

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 12/05/2025 8:18 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address:	The Peacock Public House 78 Peacock Street Gravesend Kent DA12 1EG
Proposal:	Change of use from Public House (sui generis) to Place of Worship or Religious Instruction (Class F1) at ground floor.
Case Officer:	Mrs Lisa Fisher

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Customer Details

Name:	[REDACTED]
Email:	[REDACTED]
Address:	[REDACTED] West Tower Gillingham, Kent Medway

Comments Details

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

Reasons for comment:

Comments:	I am writing in full support of the application to change the use of the ground floor of the building into a Masjid and Madrasah. As a local resident, I have witnessed firsthand the growing number of Muslims in Gravesham and the clear lack of infrastructure to accommodate the community's needs, particularly for daily and Friday (Jumma) prayers. Currently, many worshippers are having to pray outside due to limited space in existing facilities, which is not only uncomfortable but also raises concerns around safety, dignity, and inclusivity. The establishment of a Masjid in this location would directly address this shortage and provide essential religious, spiritual, and educational services for families, children, and individuals of all ages. This project is much more than a place of worship-it is desperately needed social infrastructure that will bring community cohesion, education, youth engagement, and outreach opportunities. It is fully in line with Gravesham Borough Council's policies to support inclusive and diverse community facilities. I sincerely hope the application is approved to meet the urgent needs of the local Muslim population and support the wellbeing of the wider community.
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Kind regards