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To: "Deborah Lynn" <deborah.lynn@midsussex.gov.uk>
Subject: Mid Sussex DC - Online Register - Comments for Planning Application
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Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

Planning Application comments have been made. A summary of the comments is provided below.

Comments were submitted at 05/05/2026 3:26 PM.

Application Summary

Address:	101 South Road Haywards Heath West Sussex RH16 4LR
Proposal:	Installation of new shopfront signage (illuminated fascia and vinyl sign).
Case Officer:	Deborah Lynn

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Customer Details

Address: Little Haywards Farmhouse Courtlands Haywards Heath

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Neighbour or general public
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	
Comments:	This application has been applied for retrospectively as the sign is already in place. It is very garish and bright and the spacing between the letters varies making it look very amateurish. In view of this I object to it on the grounds of Detriment to Amenity (Visual Impact) in that it creates visual clutter and is too bright. It is also being used on a traditional shop front where it looks out of place. There may also be grounds under Public Safety (Highways and Transport) from a structural safety aspect as it does not look well made.

Additionally, this used to be a cafe but will now be run as a shop -
where is the change of use permission?!

Kind regards