A Source of Pride for the Neighborhood as well as the Edgewood Campus Community

This agreement with our neighbors is for usage of the Edgewood High School Goodman Athletic Complex. In order to address scheduling issues, comply with conference by-laws, and enhance school pride and spirit, Edgewood High School will, if approved, be building a structure on the school side of the field with seating for 1,300, locker rooms, restrooms, concessions, storage, press box, lighting and a sound system. This facility will enhance the asset Edgewood High School is to the neighborhood by providing additional support to our neighborhood businesses, pride and entertainment to the neighbors, and tremendous school spirit for our students, parents, faculty, staff and alumni.

Athletic Home Events

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<th>Sport</th>
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<td>Boys’ Football</td>
<td>400-1200</td>
<td>Aug.-Nov.</td>
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<td>Boys' Soccer</td>
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<td>Girls’ Soccer</td>
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<td>Track &amp; Field</td>
<td>300-500</td>
<td>April-May</td>
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<td>Boys’ Lacrosse</td>
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<td>4-6</td>
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Neighborhood Concerns

The concerns neighbors expressed were usage, traffic/parking, lights and sound.

Traffic/Parking

With the exception of football, all of the proposed sports have been held on the field in the past. Most football games will draw crowds similar to basketball crowds which have been coming to the campus for years. A maximum football crowd does not exceed the numbers of our graduation ceremony held annually on campus.

By combining current hard surface parking (261), new hard surface parking (70), Edgewood Campus School parking (30), Edgewood College overflow parking (200), and grass overflow parking (220) for a total of 781 parking spots, the Edgewood campus is able to handle all parking for all events onsite. Only maximum football crowds would require parking areas labeled as overflow.

Lights

Concerns with overhead lighting involved light spill, glare and glow. Edgewood’s design far exceeds City dark sky requirements. The by-laws of the majority of athletic conferences state that games are to be played in the evening to manage travel times and reduce the amount of school time student-athletes miss for athletic events. Badger Conference by-laws state that Friday night at 7:00 pm is the time all football games are to be played.

Lights would only be used when needed. In the late spring and early fall, soccer and lacrosse events would not need lights. Therefore, of the 26-35 athletic events listed in the table above, only 18-27 would be lighted.

Sound

Because of the special sound system design, sound volume can be managed to crowd size. Sound-off times would be the same as lights-out times. All Madison city sound and time ordinances would be followed. Because of the investment in a custom designed system and neighborhood cooperation, noise levels will be well below all city requirements.

Special Events

The main purpose of the facility is for hosting Edgewood High School athletic events. From time to time, Edgewood is asked for usage by others. Edgewood will notify neighborhood leaders of any special event or Edgewood High School athletic event with expected attendance over 1,200.

No additional outside night events will be accepted by Edgewood High School without neighborhood discussion.

Neighborhood Relations

It is Edgewood’s intention to continue to be a good and respectful neighbor. Feedback from all events will be solicited and welcomed by Edgewood. Any and all problems or issues brought up by neighbors will be discussed and addressed at a meeting held as soon as possible after the event.

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