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18th September 2026

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Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Application No: WA/68/26/PL
Site Address: The Greenway West Walberton Lane Walberton BN18 0QS
Description of works: Construction of a self-build/custom build single dwelling, with garage outbuilding and associated works. This is a departure from the local development plan and is in CIL Zone 3 and is CIL liable as a new dwelling.

Thank you for your internet representation made on 17th September 2026 which has been recorded as an objection with the comments as follows:

OWPC87235

I have already commented on this application, and find it totally unsuitable for the many reasons I have already given. However in the event that the planning authority for some reason consider approving the application I would comment on privacy.

This site would sit squarely and closely between neighbouring houses in a most obtrusive way. The trees that were on site which gave much cover and privacy for all, have been mechanically cut down, so the site is a barren ecological wasteland. There are still some remaining mature English cherry laurels of height around 5 metres along the North boundary of the site with my house, Gracelands Farmhouse. If there is any possibility this application could be approved, to retain at least some privacy for the site and Gracelands Farmhouse, I would request that the retention of the laurel screen is vital, should be retained and protected along the full length of the existing Northern boundary, and the Eastern boundary which is less dense and protective, which may become a sensible screen if protected. This would help all parties.

Unfortunately, it is not possible for the council to respond to comments on planning applications but 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. The website is updated once a day in the evening so it may take up to 24 hours for it appear on there. 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

For details of how the Council will deal with your data please refer to our privacy notices on the website <https://www.arun.gov.uk/privacy-policy/>

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.

To register to receive notification of planning applications in your area, please go to <https://www1.arun.gov.uk/planning-application-finder>