

# Comments for Planning Application 21/00345/FUL

## Application Summary

Application Number: 21/00345/FUL

Address: Wheatsheaf Yard, The Wheatsheaf High Street Oxford OX1 4DF

Proposal: Conversion of first and second floors to create 9no. student rooms, shared kitchen and common area. Formation of 2no. front dormers in association with a loft conversion. Removal of 1no. window to front elevation. Alteration to 1no. window and 1no. door to front elevation. Insertion of 1no. door to front elevation. Provision of bin and cycle stores

Case Officer: Tobias Fett

## Customer Details

Name: Mr Sam Lunn

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## Comment Details

Commenter Type: Members of the Public

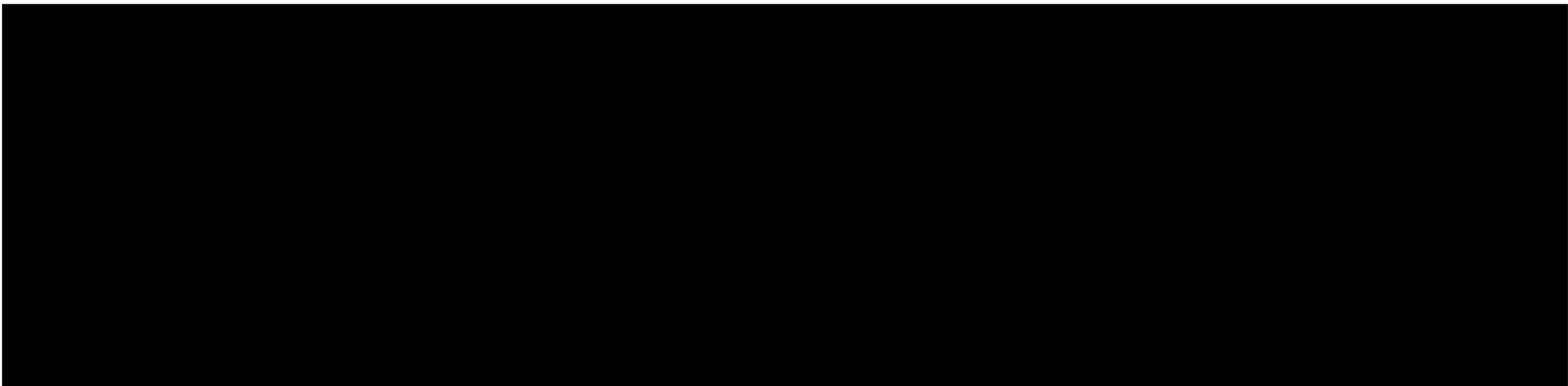
Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

- Effect on character of area
- General dislike or support for proposal

Comment: Good Morning,

The loss of The Wheatsheaf, as many others have stated, would be a tragedy. It stands as a bastion for up and coming arts in a country already under threat of losing its grassroots venues. I urge you to look at the impact of losing small venues like The Wheatsheaf nationwide. Just a few news beats i.e.:



Oxford would not have bands such as Radiohead, The Foals and more if it wasn't for its grassroots venues. The loss of these and the human connection they supply is a tragedy, both for the culture of the city and for the future of music in the UK.

In an already difficult time for small venues, If the university has the funds for such

accommodation, it should be placed somewhere less harmful.

I hope this finds the reader well.

Kind regards,  
Sam Lunn