## **TORBAY SPORTS COUNCIL**

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## THE CHARGES FOR HIRING TORBAY COUNCIL'S SPORTING FACILITIES DURING 2012/13

The Executive Committee of Torbay Sports Council has considered the proposed increases in the above charges, and asks for its comments to be conveyed to the full meeting of Torbay Council.

"This year, in Torbay, will be hosting many major events which celebrate both The London Olympic Games, and the Herald Express "Love Life" campaign.

In living memory, there will NEVER have been a greater effort to persuade our communities to embrace fitness programmes, and/or to join our local sports clubs.

Whilst the Torbay Sports Council understands the financial restraints imposed upon our Councillors, it respectfully suggests that this is not the right time to impose a 3% increase to its facility hire charges.

## We ask it to reflect whether or not the relatively small amount raised is worth the mixed message which it conveys"

Thank you for considering our comments.

The Executive Committee of the Torbay Sports Council