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Your Ref: OWPC24303
Our Ref: R/201/19/PL 22-08-2019
Please ask for:
Richard Castro-Parker

16th September 2019

Dear Sir/Madam

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

Convert existing retail shop (A1 Retail) into a micropub (A4 Drinking Establishments).
106 The Street Rustington

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

Having lived in Rustington for over 60 years I am delighted to see this application to open a new micro pub in the village

Rustington is currently not well served with Public houses having seen 50% close down within my life time. I have along with several of my friends frequented several micro pubs around the Worthing area, the Georgi Fin being one of them. All of these establishments offer a place where conversation and an excellent range of beers many from niche breweries take centre stage and to their credit have won many awards from the Camra organisation.

Although it is with regret we see another long standing business closing in the village I believe this application will bring a much needed asset for many locals and beyond

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