Comments for Planning Application SDNP/24/00484/FUL

Application Summary

Application Number: SDNP/24/00484/FUL

Address: Wickwoods Country Club And Spa Shaves Wood Lane Albourne West Sussex BN6 9DY

Proposal: Erection of structure containing three padel courts and associated flood lighting

Case Officer: Samuel Bethwaite

Customer Details

Name: Mr Bill Rand

Address: 2 Blossomswell Langton Lane Hurstpierpoint BN6 9EY

Comment Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

Comment: I believe that this application for the approval of 3 Padel tennis courts in place of 2 existing tennis courts should be rejected on the following points.

1/ Noise assessment - none required due to the continuation of tennis at the site, a noise assessment should be made as the 3 planned Padel courts are taking the place of 2 current outdoor courts, Padel Tennis is louder than regular tennis and will impact members and their guests who use the outdoor terrace area.

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2/ Parking provision - would not impact on the existing parking provision - there is not enough parking at peak times so adding an additional court will only exacerbate the current parking situation.

3/ Permission was previously granted (see SDNP/22/00239/FUL) for 2 Padel courts to be located adjacent to the West side of the indoor tennis courts 7 & 8, this location is more in keeping and would not mean the removal of 50% of the Outdoor Tennis courts currently available.