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To: "Martin Dale" <martin.dale@midsussex.gov.uk>
Subject: Mid Sussex DC - Online Register - Comments for Planning Application
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All emails will be responded to on our return on 5th January.

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 19/12/2025 12:08 AM.

Application Summary

Address: Juhring And Hobbs Field At Saint Hill Manor Saint Hill Road East Grinstead West Sussex

Proposal: Change of use of vacant land to event area with erection of permanent infrastructure to facilitate the erection of annual marquee structures including ground level alterations, wash block and toilets, generator enclosure, concrete ring and platforms together with the erection and dismantling of the temporary marquee structure themselves and overflow car parking for the Church and neighbouring sports clubs consisting of hard paved surfacing for 113 carparking spaces plus 6 disabled spaces and reinforced ground surfacing on the form of cell pave surfacing for up to 570 car spaces and reinforced ground surfacing to facilitate the erection of the marquee structures, construction of a new access and internal road, waiting area with structure, sustainable surface water and foul drainage provision, external lighting, associated landscaping and ecological enhancements, (Amended Description, Plans, Documents)

Case Officer: Martin Dale

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Customer Details

Address: Park Farm Woodcock Hill East Grinstead

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour or general public

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: I strongly support this application. The church is very significant to East Grinstead and the surrounding area, strongly supporting local businesses, providing employment, helping in local town events, and bringing thousands of tourists to the local area every year. This is in addition to all the local community events they hold on site. This planned change will make it much easier for visitors to park on site, rather than dangerously on the road, during the busy events. Also the local sports clubs often use Saint Hill for overflow parking and they also park along the road. Everything created so far on site has enhanced the location and is done to a very high standard and for the benefit of others including the community, so I am sure this will be done in a similar vein. Hence I support this application.

Kind regards