

Case worker ..Lesley Wells

Dear Lesley,

Re APP/23/00996 proposed change of use planning application for McCormick House 56A East Street Havant.

A small number of residents living in Lymbourn Road Havant were sent a letter on the 4th January 2024 advising them of this application and more specifically the intention to put a ten foot security fence around the perimeter of the proposed site.

Many residents who will potentially be affected by the change of use application have not been notified and although a public notice was placed on a lamp post near to the arts centre on the 4.1.24 its position rendered it rather inconspicuous.

As far as local residents are aware, there has been no public consultation re this change of use application and no clear clarification given as to what is meant by “ special educational needs”. Will this be a facility for children with disabilities such as autism etc, or a facility for children with issues of antisocial behaviour?

As the planning application is rather general in its use of terminology such as “ special educational needs” more specific and detailed Information is required by local residents to enable a more informed assessment to be completed with regards to potential risk factors to local residents and the area in general.

As this information is not currently available I wish to inform you that I do not support the application and object to the proposal for a change of use re APP/23/00996

Kind regards

