



October 13, 2023

Ms. Mila Carter
Director of Planning and Zoning/Assistant Township Manager
Westtown Township
1039 Wilmington Pike
West Chester, PA 19382

Re: Westtown School - 975 Westtown Road
Outdoor Lighting Review

Dear Mila:

We have reviewed the following document

1. Letter from Daktronics, the scoreboard manufacturer, in response to our 9/20/2023 letter regarding the luminance from the proposed scoreboard

for compliance with

1. Westtown Township Zoning Ordinance (Chapter 170 of the Westtown Township Code), Article 170-1514 Outdoor Lighting.

We offer the following comments for consideration.

1. Section 170-1514.D.(5).(e)[9] – The maximum luminance from any light source, including scoreboards, shall not exceed 2,000 cd/m² as viewed from any location off site. The scoreboards submitted do not indicate the luminance at the face of the scoreboard. The product data does indicate that the digits may be dimmed for night viewing. The Applicant should request from the manufacturer the luminance of the scoreboard along with range of dimming, how dimming is performed (manual or automatic via daylight sensor), and at what distance from the face of the scoreboard compliance with the ordinance is achieved.
 - a. **Response letter from Daktronics indicates that the maximum luminance from the scoreboard will be in compliance with the ordinance limit of 2,000 cd/m², and that the scoreboards may be manually dimmed by the user at the console. The response letter indicates compliance. However, the recommendation is to hold this item open to evaluate the luminance after installation.**

If you have any questions, or need additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Best regards,

Stephen Gribb, P.E.

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President