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Application address: Burhill Golf Club Burhill Hersham Walton-On-Thames Surrey KT12 4BX

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Comment type: You support the planning application

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Comment: It has been demonstrated that golf courses are a major contributor to biodiversity in semi-urban areas and Burhill is an excellent example. The new reservoir will positively impact the environment for bird, animal and plant life to flourish.

The reservoir will also minimise the use of "towns water" for emergency irrigation during our increasingly hot and dry summers which global warming is generating. It will also reduce additional pressure on turf supplies which also has its challenges.

Since the concept is to use the excess water from the regular flooding of the River Mole this application offers a real win-win scenario for both the golf club and the locality.