

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 26/02/2026 8:07 AM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address:	Land North Of Cherry Trees Ridge Lane Meopham Gravesend Kent
Proposal:	Retrospective change of use for the siting of 4 pitches for Gypsy / Traveller occupation to include one static, one touring caravan and one amenity building on each pitch. Associated changes in land levels and hard / soft landscaping.
Case Officer:	Mrs Lisa Fisher

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Customer Details

Name:	[REDACTED]
Email:	[REDACTED]
Address:	[REDACTED] Main road Dartford

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments:	I live in the wider local area and want to express my support for this application. From what I understand, there is a recognised shortage of authorised Gypsy and Traveller sites in Gravesham, and this has been an ongoing issue for some time. Providing small, settled sites is clearly a more sensible and managed solution than forcing families to move repeatedly or occupy land without permission. This site is already established and appears to be a small-scale development with only four pitches. Allowing it to remain would provide stability for the families involved while avoiding unnecessary disruption. In planning terms, keeping an existing, functioning site is often more reasonable than removing it where impacts can be managed. I also believe the Council should take into account fairness and equal treatment. Traveller families should have the same opportunity to live in a stable home as anyone else, and where there is a lack of authorised places, applications like this help address that problem in a practical way. For these reasons I support the application and hope permission will be granted.
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Kind regards

