

Christine A Hickman
Bungalow 12 Flax Mean
Felpham
Bognor Regis
PO22 8QF

Your Ref: OWPC22995
Our Ref: FP/274/18/PL 19-12-2018
Please ask for:
Maria Tomalova

15th May 2019

Dear Sir/Madam

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

Demolition of 1 No. house & erection of 2 No. detached chalet style dwellings with
garaging & car parking.

10 Felpham Gardens Felpham

Thank you for your internet representation made on 15th May 2019 which has been recorded
as '**an objection**' with the comments as follows:

*Bungalow 12 Flex Mean
Felpham
Bognor Regis
West Sussex
PO22 8QF
13 May 2019*

To whom it may concern

I live in the bungalows in a secluded part of Felpham on the edge of the Roundstone estate and close to the A259 that was. We are a close community, many of us are frail, enjoying the peace and quiet along with the nature that surrounds us that like me, grew up with all my life. This is my sanctuary.

While I understand the need from more housing for the younger generations, I don't believe this new build has been thought through properly. Therefore, I object to planning consent being given. At 97 I think I know a thing or two about life, and where it should be heading. Having been through the traumas of the second world war and bringing five children into the world, raising them under challenging circumstances. Since I lost my husband in 1984, thinking of those young families and their needs, I have downsized several times so they could get ahead. From a three-bedroom semi in Fontwell, down to a two-bedroom semi in Barnham, then here, to this my tiny cottage in the tranquillity of - my heaven. I think I have given to help others all my life.

What is going to happen when all this new traffic is going to start rumbling past my front door, as I sit in the sunshine enjoying that tranquillity? I'm going to have to suffer being bombarded with fumes from constant traffic. Not only that, there will be the incessant large removal vehicles, and large delivery vans and visitors cars, pumping out fumes. All manner of people trapesing past my quiet and peaceful refuge. What does it matter? I'm just some dodderly old woman whose voice doesn't matter. Because those in power don't think straight, any little corner lets fill it up, squeeze them in.

Have you thought about the children that are going to arrive with their families, and our beautiful pond, protected newts and ducks? We residents love to sit here and watch them fly in and land swim about and take off. They and we live in harmony, are you going to waste more money and fence it off? Worse still fill it in because of health and safety. Groups of young children screaming in our peaceful climes, using our piece of green, are you going to take that away and put in a playground? Bring in their friends, adding more noise. They grow up, become abusive then start taking drugs (which you can't deny), our lives, peace, and tranquillity will be gone, along with the dreams of our hope for contentment. We deserve that. We've given enough for our country, and now we want just a little. A bit of peace, that's all. So, find somewhere else to incinerate some old folk who

want to live out their lives in contentment and quiet.

I also understand that the ground my bungalow sits on is protected; you have tried to pull down our homes before and rebuild. Perhaps that should tell you something.

I trust you will reconsider and think again, at least because of the access problems, to the new properties. Not through our beautiful homes. There is also a speed restriction which can hardly be seen.

Sincerely yours

Christine A Hickman

Volunteer: Ambulance car driver.

Volunteer: Meals on wheels.

Volunteer: Community driver.

A.T.L.O. Member.

Unfortunately it is not possible for the council to respond to each representation individually but your views will be considered before the application is determined and I shall write to inform you of any decision made.

If the application is to be determined at the Development Control Committee and your letter has been received after the agenda has been published, you will not receive a separate letter notifying you of the date of the meeting and the procedures for public speaking. In such circumstances, it is recommended that you track the progress of the application on the website or telephone for further information. Please be advised that any comments received after the the Development Control Agenda has been produced will be reported to the meeting. Please also note that only a small number of all planning applications are determined at the Development Control Committee, most are determined by officers under delegated power.

All representations are published on our website so please make sure your views are clear and only include information that you are happy for the public to view. Do not include personal information or information from third parties unless you have their permission to do so. If a complaint is received that permission has not been given for comments included about a third party, the Council reserves the right to redact/remove all relevant information. Do not include information that is defamatory or breaches equality or other legislation. If you do not wish your comments to appear on the website and on the file, please confirm this in writing and I will arrange for it to be destroyed, although this does mean that its contents will be disregarded. For details of what we do with your personal information please refer to our privacy statement comments on planning applications which is available on our website www.arun.gov.uk/planning-privacy-statements.

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 faithfully

Neil Crowther

Group Head of Planning