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2nd March 2022

Dear Sir/Madam,

Case Officer: Mr D Easton
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Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Town & Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 - Article 5

Application No: FP/274/21/OUT

Site Address: Bognor Regis Golf Club Downview Road Felpham PO22 8JD

Description of works: Outline planning application with all matters reserved, except means of access, for the erection of up to 480 new homes (C3), the formation of a new means of access onto Golf Links Road, together with the creation of new surface water drainage, new landscaping and habitat creation, ground works and other infrastructure and the retention and re-purposing of the retained club house (F2). This site also lies within the parish of Yapton, affects a Public Right of Way and is a Departure from the Development Plan. This application is subject to an Environmental Statement.

Thank you for your internet representation made on 1st March 2022 which has been recorded as an objection with the comments as follows:

OWPC44803

The proposed development will have a huge detrimental effect on the Felpham community for the following reasons:

The infrastructure is currently at capacity in terms of Heath, schools and other facilities. The development will flood the Community with people needing services that will be inadequate. The developers promise services that never materialise after planning permission is agreed. As a Blake's Mead resident I believe we were told we would have a new school and recreation ground developed. This has not happened 5 years later.

The roads suggested as the entrance to the new development were not designed for the amount of traffic that will be generated by the development. It will not be safe and the congestion at peak times will be horrendous.

I'm not sure why a beautiful Golf Course with a history and flora and fauna that should be protected rather than decimated is planned to be destroyed. If we need a new development which I'm not sure we do, why not develop it on the land earmarked for a new golf club.

In conclusion I have little faith in the procedures regarding developments as history appears to show a powerful minority who's greed overrides the needs and well being of the majority, will get their way.

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 and I will arrange for it to be destroyed although this means that the content will then be disregarded.

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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/planning-application-search>

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.

Yours sincerely



Neil Crowther
Group Head of Planning

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