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Dear William,

RE: SPORTING FUTURE DRAFT

Geraldton Netball Association would like to resubmit our submission for the Sport Future Draft:-

1. Replace existing stadium floor with a sprung floor.
2. Build second stadium on the back of existing stadium

The existing floor is coming to it use by date with some areas commencing to lift. We would like to replace this floor with a sprung floor, this will enable our members to enjoy the benefits of the sprung floor by putting less pressure on their body's and enabling them a speedy recovery after matches and training. The existing floor is concrete base with a lino cover on top. This project is starting to become a priority and we have commenced enquiries into the different varieties of sprung floor. The approx cost is \$150,000.

A second stadium joined onto the existing stadium would benefit our Association in all areas of playing and Development of our sport. We would like to include in the plans, meeting room for our clubs, Function Room and Storage Rooms. By building on Court 10 this will also give the Association another court for our Senior Competitions which are played on Tuesday and Friday Nights and also for our clubs to be able to train in, at present this court is only in use up until 6pm as the court is not lit.

We would also be able to expand our Social Netball Competition which is played 3 times a week for 11 months of the year, by having built onto the existing court, this will enable our Social Coordinator to be able to manage and be in contact with all players at all times.

The estimated cost for the construction of the second indoor court would be approx 2 Million.

The Geraldton Netball Association is the largest female sport played in Geraldton, we also have teams travelling in from Dongara, Mullewa, Northampton and Walkaway to play in our competitions. Geraldton Netball Association also supports the Midwest Gascoyne Netball Region State League Team "Midwest Tigers" by providing playing and training facilities.

We would like to remain as a main single sport facilities holder with provisions for other sports and community organizations using our facilities, which is what is happening at

present. This is to the best interest of our members as they can use the facilities for 12 months of the year.

Geraldton Netball Association would like to keep our main gate entry and would appreciate if we could receive confirmation that this will not change as we would like to make some improvements to the existing entrance.

Yours faithfully,

Janniel Harris  
President