WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL **DATE: 17th August 2010**
INFRASTRUCTURE CONSULTATION

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SUBJECT: **ADC/0290/10 - Bulk store extension at rear**

Tesco Holmbush Centre, Upper Shoreham Road, Shoreham-by-Sea, West Sussex

CONSULTATION DATE: 10th August 2010

RECOMMENDATION:

Advice	X	**Modification**		**More Information**	X
Objection		**No Objection**		**Refusal**	

The construction of the store extension will result in the loss of 17 staff car parking spaces (leaving 29 staff spaces along with 629 customer parking spaces). It's unclear what implications this may then have particularly in regards of displaced parking from staff. The existing customer car park will no doubt be able to accommodate additional staff parking at off peak times. However, the existing customer car park, similar to other sites, does reach capacity at peak times. It's likely that there would be additional staff present at peak times also placing additional demands on staff car parking. There are likely to be mechanisms in place to manage the increased demand for parking from staff and customers at busy times, but it would be beneficial if the Applicant could detail what demands there are upon the staff car parking area at normal and peak times, and what measures there are in place to encourage less car use amongst staff and discourage staff car parking in the customer area particularly at peak times. Is there any possibility of replacement spaces being provided to maintain the status-quo?

In principle, there would be no over riding concerns with the bulk store extension but the knock on implications do need to be considered.

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