

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL CONSULTATION

TO:	Mid Sussex District Council
FROM:	WSSC - Minerals and Waste Safeguarding
DATE:	17 March 2026
LOCATION:	The Royal British Legion Woodsland Road Hassocks West Sussex BN6 8HE
SUBJECT:	DM/26/0596 Change of use of the existing vacant social club (use Class F2) to six residential units (use Class C3), with a first floor extension proposed above the existing ground floor addition to the front of the building, together with the installation of new windows, roof lights, solar panels and heat pumps and a bin and cycle store.
DATE OF SITE VISIT:	n/a
RECOMMENDATION:	Advice

Thank you for consulting West Sussex County Council, Waste and Minerals on the above application.

The application site in question **does not** meet the criteria for consulting West Sussex County Council as set out in the [Minerals and Waste Safeguarding Guidance](#) therefore, the minerals and waste authority would offer a **no comment** to the proposed development. A summary of these thresholds is attached to this email and a short video (approx. 20 mins) explaining minerals and waste safeguarding and when the County Council should be consulted is available by clicking this link: <http://www2.westsussex.gov.uk/ssr/mwsfgrdngrsntn.ppsx>. To hear the audio, view the slides as a 'slide show'.

The decision maker should be satisfied that the proposals minimise waste generation, maximise opportunities for re-using and recycling waste, and where necessary include waste management facilities of an appropriate type and scale (Policy W23 of the West Sussex Waste Local Plan, 2014).

Minerals and Waste
West Sussex County Council – Planning Services