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To: "Martin Dale" <martin.dale@midsussex.gov.uk>
Subject: Mid Sussex DC - Online Register - Comments for Planning Application
DM/25/2223

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 10:33 PM.

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 for use with installation of permanent infrastructure and reinforced ground surfacing (cellular paving grid) to facilitate the erection of annual marquee structures including ground level alterations, wash block and toilets, generator enclosure and concrete ring together with the erection and dismantling of the temporary marquee structure themselves (for a total maximum period of 84 days per year) and overflow car parking for the Church and neighbouring sports clubs consisting of reinforced ground surfacing (cellular paving grid) for up to 683 car spaces (comprising up to 113 cars (Area A) for no more than 30 days per annum, 313 cars (Areas A & B) for no more than 13 days per year and up to 683 cars (Areas A, B & C) for no more than 7 days per year), construction of a new access and internal road, sustainable surface water and foul drainage provision, associated landscaping and ecological enhancements, (Amended Description, Plans, Documents)
Case Officer:	Martin Dale

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Customer Details

Address: Oast house Woodcock Hill Felbridge

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Business or other organisation
Stance:	Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	
Comments:	I have been a vendor for the Church of Scientology for over a decade. I provide catering services for the annual event held in October as well as other events attended by the local community, such as the Easter Egg hunt and the Summertime Swing event in the summer. As a local business owner providing coffee and catering services throughout East Grinstead, Forest Row, and surrounding areas, the annual convention in autumn is by far the largest catering event for my company each year. We hire dozens of staff from the local area for event prep, wait staff, and logistics support. We have always found the church to be very friendly and easy to work with and hope to continue to work at these events for many years to come. As a local business we support this application.

Kind regards