

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

Planning Application comments have been made. A summary of the comments is provided below.

Comments were submitted at 24/01/2024 2:19 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address: The Amazon And Tiger Harvel Street Meopham Gravesend Kent DA13 0DE

Proposal: Change of use to C3 dwellinghouse.

Case Officer: Mrs Alison Webster

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Customer Details

Name:

Email:

Address:

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments:

I moved to Harvel in June 2019. The following day there was a village Fete. The pub was a hub to meet all the new people from the village. For me this was before the fete started, during and after the Fete finished. The pub was very much open and I for one would never have moved to Harvel if I had known the pub would shut so soon after moving to Harvel.

It was quickly evident the landlady didn't want to work there, she used to tell people how much she disliked it along with stopping several people going in including the people running the farm shop at the time.

There is still a huge community in Harvel that wishes to meet and this was proved in mid Jan when 60 people attended the village hall for a pop up pub meet and greet.

It's so sad it's shut and clear to us residents how many rules have been broken. Planning permission for the band being contingent on it being a pub and now the landlady's brother living there but giving another address.

There are so many pubs in remote locations that survive but anyone can not open a pub or only open a few days a week and blame it on something else.

This pub brings so many people together and it's such a shame this has been taken away from us. We were told originally the landlord wanted to retire but why did they flatly refuse to sell? The village people gave them many options and now I read they couldn't compete with the various events the villagers had organise all of which pretty much were started AFTER they shut the pub.

I will be have no choice to move as walking my dogs in the Kent downs and ended up in a village pub is why I moved here.

If the Landord wants to retire he sells or let's out, when a vicar retires a new Vicar replaces the last one they simply don't shut the church down.

Kind regards