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24/10/10

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Dear Ms Hughes

I would like to take this opportunity to register my support for the proposed planning applications for the reasons stated below.

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- The removal of car parking from the North Front can only improve the attractiveness of the area. Together with the additional car parking at George's field, the Park will have unified parking facilities to support current and future needs.

By moving the car parking and (judging by the images) creating more attractive landscaping visitors will be attracted to Hatfield House as a destination. I believe this will help encourage a vibrancy that will ultimately filter out to the local area, which, in my opinion, is in much need of uplifting.

Aesthetically I can only see improvement with the planning applications and I am sure they will be tastefully carried out as many of the GCE projects already carried out on the grounds have been in recent years.

These applications prove that the Cecil Family are prepared to invest heavily to keep Hatfield House and Park viable. During a recession such investment will create jobs and maintain Hatfield House as a major local employer.

Yours sincerely,



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