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Application number: 2018/3810

Application address: Jolly Boatman And Hampton Court Station Redevelopment Area, Hampton Court Way, East Molesey, Surrey, KT8 9AE

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Comment type: You object to the planning application

Date of comment: 21 Mar 2019

Comment: The planned application is not in keeping with the surrounding area and will ruin the historic views of the Hampton Court from the Elmbridge side of Hampton Court bridge due to the size of the proposed developments for both the flats and Hotel. We should be trying to protect the heritage of the area and ensure that developments are in keeping with the existing surrounding area.

Currently the main traffic to and from the site is that of passengers using the station, including those being dropped off, picked up and or parking at the station. Yet the application has little consideration, 2 additional parking spaces, for supporting the expansion of passengers who use the station in this way due to the location of the station to the vast majority of Molesey residence. Also reduced traffic access to the riverbank, which is not supported with a yellow box or keep clear box within the plans to allow the flow of traffic in rush hour when traffic is often at standstill is a concern. This coupled with limited drop off area's make me increasingly concerned that the plans will increase bottle necks rather than eliminated them.

While, I agree the station is supported by buses this can add >30 mins to an already long commute for its distance.