

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 30/03/2026 11:35 AM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address:	The Woodlands 217 Wrotham Road Gravesend Kent
Proposal:	Alterations to existing restaurant, including alterations to elevations, additional works to accommodate plant, new corral and bin store, demolition of existing single storey side extension with erection of new single storey side extension, minor external work to existing parking bays, creation of patio and other associated work.
Case Officer:	Mrs Lisa Fisher

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Customer Details

Name:	[REDACTED]
Email:	[REDACTED]
Address:	[REDACTED] Singlewell Road Gravesend

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments:	I wish to object to the proposed planning application for a McDonald's restaurant near Woodlands Park in Gravesend. My main concerns are the impact on traffic, air quality, noise, and the character of the local area. Traffic in Gravesend has already increased significantly in recent years, and this development would add further congestion on surrounding roads, making access to the park more difficult and potentially less safe. Increased vehicle use and delivery activity would also negatively affect air quality, particularly in an area valued for its green space and use by families and children. The proposal would introduce additional noise and disturbance from extended operating hours, increased footfall, and servicing activity, which would detract from the currently peaceful environment around Woodlands Park. There is also no clear need for an additional McDonald's we in Gravesend, given there is already an existing restaurant in the town centre. This proposal risks contributing to unnecessary overdevelopment and further urbanisation of an area that is currently well-used and appreciated for its relative calm.
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Woodlands Park is an important local amenity, and this development would harm its accessibility and enjoyment for residents.

For these reasons, I strongly urge the council to refuse this application.

Yours faithfully,

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Kind regards