

# ARMOUR ROAD RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

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Dear Revd. Jones,

Thank you for answering my letter of November 28th, I was rather dismayed by the attitude you would appear to have taken, as I consider the request regarding public attendance at certain meetings was delivered in a polite and courteous manner.

If you had attended the open public meeting you would have had the opportunity of experiencing at first hand the responses expressed by the local residents who have had cause to concern themselves regarding the the proposed transfer of the lease involving the Victoria Recreation Ground.

However, our Association have taken the liberty of allowing a number of the same persons to read your latest correspondence containing a refusal to the request we had presented, and we feel obliged to inform you that they are not in complete accordance with several of your assertions, it may well be they are misinformed, that is another matter, but as it stands there do appear to be much concern regarding the proposed scheme.

We regret you have decided it not necessary to consider our proposal regarding the allowance of access to any future meetings between the interested parties and yourselves as we are sure that if granted it could possibly present assistance in dispelling some of the suspicions that have been aroused since the first news of the scheme came to the general public's notice.

For your further information, a census taken at the aforementioned meeting revealed that residents from a wide area of Tilehurst were in attendance, i.e Kentwood Hill, Norcot Rd, Crescent Rd, Westwood Rd, Foxcombe Drive, Wittenham Av; etc, etc. Therefore you may deduce from this that it is not only Armour Road residents showing interest in the scheme. Furthermore we wish to inform you that the Armour Road Residents Association are not conducting any pursuit of information on their own behalf, but were approached by many non-members in search of some enlightenment concerning the future developments involving the Victoria Recreation Ground first reported in the Reading Chronicle 11th October '91

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs. E Haynes, Chairperson