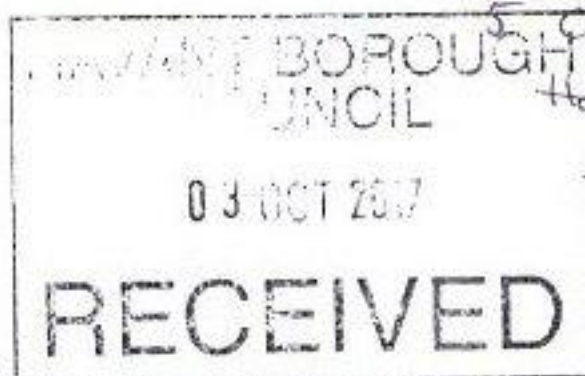




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Dear Mr. Oliver,

I write to you in support of the planning application by Lidl for a store on Hayling Island. I hope it is not too late for my comments to be noted, but I have not been able to write before now, although I did put a comment online.

Hayling Island is growing, with new or proposed developments regularly appearing. As such the current provision of shops is totally inadequate, with only two supermarkets available to residents, both of which are too expensive for many residents and limited in their stocks.

We really need a Lidl store on the Island - as well as providing more employment here it will also reduce the heavy traffic flow off the Island - currently about 80% of residents go off the Island to shop. It would much rather be able to shop on Hayling, and the store would be within walking distance for many people.

I know there have been a number of negative comments, but I feel that at least some of these are simply opposed to a Lidl store on Hayling - a more upmarket store would quite

probably not attract so many negative comments.

Nevertheless I believe Hayling would benefit enormously from having a Lidl store. The chosen location is central and would be ideal.

With kind regards



MR. + MRS. P. ALLAN