compromised by putting a very busy skate park anywhere on the prom .? The lovely popular tourist train vehicle will hopefully go past each way every hour after the pandemic .Are accidents waiting to happen ?YES

Will the whole city and tourist visitors be hugely affected by mumbles road traffic delays if this there is construction on a seafront site ? YES

Please why cant Swansea City Council provide and professionally manage a really nice decent concrete city Skate park for all residents of Swansea in an underused park with parking and toilet facilities with subsequent benefit to its local community?

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Is pressure by Mumbles Community Skate Park Association to replace the green foreshore with a permanent concrete structure also coming from people with personal and other commercial gain as well as local skaters and families .

( school children and people outside area are used for numbers).

All everybody really wants and need is a safe very decent concrete wheeled sports park in Swansea. That's what the City should provide. PLEASE.

Why should they care about its location or what nearby homeowners and mcc tax payers of all ages feel about a concrete park on the green seafront?

Do Mumbles Community Council with the best intentions in the world have the professional Officer time and expertise to build manage and financially maintain a skatepark which the City Council do have NO Are grants for finance ,future maintenance cost and daily managing a skate park really secure since the pandemic economic changes. DON'T KNOW

Mumbles Action Group are concerned that with the high cost of managing and maintaining a skatepark to the necessary high standard on the beautiful seafront ,money wont be available to go on other needs of the community

FROM CONCERNED RESIDENT FAMILY .

PROPOSED SKATEPARK AT  
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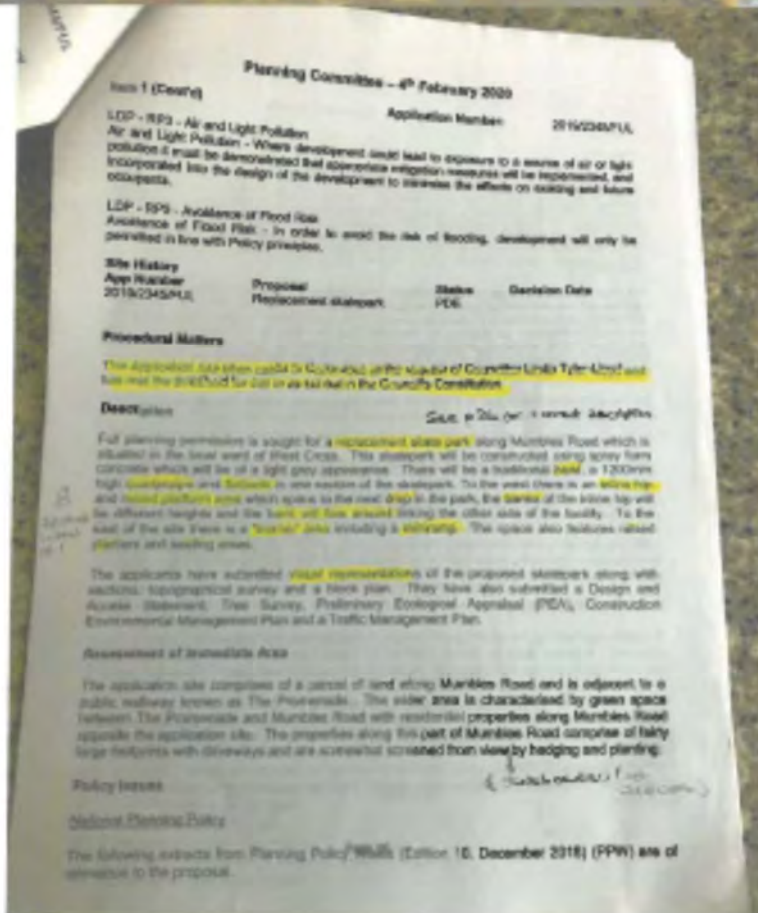
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HEAD OF PROPERTY SERVICES  
THE COUNCIL OF CITY AND COUNTY OF SWANSEA  
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OPEN SPACE DISPOSAL DCG-00256407/SAE

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OBJECTION

THIS PROPOSED LAND DISPOSAL REEKS OF A GOOD IDEA, NOT  
THOUGHT THROUGH BY WELL MEANING COMMUNITY COUNCIL NON  
PROFESSIONALS

THEY WILL BE UNABLE TO RUN IT AND MAINTAIN IT FOR YEARS TO  
COME WITHOUT GIVING IT AWAY AGAIN TO BE RUN BY MONEY  
GRABBING BUSINESSES.

2 Plans are enclosed.

The planning consent for a skatepark was on half of the land which  
mumbles Community Council want for disposal by the City.

WHY ARE THE CITY COUNCIL EVEN THINKING ABOUT DISPOSING OF  
SUCH A HUGE PARCEL OF LAND ON THE SEAFRONT IN A BEAUTIFUL  
HARD EARNED AREA BY FAMILY AND ELDERLY PEOPLES  
HOMES ???

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*From very concerned Llwynderw and Blackpill Residents.*

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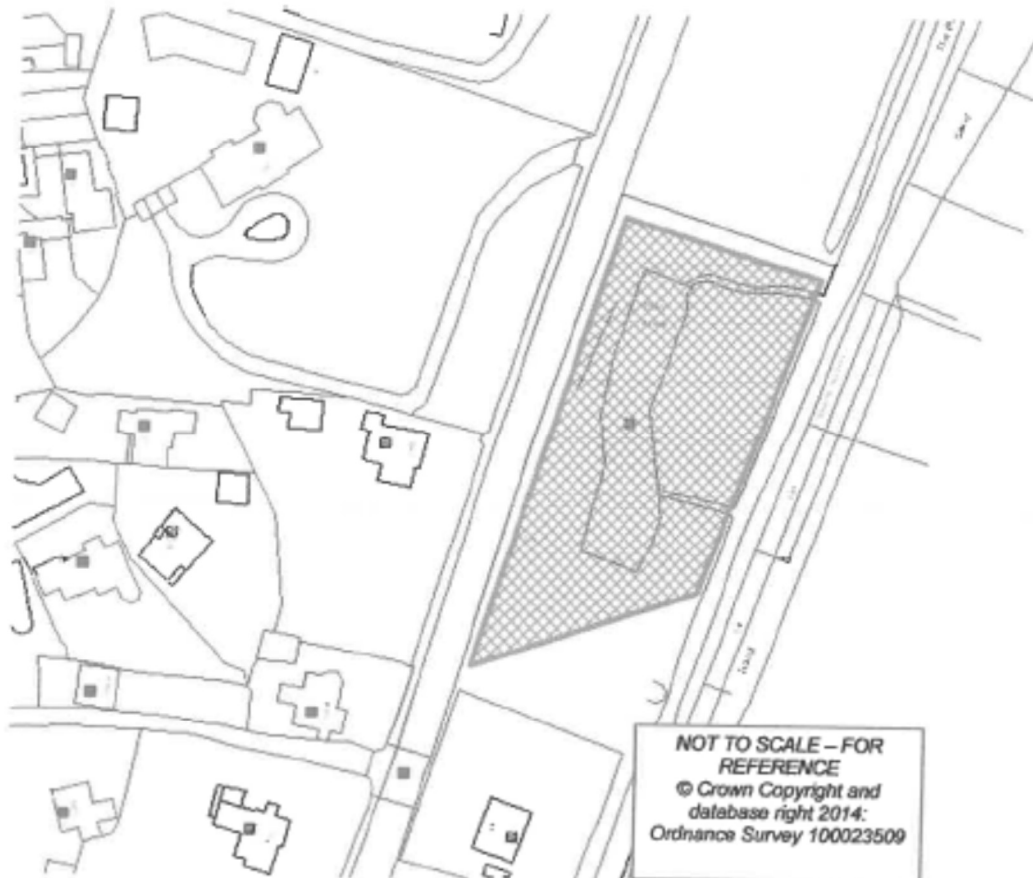
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Skate Park**



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## **Notice of disposal of open space - Swansea**

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### **ANSWER**

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OBJECTION MUMBLES BAY RESIDENT.

LAND TRANSFER DISPOSAL BY SWANSEA CITY COUNCIL TO MUMBLES  
COMMUNITY COUNCIL

SKATE PARK REF DGC-00256407/SAE

Mumbles community Council 'INDEPENDENT REPORT'

Redacted

AND IS NOT INDEPENDENT

Now called a 'wheeled sports Site' to enrapture support from a wider disabled community it is a biased non expert/ from a not suitably experienced architect in lockdown so misrepresentative report . Was it tendered and authorised by full MCC council or a certain subcommittee? This report has been engineered discretely by certain MCC councillors ,a 'mumbles skateboard association' Redacted led by the same also with commercial/not in my back yard interest ,and innocents many from outside the area who genuinely would love a better skateboard scooter and bmx facility influenced without concern for residents who have worked so hard to live where they do.

After years of acquiring land to create a green jewel residents wish that parks foreshores, highways, planners and city councillors would see the need for a very decent skate bowl for youth and put one in an underused park away from a very busy, shared cycle and pedestrian path along the seafront, disabled, children and elderly land train and young family and retired residents location.

Have you seen Haverfordwest and Aberdare skate bowls ? Both in parks BOTH USED FOR MAJOR EVENTS AWAY FROM RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES.

The architects used for the Independent Report is Inexperienced and inappropriate in leisure planning Law

Conflict of interest, they were recommended by Maverick skate Parks who MCC want to build the skate bowl.

West x bias -village green status for less publicly appreciated non seafront west cross open spaces has been quietly gained, so residents of Llwynderw and Blackpill at two seafront sites must have to have it instead. There is mocking on social media of nearby houses.

opposite

Omissions of lots of residential properties and retirement apartments on Blackpill site plans . Inclusion ^ of a huge parcel of land in front of a residential house alongside.

Inaccuracies- "Newtown road" "Under hill" "a quiet park "- during lockdown yes A "little used park "is a reason for a quality youth activity there, also footfall for the village of mumbles.

Photographs have been taken to distort the size and actual perspective of the Blackpill site, which looks way bigger than it is.

The problems of a skate park on green sites of the Sea view promenade, the community, and health and safety and street art graffiti will only become apparent in time.

Seafront Land lease should never be given away by the City Council.

.Insurance, long term finance and construction costs ,maintenance, policing and safety of tourists the land-train have not been properly considered by Mumbles Community Councillors. and from traffic & pedestrians

<https://publicskateparkguides.org/maintenance-and-operations/>

THE PARCEL OF LAND IS HUGE, MASSIVE GRASS CUTTING COSTS WHICH MUMBLES COMMUNITY ALREADY PAY THE CITY COUNCIL TO CUT BEAUTIFULLY. WHAT IS GOING ON = POLITICS?

THIS IS NOT SURPLUS LAND, IT MUST BE ILLEGAL TO GIVE IT TO THE COMMUNITY COUNCIL WHO HAVE NO

Redacted

PROFESSIONAL EXPERTISE TO RUN A SKATEPARK AND MAINTAIN IT AND ALL THIS LAND THE CITY WANTS TO DISPOSE OF.

# Image 1008

## **OBJECTION TO SEAFRONT LEASE /LAND GIVE AWAY TO MUMBLES COMMUNITY COUNCIL -IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS FOR SWANSEA CITY COUNCIL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE AND LAND OWNERSHIP DEPARTMENTS**

Will safety of the tourist land train which travels along the cycle path and public users - runners, walkers, elderly , pushchairs, dogs , cyclists, scooters, on the promenade be compromised? YES Will there be additional morning day and night noise congestion gatherings and traffic to the promenade? YES

Why cant Swansea CityCouncil provide and professionally manage a decent concrete city Skate park for all residents of swansea in an underused park with parking and toilet facilities with subsequent benefit to its local community? Or encourage Mumbles Community Council to put their effort into a new wheeled sports facilities in Underhill park where they already have acquired the lease and are working hard.

Are grants this [Redacted] anticipates for finance ,future maintenance cost and daily managing a skate park secure? Do they care about what residents of all ages feel about a concrete park on the green seafront? NO

Do Mumbles Community Council have the professional Officer time and expertise to build manage and financially maintain a skatepark which the City Council has NO

Do majority Labour Members of the Mumbles Community Council community and social well-being /cultural committee appear biased or influenced towards the skate park, being led by 'Mumbles Skate Park Association' without letting nearby residents challenge or give alternate viewpoints to its decisions ? Is there limited information about this committees' decisions on public meting minutes? -YES ( conflict of interests?)

Are all the Members of [Redacted] paying mumbles community tax?Are petition signatories mumbles community tax payers . ( school children and people outside area were used for numbers)NO

Is pressure to replace such a large area of the green foreshore with a permanent huge concrete structure (images)coming from people with personal commercial gain influencing local skaters and families in its location without a care for other mcc council tax payers and nearby residents ? YES [Redacted]

[Redacted]

Will the whole city and tourist visitors be hugely affected by mumbles road traffic delays if this there is construction in a seafront site ? YES

Swansea city council not mumbles community council own the land and the city council must represent all citizens of swansea ? Do all mumbles citizens want the very long term cost implications by siting a wheeled sports concrete mass anywhere on the seafront not just the 'new toy' NO

Dear Ms Meredith

Image 1009

Ref no DGC-00256407/SAE  
Westcross skate park

I am writing to object to the above parcel of land being disposed of for the following reasons:-

Our predecessors had the foresight to recognise the value of this piece of land and its need to be retained as an open space also its importance as a magnificent gateway to Mumbles and Gower:

I am concerned that this will be part of 'creep development' along the Foreshore which will spoil the enjoyment of the natural beauty for the many walkers cyclists etc who use the promenade for the benefit of their health and well being.

Since the skate park was first suggested I have believed that the site at Llwynderw was the wrong one. The young people fortunate enough to live on this side of Swansea already have more leisure facilities than many other parts of the city and outlying areas. these include brown field sites in desperate need of improvement.

I envisage car parking becoming an issue on an already congested highway. Please don't use the rest of this valuable green space as a car park!

I am also concerned about liability and insurance costs, will these have to be met by Mumbles Community and therefore the residents? The supervision of the skate park is also an issue as the age range it will be likely to attract could be from 5-25years. The park will also require maintenance has this cost been budgeted for in the future. 7

I am urging the powers that be to reconsider the siting of the skate park at Llwynderw. We the people of Swansea are so fortunate to have this beautiful open space on our doorstep, Don't kill the golden goose .

RE DISPOSAL OF <sup>PART OF</sup> AN OPEN SPACE  
WEST CROSS SKATE PARK  
DGC-00 256407/SAE

16.10.21

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I object to this huge  
tranche of land on the sea front being  
demoted from its open space status.

This is not explained at all as to why  
it's necessary or beneficial.

If it is to be leased to  
M.C.C. as a "wheeled sports facilities  
park" then it will stay as open space  
anyway, provided that the park succeeds  
as an enterprise, and there are many  
question marks over that.

It also goes entirely against  
the ethos of Swansea Council's <sup>World</sup> Post War II  
vision which fought to preserve the  
openness of the shoreline so all could enjoy it.

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Councillor Robert Francis-Dawes was reported in the "Post" (Jan 9<sup>th</sup> 2020) as stating "Swansea Council will not be selling off the family silver when it came to the development of seafront sites in the City." However that hasn't turned out to be a cast-iron guarantee because the 3<sup>rd</sup> tennis court in Mumbles was recently sold to the developer of Oyster Wharf.

In that same "Post" article of <sup>Jan 9<sup>th</sup></sup> 2020 doubts were mentioned of the choice of this site for a skateboard park, as to whether it was practical and sustainable in the long term and a councillor's call, then, for an independent review to decide on the best location as never been met.

Swansea Council <sup>7/11/1</sup> has declared a climate emergency 2 years ago and the Senedd a bio-diversity emergency <sup>in Wales as a whole</sup> last July. Surely discarding the "little" and protection of "Open Space" are threatening to these aspirations.

This open space has served the community well in the Covid Emergency. Would it not be better to wait at least until that ends before proceeding?

Thank you sincerely.

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Head of Property Services  
The Council of the City and County of Swansea  
Civic Centre  
Oystermouth Road  
Swansea  
SA1 3SN

**By recorded delivery**

18 October 2021

Dear Sir / Madam

**Open Space Disposal – Land known as West Cross Skate Park, Mumbles Road, West Cross, Swansea, SA3 5TW ('the Site')**  
**Reference: DGC-00256407/SAE**

I am writing further to the notice of disposal of open space in relation to the Site dated 28<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

I wish to object to the Council's proposal to dispose of the Site by way of a lease to Mumbles Community Council ('MCC') for the intended purpose of constructing a skate park for the following reasons.

First, the Council's decision to dispose of the Site to MCC is predicated on the conclusion that the Site is the best available location for a new skate park. That conclusion is materially flawed because it has been influenced by an irrelevant factor.

The Council have previously recognised that it was necessary to undertake a full review of all possible sites within the area in order to ensure that the best location is identified for a new skate park. Confirmation to this effect was recorded in the Cabinet's 9<sup>th</sup> January 2020 report. The proposal to transfer the Site to MCC appears to be the culmination of that "full review" and has been informed by a sites appraisal undertaken by the Council's Strategic Planning Team and documented in a report entitled "*High Level Planning Appraisal of Council Owned Sites for potential Skatepark development in the Mumbles Community Council Area*" ('**the Sites Appraisal**') and a report produced by DMW Architects & CL Planning entitled "*Post Planning Review of Proposed Wheeled Sports Areas*" ('**the DMW Report**'). The Site was considered alongside two other sites, one at Blackpill and one at Underhill Park.

It appears that the Council have concluded that the Site is the best location for a new skate park based on the findings of the Sites Appraisal and the DMW Report. This is problematic because it is clear that in making this conclusion, the Council have taken into account the planning permission obtained by MCC for a new concrete skate park at the Site. The purpose of the "full review" was to determine which available location was qualitatively the best for a new skate park. It is clear from the following excerpt of the Cabinet's 21 January 2021 report that MCC's existing planning permission "tipped the balance" in between the Site and the Blackpill site:

*[the DMW Report] indicates that there [is] little difference in physical characteristic[s] between [the Site] and [the Blackpill Location], with exception of their current use and designations. [The Blackpill Location] is closer to the main services and facilities, such as public toilets, shop, café and parking.*



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*The report highlights a main difference between [the two locations] is that planning permission has already been obtained at [the Site] with work and cost borne by MCC. The characteristics between [the two locations] are so similar, as is their proximity to each other, [...] that to proceed with a new planning application and associated site surveys would incur needless expense and delay to ultimately provide the same offer."*

The existing planning permission is not a relevant consideration for determining which is the best location for a new skate park facility and it is, therefore, concerning that it has been so heavily relied upon by the Council. Had it not been for DMW's and the Council's reliance on the existing planning permission, it is very plausible that the Council would have concluded that the Blackpill was the "best location" for a new skate park facility in the area. As the 21 January 2021 report noted, the Blackpill location "is closer to the main services and facilities, such as public toilets, shop, cafés and eateries and parking." As the DMW Report noted, the Blackpill location was "a good contender for the most appropriate location." The existing planning permission has had such a significant effect on DMW's findings that it seems that the Council has not, in fact, undertaken a "full review" to determine which site is the "best location" for a new skate park facility; it has certainly not undertaken a fair and objective review.

Second, I object to the transfer of the Site to MCC on the basis that the Council has not properly invited alternative offers for the development of the Site (whether pursuant to a 25-year lease or at all). Had the Council done so, I believe that it is plausible that other credible proposals would have been made. In any event, there has been at least one other option available to the Council. In June 2019, I submitted a detailed expression of interest in which I proposed to develop the Site into a wildflower garden for the benefit of the local community and visitors. I did not ask the Council or MCC for any ongoing support as part of my expression of interest and I was happy to meet the costs of the proposed development. Neither I nor my architects received a substantive response to the expression of interest. This was strange given that I believed that I had submitted a credible proposal for the use of the Site which would not require any ongoing public body investment, and which was, in my view, a sympathetic and considerate use of the land. My expression of interest had also included a proposal whereby I would remove and relocate the existing skate ramp (at my cost) to a location which is better suited to such a facility by virtue of it having an existing infrastructure such as public toilets, cafes, eateries and car and cycle parking. If the Council invited offers for the development of the Site, it is probable that other credible proposals would be made.

Third, using the Site for an alternative purpose would be more beneficial to the local community and to visitors to the area than a new skate park facility. In my view, it would be more beneficial if the Site was developed in a way which maintained its amenity value as a buffer between Mumbles Road and the seafront and the views of the Mumbles coastline.

Fourth, for the following reasons the Site is plainly unsuitable for the development of a large skate park facility:

- It will have a detrimental impact on the visual amenity of the site due to the loss of open space and the proposed design, including the long fence that will separate the skate park from Mumbles Road.
- It will have a detrimental visual impact on a prominent and sensitive location and on important views across the Mumbles and its coastline. The loss of those views will be felt not only by local residents by all visitors to the Mumbles area and, as everyone knows, Mumbles is a popular visitor hotspot where many businesses that depend on tourism operate.

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- It will have an adverse impact on residential amenity because it will increase pressure for on-street parking in the neighbouring residential areas. This is because the Site is a long way from public car parks, so that visitors to the skate park (and particularly parents bringing their children) are likely to try to park on local streets. There are already parking issues as a result of a lack of local car parking facilities and those issues will certainly be exacerbated by the proposed development of a skate park on the Site.
- It will lead to traffic congestion (particularly in typically busy times) as a result of poor access to the Site and the inevitability of visitors "parking" on Mumbles Road (which is already often congested) or using it as a "drop off" point.
- It will undoubtedly lead to the increase noise pollution to a level which is unacceptable to the owners and residents of adjacent properties. This will be particularly intrusive for residents who are in the immediate vicinity of the Site. The increase in noise pollution will affect local residents' enjoyment of their properties.
- There is a very good chance that it will lead to an increase in anti-social behaviour, particularly during the hours of darkness and that increase in anti-social behaviour will be most keenly felt by those who own and reside in properties which neighbour the Site. Having undertaken research of my own in relation to similar skate parks across the United Kingdom as that proposed for the Site, I have found that there have been increased levels of anti-social behaviour (such as public alcohol consumption and disorderliness and vandalism) as well as more serious criminal behaviour in public skate parks. I am concerned that the Site would be particularly susceptible to increased levels of anti-social behaviour for a number of reasons, including its isolated location, its lack of lighting and the lack of natural policing in the area. I feel as though the Council has failed to properly consider this issue, in particular. The vast majority of those visitors to the "half pipe" facility are in their late teens and early 20s. Many others are, I expect, older than that. As well as skating, they use the existing "half pipe" facility as an area to congregate, to drink alcohol, to play music and to generally "hang out", particularly in the evenings and in hours of darkness. It is reasonable to expect that this behaviour will only increase if the skate park is built because the whole purpose of the development will be to attract more of the target demographic (i.e., people with interests that are similar to the current "half pipe" users) to the Site. I am very concerned about the effect that increased anti-social behaviour may have on the area generally and, in particular, for elderly and vulnerable residents who live in close proximity to the Site.
- The Site is unsuitable for the proposed development because it is in an isolated location and it does not benefit from basic facilities such as car parking, drop off points, public toilets, street and path lighting, local cafés and eateries.
- There are other sites (including those that the Council says it has considered during the planning process) that are better suited to house the proposed development by reason of their geographical location and proximity to basic facilities, such as car parking, drop off points, public toilets, street and path lighting, local cafés and eateries. Indeed, DMW recognised this themselves in the DMW Report.
- Putting aside the concerns over the natural aspects of the Site, MCC's proposal lacks any sustainable budget or income source to ensure that the development is properly maintained once it has been constructed. Since the skate park will be a permanent

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development, I am particularly concerned that without a proper budget or income source, it may fall into disrepair and further detrimentally affect the natural amenity of the Site and its surrounding area.

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### **SEAFRONT LAND LEASE HANDOVER by SWANSEA CITY LAND LEASE OBJECTION *ref DGC-002 56407 / SAE***

**THE ELDERLY POPULATION OF MUMBLES BAY COURT MAYALS ROAD  
BLACKPILL AND RESIDENTS OF BLACKPILL ARE ABSOLUTELY DEVASTATED BY  
HANDOVER OF ANY SEAFRONT SITES TO MUMBLES COMMUNITY COUNCIL.**

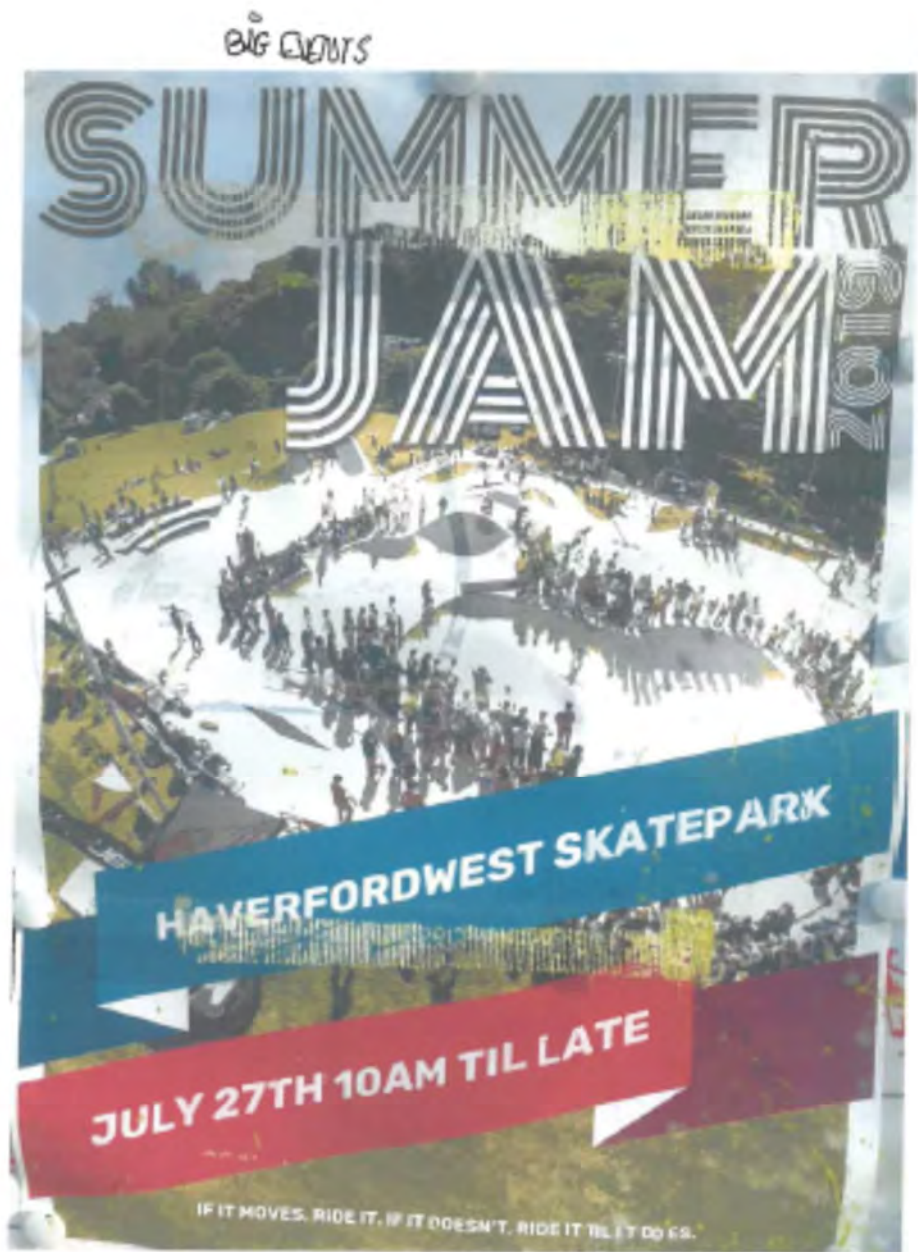
We wise elders see that the crossover between a concrete skate park on any green site of the promenade, the community, and health and safety will only become apparent in time. We have worked all our lives to enjoy the beautiful green seafront in our old age.

Small wheeled sport lovers should have an existing park site as City Councillors who objected to planning said. Insurance, long term finance and construction costs ,maintenance, policing and safety of the land train have been completely overlooked by most of the Mumbles Community Council.



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Usage

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Tourism



Dangers

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Construction



view above road level