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Dear Sir/Madam,

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 4th April 2022 which has been recorded as an objection with the comments as follows:

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This is an unsuitable development plan for an already busy residential area that has limited road access and a school and the increase in traffic, potentially up to 600 cars is dangerous. The A259 over the last 4 years since I have lived here has doubled in traffic and since covid, more residents from around the local area have been walking and enjoying the green spaces around the fields and including the golf course, together with the wildlife that lives on the course and is enjoyed by all who visit. In addition, no schools are planned or GP Surgeries. There are also thousands of houses already planned locally and I feel that this application is not merited. The local residents who live in Downview Road and Goodwood Avenue & Wroxham Way will suffer the most just so that the private golf club can move 3 miles down the road to another unsuitable site with access off the A259, causing likely more traffic flow difficulties, especially in the rush hour peaks. The Blakes Mead development never provided the necessary infrastructure for schools and GP Surgeries and playing fields which in turn has led to all local services being stretched to accommodate the extra residents and nothing seems to be planned for the new houses on the Golf Club site. The system is broken and instead of adding to the breakage, fix the problem and refuse this application.

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.

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/what-happens-next>.

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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If you have provided an email address, all correspondence including the decision notice will be sent by email. It is therefore important that you keep us informed if this changes during the course of this application.

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