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To Whom It May Concern:

In discussions with SOK Global and the proposed plans to rehabilitate the Kuntz Stadium Complex on West 16th Street, Sullivan Hardware is in support of this project and embraces the opportunity to potentially partner on community-driven activities in the near northwest neighborhood of Riverside.

Within our robust sporting city is an active and successful rugby community. Over 1,100 boys and girls play high school rugby. The North Central High School women's rugby team has won 11 state championships since 2000. The Royal Irish Rugby Club, composed of students from multiple high schools, has won four national high school boys' championships and produced USA 15's Men's Captain, Bryce Campbell, and USA 7's Men's player and Olympian Joe Schroeder. At the collegiate level in 2019, Marian University established rugby as a varsity sport and currently has 27 scholarship athletes.

On a personal level, my son Joe was blessed to travel the world playing rugby throughout high school and I would love to see this opportunity afforded to more kids from Indianapolis.

This project is part of the vision to bring world class rugby to Indianapolis through a purpose-built facility and professional team leading into the 2031 & 2033 Rugby World Cups. Sullivan Hardware wholeheartedly supports this initiative from SOK Global Sports.

Regards,

Pat Sullivan