

England Club Receives Approval for Wimbledon Park Golf Course Transformation Project

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The Greater London Authority (GLA) has today approved the All England Club's applications to transform the former Wimbledon Park Golf Course.

Deborah Jevans, Chair of the All England Club, commented: "We are delighted that the Greater London Authority has resolved to approve our applications to transform the former Wimbledon Park Golf Course.

"Our proposals will deliver 27 acres of newly accessible parkland for the community and enable us to bring the Qualifying Competition for The Championships onsite, with all of the substantial economic and employment opportunities this presents.

"Every stage of this project will be delivered with a meticulous attention to detail and the utmost respect for both our neighbours and the environment.

"We look forward to working with all parties to bring this vision to life, delivering one of London's greatest sporting transformations since the 2012 Games, and securing Wimbledon's future at the pinnacle of world sport."

Jules Pipe CBE, Deputy Mayor for Planning, Regeneration, and the Fire Service, praised the plans, stating, "These plans for the site of a former private golf course will bring significant benefits to the local area, the wider capital, and the UK economy. Providing increased access to open green space, sport, new parkland, and a host of new jobs."

"Hosting qualifying events on the same site as the Championships will put Wimbledon on a global footing with other Grand Slam tournaments and ensure it remains one of the world's top sporting events. The scheme brings a huge range of economic, social and cultural benefits which will contribute to building a fairer, greener and more prosperous London for everyone."