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Dear Sir/Madam,

**Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)**  
**Town & Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015**

Application No: FG/97/21/HH  
Site Address: 4 Florida Close Ferring BN12 5PF  
Description of works: Erection of front and rear extension, loft conversion and detached garage.

Thank you for your internet representation made on 30th July 2021 which has been recorded as an objection with the comments as follows:

OWPC39013

The description of this application as an extension is clearly incorrect and this must be a deliberate attempt to disguise the extent and nature of what is proposed.

The existing traditional pitched roof bungalow fits all aspects of the site on which it stands - modest and unobtrusive, not impacting on neighbours, in keeping with village area.

The proposal is to replace this with a 'Block' architectural building which would not only be completely out of keeping with other properties in the area, but it would be overpowering and intrusive to its neighbours who would also be overlooked.

Surely developments within an existing area, especially in a village setting such as Ferring, need to fit sympathetically with the surroundings. It is reasonable to expect that as part of the planning consideration takes account of locality and the impact of the proposal both on the area and existing residents.

Your views as made above will be considered before the application is determined.

Please be aware that Planning Services operate an 'open file' policy and will publish your comments including your name and address on the website. Please make sure that you have only provided information that you are happy will be published in this way. If you have supplied information belonging to a third party, you must make sure you have their permission to do so. If you do not wish your comments to appear on the website or on the file you will need to confirm this by emailing to [planning@arun.gov.uk](mailto:planning@arun.gov.uk) and I will arrange for it to be destroyed although this means that the content will then be disregarded.

The majority of applications are determined under delegated powers by officers. Further information on the decision making process can be found on the website at <https://www.arun.gov.uk/planning-decision-process>.

Some applications will be determined by the Planning Committee, and I shall write and inform you of the date of the meeting and the procedures for public speaking if this is the case. However, if your representation has been received after the agenda for the meeting has been finalised and the notifications have been generated, you will not receive notification. In this case, you will need to track the progress of the application on the council's website <https://www.arun.gov.uk/weekly-lists>

Any comments that are received after the agenda has been finalised will be separately reported to the members of the Planning Committee.

Regardless of how the application is determined I will notify you of the decision.

In the event of a subsequent written representations appeal, against a refusal of planning permission on a householder application any representations made on the application will be automatically forwarded to the Secretary of State. Unlike all other types of appeal, there will be no further opportunity to comment at the appeal stage.

Yours sincerely



**Neil Crowther**  
**Group Head of Planning**

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