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Comment type: You support the planning application

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Comment: As a member of Burhill Golf Club since 1987, I fully support this application. With the vagaries of current weather patterns we have often experienced periods of drought during which the current reservoir has insufficient capacity to adequately water the courses. This makes playing conditions difficult and adversely affects the quality of the courses.

Correspondingly, during periods of above average rain fall the River Mole often achieves very high levels, often to the extent that the New Course is closed due to flooding making access to the course impossible. Taking excess water from the river during these winter months will have little effect on the river and yet provide enormous benefit for the courses during these prolonged dry periods.