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Sent: 05 August 2025 10:15:21 UTC+01:00
To: "Andrew Horrell" <andrew.horrell@midsussex.gov.uk>
Subject: Mid Sussex DC - Online Register - Comments for Planning Application
DM/24/2288

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 05/08/2025 10:15 AM.

Application Summary

Address: Park Centre 60 Park Road Burgess Hill West Sussex RH15 8ET

Proposal: Refurbishment and upgrade of the existing buildings including window replacement, new roof insulation, structural alterations. New extension on both sides of the existing main building. New Bin at front, new bike storage at the side with landscaping at the rear with a new storage shed. (amended description 27th May, amended plans and new Drainage details 10th July)

Case Officer: Andrew Horrell

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Customer Details

Address: 131 Maple Drive Burgess Hill

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour or general public

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: Dear Mid Sussex Planning Department

I am writing as a local resident and ambulatory wheelchair user to express my full support for the planning application which improves accessibility at Park Centre.

Access to community spaces is essential for inclusion, independence, and equal participation for disabled people. The proposed improvements will not only benefit wheelchair users like myself but will also support parents with prams, older residents, and others with mobility challenges.

I am especially pleased to see the inclusion of a Changing Places toilet in the plans. Standard accessible toilets do not meet the needs of many people with complex disabilities. Changing Places toilets provide the space and equipment necessary for people who need assistance, including a hoist, adult-sized changing bench, and enough room for carers. Without these facilities, many disabled individuals are excluded from community life or face unsafe and undignified situations.

Approving this application would help ensure that Park Centre is not just technically accessible but truly inclusive, welcoming everyone regardless of their needs.

I strongly urge you to approve this planning application and support a more accessible and equal community.

Thank you for considering the views of disabled residents.

Kind regards